

# How to help your child prepare for school

- Look at and read lots of books together
- TEACH and SAY RHYMES together
- Talk to your child and let them have opportunities to talk
- Let your child draw / "scribble" / colour
- When writing names, please only use one capital letter at the start of the name
- Play turn taking games, including number board games
- Let your child dress and undress independently
- Personal hygiene - going to the toilet independently
- Help them to take care of toys and games, to put them away safely
- Help them to be careful in play and look after others
- Encourage them to listen to and follow instructions