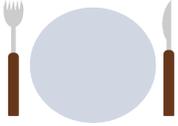


# Activities to Support Reading and Language Acquisition Skills Grades PreK-6

Hello LPS Families!

Enjoy the fun, optional literacy activities below to support reading and language acquisition skills. - Mrs. Leala Baxter, PreK-6 ELA Supervisor

<p>Embrace a time of togetherness. Whether it be breakfast, lunch, and/or dinner, sit around the table a little longer and engage in conversation. <a href="#">Conversation Starters for Families.</a></p>	
<p>I Spy... "I spy something with my little eye, something beginning with ____." Other family members guess the word. Whoever wins becomes the spy!</p>	
<p>Together, explore a few recipes. Read the ingredients and directions to follow the steps to make a batch of cookies.</p>	
<p>In school, children enjoy "Reading the Classroom." Go on a word hunt in your home or while on a quiet walk to notice environmental print. What words are around you? Don't forget to write them down!</p>	
<p>Play a board game like Scrabble with older children to practice decoding and encoding skills and expand vocabulary. What does the word mean?</p>	
<p>Build a story together! Find a comfy area in your home for story time. Take turns offering one sentence at a time, to create a story. Don't forget to have a main character, setting, plot, and create a structure for the story. For children in PreK-2, your story should have a beginning, middle and end. What happened first, next, last?</p>	