Try It

The Reading Connection

Design reading and writing activities based on a read-aloud book.

Read a short read-aloud book.

1. What questions will you ask children before, during, and after reading to keep them engaged and active? List five or six questions.

2. What vocabulary will you define or ask children to define?

3. How will you incorporate related reading and writing activities throughout the day—into learning centers, daily routines, and environmental print?

4. How will you encourage children to read on their own or with a buddy?