

DELL-D Literacy Event Activity Sheet



NURSERY RHYME FUN

Ideas for home:

Let's do more things together!

- Visit a library or the DELL-D Family Center to choose books to read together. Ask your child to find books that he or she would be interested in reading with you!
- Experience new things together. Make a book together, go to the zoo, or read a book about experiences your child may have, like losing a tooth.
- Use the take home activity to talk and learn together.

Let's recite nursery rhymes together!

- Say one or two nursery rhymes many times together.
- Say parts of the nursery rhyme and have your child fill in the rest
- Ask your child simple questions about the nursery rhyme.

Help me learn about rhyming.

- Sing or listen to songs with rhyming words (Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star).
- Read books with rhyming words (Dr. Seuss books).
- Say nursery rhymes (Hickory, Dickory, Dock).
- Use silly rhymes during routines (Go to bed, cover up your head, blow your nose, wiggle your toes)

Talk to me about rhyming words.

- Ask your child whether two words sound the same or different (car, star).
- Talk about how rhyming words sound the same in the middle and the end (wall has all, and fall has all, too).
- Say the rhyming words louder (star, far, are) or clap to the words.

Teach me new words, so I have more words to use every day.

- Encourage language by asking questions and listening to your child's comments.
- Ask simple questions about what will happen next (What will happen to Humpty after he falls?)

Upcoming Events:

Every Monday night from 5:00 - 6:30 pm at the Danville Public Library come with your child and DELL-D will provide activities and help you find fun books! *Free book on first visit!*

November 22– Miss Spider Party at DACC 10:00 am-noon.

January 23– Clifford Party at East Park 5:00 pm -7:00 pm.

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