

STORY READING

An essential toolkit for parents who want to read out aloud to their kids

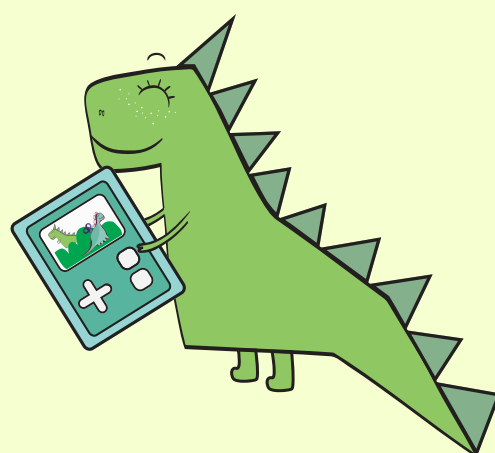


THE BOOK

Pick the right book. We're done with reading tales from the past that propagate stereotypes - Let's pick books that inspire our children
- Let's pick books that are brave and don't shy away from the truth.
- Let's pick books that you relate to!

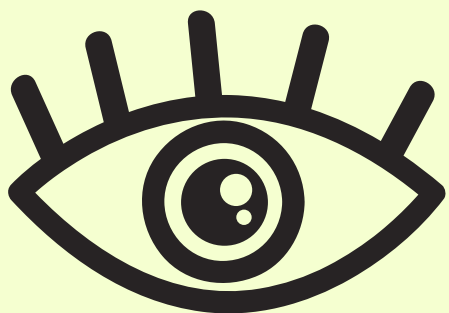
THE HOOK

Rather than saying "Come, let's read", can we say "Do you want to know what happened to the dinosaur that decided to build a house?"
We need to build curiosity and make story reading exciting



THE LOOK

Make eye contact with your child as you read aloud. Ask them questions.
Pause. Let them take time to internalise what has just happened. Looking near and looking far can transform space



THE COOK

You are the one blending all kinds of voices, tones, rhythms and sounds into the story.
These are all ingredients in the reading process. So have fun while cooking up some magic moments



THE NOOK

The smallest of things matter. Attention to detail is important. Every part of the story has the power to shape thought. So treat every bit of the book with enough importance, even the corners ;-)

