Trace the Alphabet Together

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**Read to Me**

Help your child practice writing his/her first and last name. Use markers or a special pen to make it fun!

When reading to your child, help your child follow along by pointing to each word as you read it. Ask your child to complete one sentence on each page.

Make alphabet flashcards out of note cards or paper. Write a card for each upper and lower case letter. Mix them up and help your child name and match them.

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**Count with Me**

Find letters and numbers everywhere you go. Say, “I see a ‘B’, that is a letter.” “I see a ‘5’, that is a number.”

Count how many letters are in your child’s first name. Try other family members’ names. Which name has the most letters?

Make letter cards and number cards. Turn them upside down and mix them up in a pile. Have your child choose one card. Ask your child if the card has a number or a letter on it. Ask your child to name the number or letter.

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**Talk to Me**

Have your child help you fold laundry and put it away. Can your child find any shirts with letters on them?

Play a game like Hide-and-Seek, Flashlight Tag, or Simon Says outside.

Spend time engaged in conversation and play with your child. Think of activities or visit places that begin with each letter of the alphabet (i.e. look for animals, blow bubbles, find caterpillars, etc.).

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**This Month’s Booklist**

Chicka Chicka Boom Boom by Bill Martin Jr
I’m Stink! by Kate and Jim McMullan
Q is for Duck by Mary Elting and Michael Folsom
Wemberly Worried by Kevin Henkes
Colors, Numbers, Letters by Leo Lionni

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