

Wordless books

Birth to five: Communication and language: listening and attention: Share stories, songs and rhymes from all cultures and in babies' home languages and other languages common in communities.

You are your child's teacher:

Use descriptive language: talk about what your child is doing avoid asking questions.

Make your own stories and let your child join in.

Encouraging your child to help you create the pictures

Let your child be as creative as possible.

Be warm, supportive, and encouraging.

Sharing stories even in pregnancy is important for language skills, listening skills as your baby can hear you, by introducing new words and ideas from around the world. Story telling encourages children to get in touch with their imagination and explore their feelings.

You could make up your own story and using a scrap book you could create and save your stories.

Storytelling has such a beneficial impact on your child's development encouraging them to interact with the world around them.

