



Learning Letters

Ages 2 years—3 years

Objective: The child begins to recognize letters and shows a willingness to match them together.

Materials needed:

Learning Letters (printable)

Brown paper bag (optional)

Procedures:

1. One at a time, show your child the alphabet chart and ask child to SAY the letters with you, while pointing to each of them.
2. Vowels are highlighted in red to teach and emphasize.
3. Now go back and SING the ABC's with your child for a second time, pointing to the letters.
4. Cut the ABC boxes out on the second printable page, and help your child match the letters to the alphabet chart (1st page of printable).
5. Build thinking: Ask child what letters are in their name? Find those letters and build the word of child's name out on the floor.



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7. Extension Activity: Go on a letter hunt

around your neighborhood. Put the cut out letters in a brown paper bag. As you go for a walk with your child, pull one letter out at a time. Look for signs, license plates, and street names that have the same letter that you pulled out of the bag. Continue until you have found all of the letters.

Milestones to meet:

The child begins to recognize letters. The child can repeat the names of letters. The child begins to recognize the letters in their name. The child shows a willingness to match letters together.

Evaluation:

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?