



School Days Reading for Early Literacy

Reading aloud every day helps children with hearing loss build literacy skills. Here are five “school days” books with specific concepts, skills and activities for incorporating LSL strategies into your reading time.

Reading List

Miss Bindergarten Gets Ready for Kindergarten

Splat and the Cool School Trip

Mouse Paint

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom

Go, Dog. Go!

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FOR AGES 3-5

Dogs are on the go. All different shapes, sizes and colors of dogs are busily going about their business in this lively book.

Word Focus...

Words/Phrases to Review: Go, In, On, Up, Down, Over, Under, Around, On Top, “Go, dogs, go!” and “Stop, dogs, stop!”

Activity Ideas

1. Talk about what things go. Play with your child’s toys that go or google images for other vehicles your child has not seen. **Extend the conversation** by talking about where and how these items go.
2. Use your smartphone to find **words that mean the same thing (synonyms)** as go. Re-read the story and substitute these words.
3. Draw a map of your neighborhood with your child. Include all the streets and stop signs. Use toy cars/dogs to go **around** the neighborhood. Give directions and **emphasize** the spatial words (“Drive **around** the playground.” or “Put your dog **on the** big tree.”) Give two to three part commands for older children.

More On The Web

Listen: Read the book aloud

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EOJM4Mh68Dw>

Do: Fun activities to do together

<http://lessonslearntjournal.com/prepositions-vocabulary-for-beginning-readers>

Sing: Red Means Stop and Green Means Go

<https://youtu.be/Dwsm77tz2Kk>