



Building a Language-Rich World for Kids

Boost communication, language & connection!



Play & Routines

- Make reading a daily ritual
- Encourage pretend play
- Sing songs and recite rhymes
- Achieved through daily conversations and structured activities
- Explore the outdoors
- Label everything



Literacy-Rich Zone

- Make books accessible
- Rotate books/offer variety
- Ask open-ended questions
- Read EVERY DAY in a POSITIVE WAY!
- Write down what children say

Interaction & Chat

- Narrate your day
- Respond to child's cues
- Expand on child's words
- Ask open-ended questions
- Minimize distractions
- Model reading & writing
- Offer open-ended art supplies
- Create cozy spaces



Key Principals

To create a language-rich environment for young children, focus on consistent high-quality interactions, abundant exposure to conversation and play-based activities.