

TIPS FOR PARENTS

Level B/2

It's important to show how books work. While reading, demonstrate these concepts about print. Do one at a time. Make it fun!

- Point out letters. Do one at a time. For example, show your child the letter 'b' on a page.
- Say: Can you find another 'b'?
- Don't forget to point out both upper and lower case letters.
- Point to one word on a page.
- Say: This is a word.
- Point to two words beside each other.
- Say: These are two words. Words are made of letters.
- Point out the space between words.
- Count the words in a sentence, or on the whole page.
- Point under each word as you read along.
- Ask your child to point under each word as he or she reads.

