



Activities to Support Reading and Writing Skills Grades PreK-5

Hello LPS Families!

Enjoy these optional literacy activities with your child to promote their reading and writing skills while having fun at the same time. Be well. - Mrs. Leala Baxter, PreK-6 ELA Supervisor

<p><u>Grades PreK-1</u> Play a game of "I Spy" that encourages your child to learn sounds. For example, "I spy with my little eye something beginning with /f/. What do you think I'm looking at that begins with that sound?"</p>	
<p><u>Grades PreK-2</u> Ask your child to make a storybook with his/her own pictures and words. He/she can do this on a computer or with pencil and paper. Help him/her write the words or at least some of the letters in the story.</p>	
<p><u>Grades PreK-2</u> Making Words: Select a few lower-case letters and move them around to make words. Discuss which of the words are real, or non-sense. Create a sentence using the word and discuss the word's meaning. Have fun creating new non-sense words and their meanings. Examples below. PreK-K: bat, tab, abt or bag, gab, agb Grades 1 & 2: shrub, brush, rbush or meat, team, eatm or brag, grab, garb</p>	
<p><u>Grades 2-5</u> Seven-Letter Scrabble® Spell-Off How many words can your child create with seven Scrabble letters? Use seven letters and give your child a set amount of time to create words using just those letters. Use some or all the letters to create as many words as possible. Have your child tell you about the words they created and their meanings.</p>	<p>A C I L O P V lip lap opal oval coil viola</p>
<p><u>Grades PreK-5</u> Create an ABC Book: ABC books are a great way to explore a new topic, share a topic of interest -- or to share your current remote learning experience. ABC Book Ideas</p>	