

Reading is one of the most
important things you will
ever do!



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If you can read this,
thank a teacher!

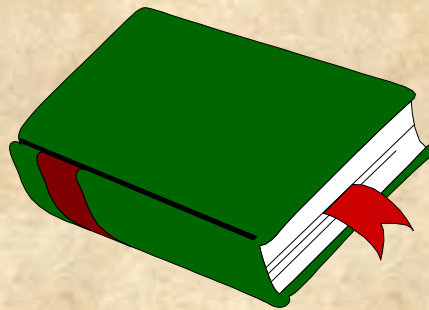
Preschoolers need to

BUILD VOCABULARY

to be successful readers
in kindergarten and 1st
grade



Rereading books that children like not only reinforces vocabulary but builds a love for books.



Becoming a skilled
reader is a journey!

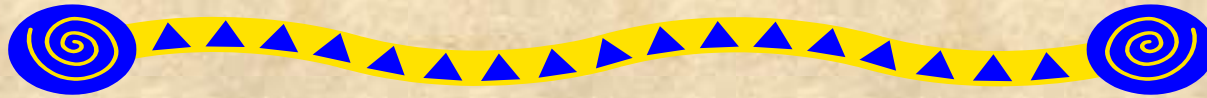


The simplest of all
solutions for reading:

Encourage and challenge
children to read.



For the majority of
poor readers,

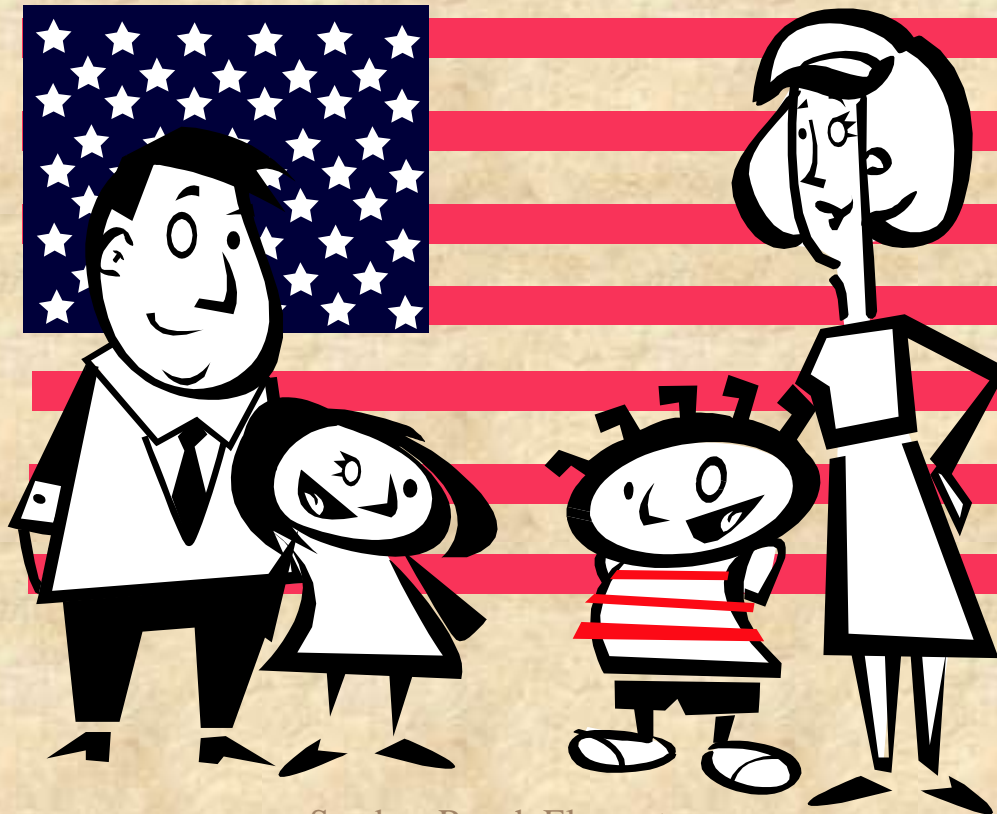


reading from books
occupied 1% or less
of their free time.

In contrast,
poor readers averaged
130 minutes per day
watching TV.

