HOW CAN I HELP MY CHILD AT HOME?

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READING RESEARCH

What does the research say about reading at home?

Why Read 20 Minutes At Home?

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Student A Reads	Student B Reads	Student C Reads
• 20 minutes per day	• 5 minutes per day	• 1 minutes per day
· 3,600 minutes per school year	• 900 minutes per school year	• 180 minutes per school year
· 1,800,000 words per year	· 282,000 words per year	• 8,000 words per year
Scores in the 90th percentile on standardized tests.	Scores in the 50th percentile on standardized tests.	Scores in the 10 th percentile on standardized tests.

BUILDING GOOD READING HABITS

- Have a designated area in your house that is "quiet" and comfortable
- Make sure that your children observe you reading on a regular basis.
- Create family reading time
- Keep reading materials throughout the house (books, magazines, bookmarks, post-it notes, etc.)
- Visit your public library often
- Have a discussion about what your child is reading

READING STRATEGIES

Strategy	What It Is
Making Connections	Text-to-Text and Text-To-World
Monitoring Comprehension	Identify words you don't know, ideas you don't understand, and strategies you are using.
Predicting	Use text clues to make logical guesses.
Visualizing	Create mental pictures as you read.
Questioning	Ask I wonder questions and construct questions using information from the text.
Inferring	Use prior knowledge and text clues to make logical inferences.
Summarizing and Synthesizing	Identify the big idea during and after you read. Reflect on a personal meaning of a lesson learned from the reading.
Determining Importance	Knowing the purpose for reading and identifying the most important themes and ideas of a text.

RESOURCES

Reading Prompts, Apps, & Websites

THANK YOU FOR COMING

Questions & Answers