

Supporting your Language Learner at Home

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Purpose

Review ways to support your language learner in:

Listening

Speaking

Reading

Writing





Acquisition requires meaningful interaction in the target language - natural communication - in which speakers are concerned not with the form of their utterances but with the messages they are conveying and understanding.

Stephen Krashen

Primary Language Proficiency





Books

Stories

Movies

Music

Podcasts

Retell stories

Answer questions

Sing Songs

Chant Poems

Give Opinion and Reasons



Choose and Give Reasons



Bake cookies



Build a puzzle

Choose and Give Reasons



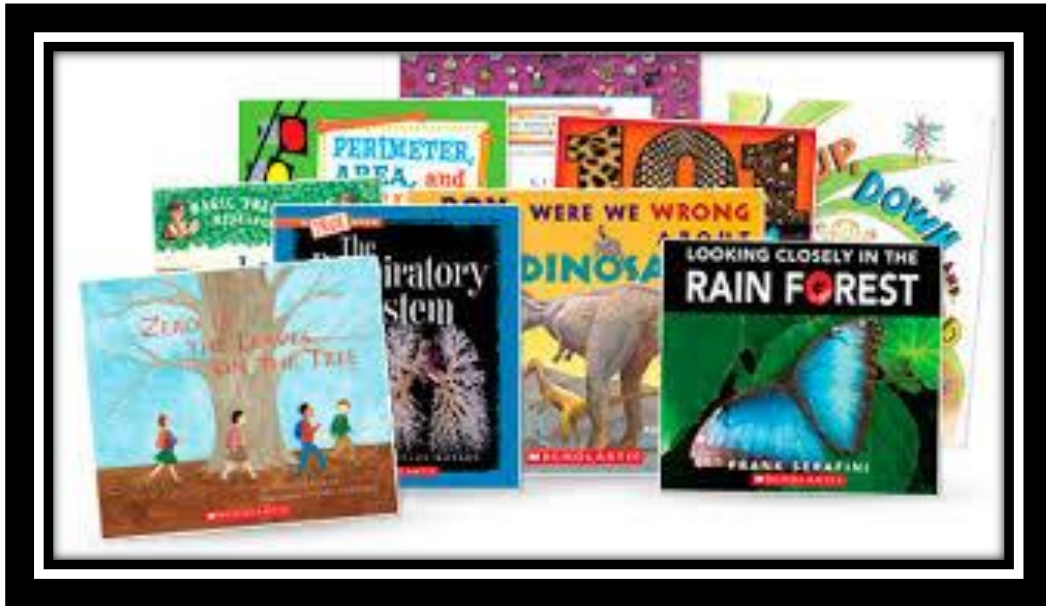
Go to the park



Go to the library



Beginning, Middle, End
Characters
Problem/Solution
Retell



Main Idea
Details
Vocabulary
Summary

Grocery List

Recipes

Planning

Thank You Note

To Do List

Events/Appointments

Friendly Letter

Future Goals/Dreams



Celebrate and Appreciate All Languages

Display/ Project/Demonstrate a Positive Attitude

Learn the language with your child

Visit

Attend cultural events and festivals

Explore bilingual careers

Travel

Be a language advocate



Thank you!

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