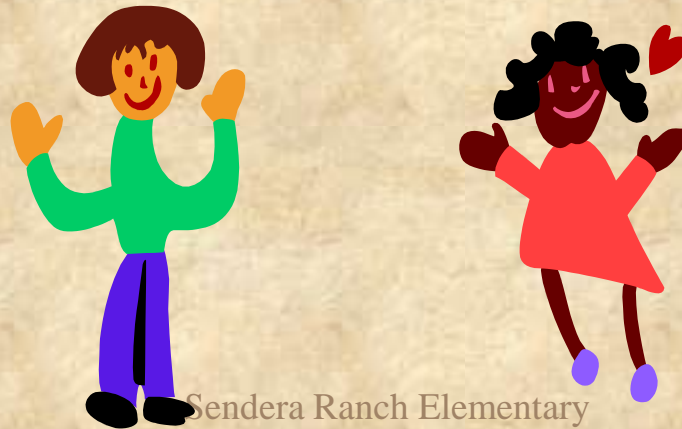


READING IS A
BASIC LIFE SKILL.



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Thinking and confidence
are probably the
most important elements
necessary for
learning to read.

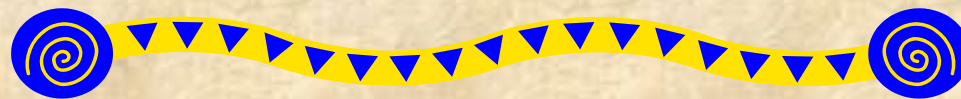


$$2 + 2 = 4$$

$$0 + 0 = 0$$

No reading + No reading =
FAILURE

Reading + Reading =
SUCCESS



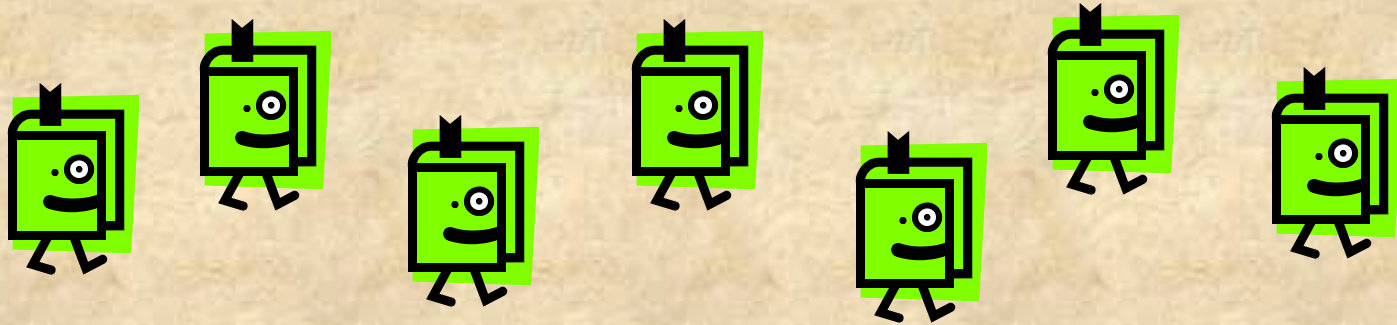
Children from
every age and ability
ought to be doing
more extended
silent reading.



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MOTIVATION IS ONE OF
THE KEYS TO LEARNING
TO READ.





It is not so much ability
that determines
the future attainment of a
young child, but their

reading ability.

The single most important activity for building the knowledge required for success in reading is reading aloud to children.



Sight words are
important for beginning
readers for 2 reasons...

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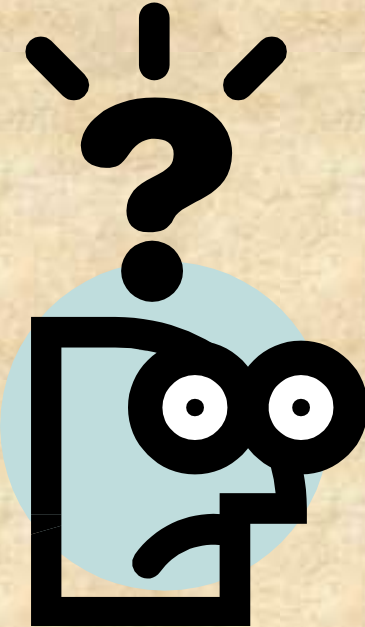
and

#1 Knowing the most common words by sight helps a reader become more fluent which makes it easier to use thinking skills to figure out context.

