

The BIG FIVE

Early Literacy Skills

3) Print Awareness

- +Learning that what we say can be written
- +Learning how a book is held and where to begin reading
- +We read from left to right

2) Vocabulary

HAVING CONVERSATIONS THAT BUILD ON:

- +Unusual or rare words
- +Background knowledge
- +New Concept

1) Oral Language

CONVERSATIONS THAT ENCOURAGE:

- +Questioning
- +Predicting
- +Wondering
- +Pretending

4) Phonological Awareness

- +Rhyming words
- +Beginning Sounds (Alliteration)
- +Ending Sounds

5) Alphabet Knowledge

- +Recognizing our names & letters within
- +Recognizing Letters

