



home school connections

LANGUAGE ACTIVITIES

Dear Families,

To help your child build language skills, try these activities at home.

- Talk to your child about the day, asking open-ended questions such as, “What is something interesting that happened to you today?” and “What made you happy today?” By providing many opportunities for conversation, your child will get valuable practice in explaining things clearly.
- Label objects, ask questions, and invite your child’s observations as you do daily activities such as grocery shopping, cooking, playing in the park, or walking through your neighborhood.
- Read to your child. Describe and discuss the pictures. Share favorite parts. Later, work together to tell the story to another family member.
- Have conversations during family meals. Talking about daily events is a great way to help your child develop and expand language skills.

Sincerely,

Eastwood Reading Team

