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#### The 3 cornerstones of beginning reading: Learn the Basics

- 1. Letter Knowledge
  - Recognition
  - Naming
  - Consonant/Vowels
- 2. Awareness of Language/Sound Structure
  - Words
  - Syllables
  - Rimes
  - Phonemes
- 3. Text Awareness (concepts of print/language development)

## What Children Need in Order to Read Part 3

- Dr. Marilyn Jager Adams
- Susan DeBeck Producer
  - www.debeck.com

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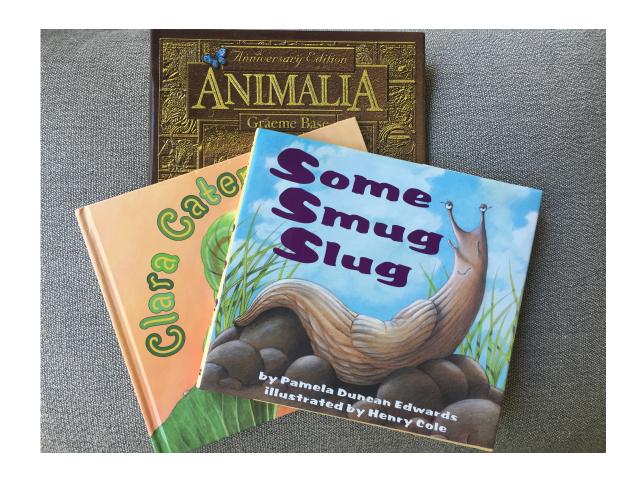
## Books Expand Vocabulary



## Nonfiction Examples



## Alphabet Books Alliterative Stories



## **Assignments:**

- 1. Visit the Links on The Dyslexia Initiative Facebook page.
- 2. Extend the number of times you read to your children.
- 3. While you read.
  - Ask who, what, where, when, why, and how.
  - Go beyond the here and now.
  - Venture into the abstract.
  - Encourage your child's imagination.
  - Make it a habit

## Parent Sessions 1, 4 and 5 Beginning at the Beginning

#### Parent Session 1, 11/05/2020

- Part 1: What Children Need in Order to Read
- Cornerstone 1, Letter Knowledge

#### Parent Session 4, 11/10/2020

- How to teach letter naming.
- How to teach upper- and lowercase letters.

#### Parent Session 5, 11/17/2020

- How to teach letter formation (printing).
- Add letter formation to letter naming routine.

# Parent Session 3: Beginning at the Beginning Routines

#### **Wrap Up Chats**

1. Discuss last week's homework.

2. Respond to questions

3. Reinforce learning.

4. Share activities/games.

## **Assignments:**

#### 1. Visit the Links on The Dyslexia Initiative Facebook page

#### 2. Play the Syllable Counting Game

- Demonstrate how to play.
- Ask, "How many syllable are in the word \_\_\_\_?"
- Clap the syllables with your child.
- Say, "\_\_\_ has \_\_\_ syllables."
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SSI-SbVz2oA
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=RDCMUCmyHhHVYxVsh5SbAbPBrfQ&v=N6i66zjlx9l&feature=emb\_rel\_end