The red dog is big.

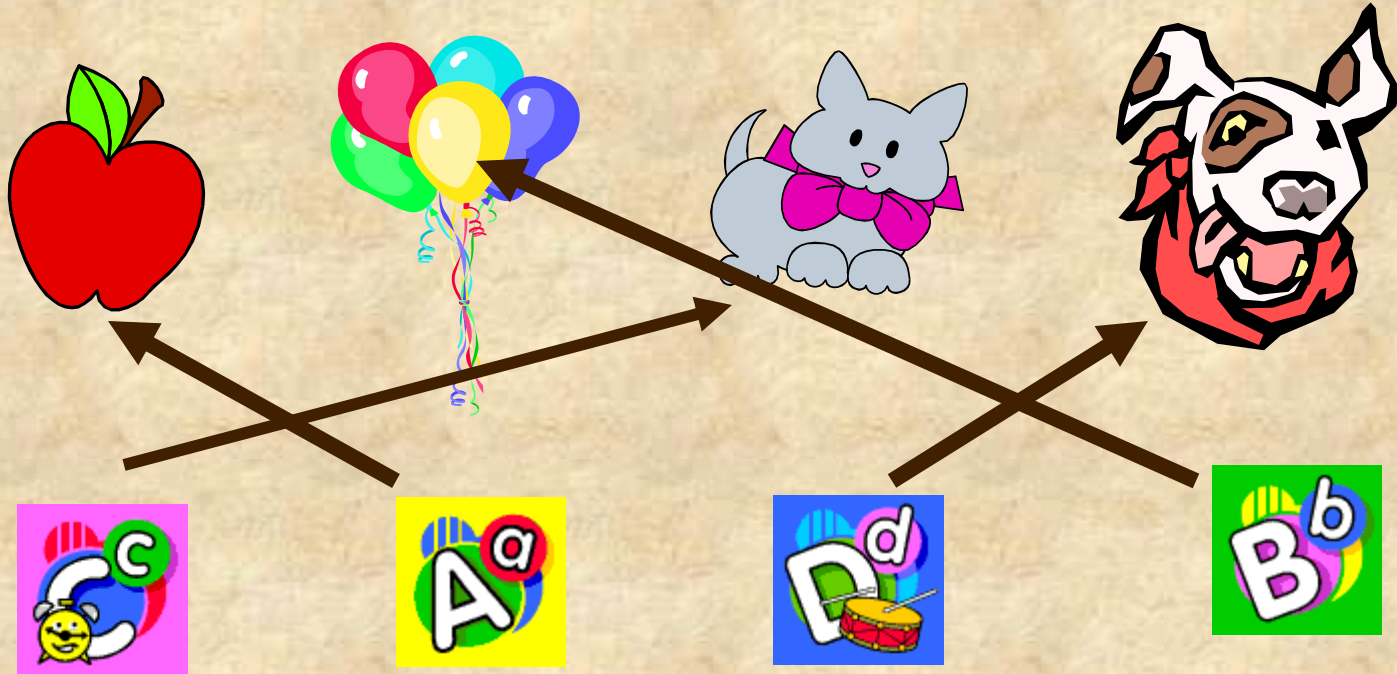
#2. Our language is not completely phonetic. Some words can't be "sounded out" easily.

caution



though

Knowing basic letter sounds is helpful to a beginning reader.



Rereading books
gives beginners
practice and confidence.



Rereading also helps
reinforce vocabulary
and
builds memory.

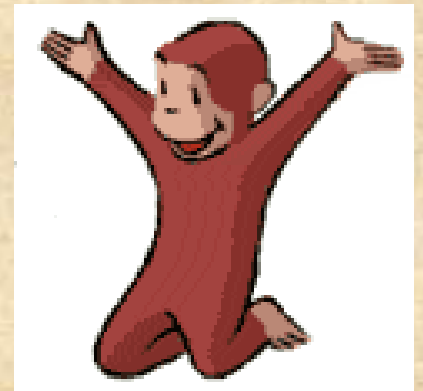


Reading, like playing a musical instrument, is not something that is mastered once and for all at a certain age.

