

**The Fun and Facts of Early Literacy:
Communicating with Parents Through Storytimes
Option 1
Materials Mentioned**

Baby's Toys or similar by Neil Ricklen
Chugga Chugga Choo Choo by Kevin Lewis
Something from Nothing by Phoebe Gilman
Little Flea from *Wee Sing for Baby* by Pamela Beall (recording)
Black? White! Day? Night! A book of Opposites by Laura Seeger
Grumpy Gloria by Anna Dewdney
Sail Away Little Boat by Janet Buell
Big Red Barn by Margaret Wise Brown
Road Builders by B.G. Hennessy
Caps for Sale by Esphyr Slobodkina
Growing Vegetable Soup by Lois Ehlert
Little Engine That Could by Watty Piper
Little Red Hen by Paul Galdone
Blue Sea by Robert Kalan
Three Little Pigs by Paul Galdone
Pierre by Maurice Sendak
Gingerbread Boy by Paul Galdone
Gunnwolf by Wilhelmina Harper
Swimmy by Leo Lionni
Jump Frog Jump by Robert Kalan
Hush! A Thai Lullaby by Minfong Ho
Baby Goes Beep by Rebecca O'Connell
Ten Naughty Little Monkeys by Suzanne Williams
My Friend Rabbit by Eric Rohmann
Splendid Friend, Indeed by Suzanne Bloom
Mouse Shapes by Ellen Walsh
My First ABC by Debbie MacKinnon
Turn-Around Upside-Down Alphabet Book by Lisa Ernst
Too Much Noise by Ann McGovern
Chick and the Duckling by Mirra Ginsburg

Hear and Say: Reading with Toddlers (videotape on dialogic reading)
Words on the Go from Allen County Public Library, Fort Wayne, Indiana
Early Literacy Storytimes @ your library: Partnering with Caregivers for Success by Saroj Ghoting and Pamela Martin-Diaz
Playing Around with Words: Games and Activities to Develop Phonological Awareness in 4 and 5 Year Olds (video)
Preventing Reading Difficulties in Young Children by National Research Council
Reading Right From the Start: What Parents Can Do in the First Five Years by Toni Bickart
Starting Out Right: A Guide to Promoting Children's Reading Success by National Research Council
Straight Talk About Reading: How Parents Can Make a Difference During the Early Years by Susan Hall and Louisa Moats