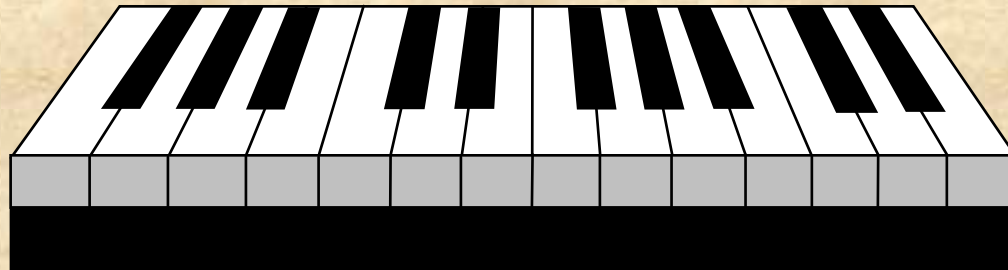




When I see books
that I have read
on the library shelves,
it is like running
into an old friend
on the street.



Reading is a skill that
continues to improve
through practice.



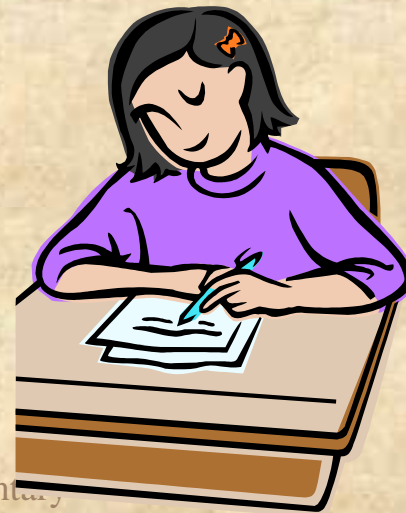
Reading begins
in the home.



When we read too fast
or too slowly,
we understand nothing.

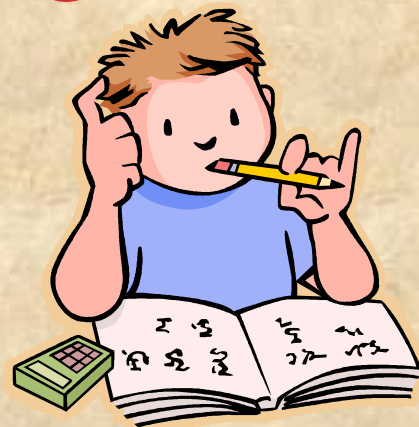


Reading and writing are
inseparable processes.



The fat cat sat on the mat.

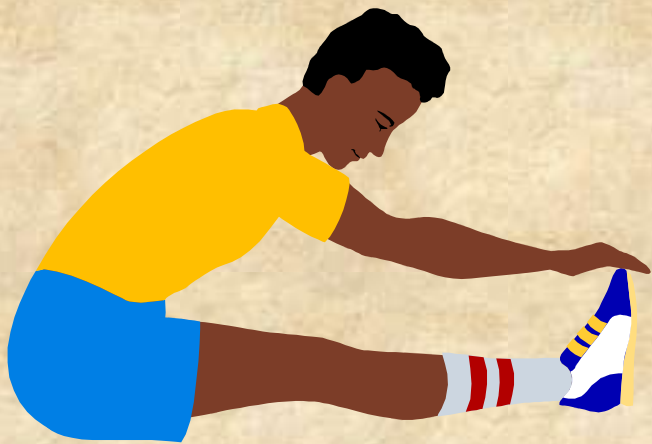
Playing with language
makes
reading and writing fun.



More than 40% of adults at the lowest level of literacy live in poverty, compared to fewer than 5% of those at the *highest literacy rates.*



Reading is to the mind what
exercise is to the body.





If a book is really good, it
deserves to be read again

and again....



and again.



Brainwork -
reading,
writing,
and thinking -
can help you grow.



The greatest gift
is a passion
for reading.



Reading 20 minutes a night is
one of the best ways you can
spend time with your child and
improves their reading ability.

