

Knuffle Bunny Storytime



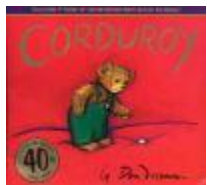
Early Literacy Tip – Our storytime today is about children’s “lovies”, their favorite stuffed animals and security blankets. Children learn best when they feel secure and loved. Cuddle up with your child and his favorite stuffed animal or blankie to read. If you make reading a special cozy time, your child will develop a love of reading.

Other Books:

Kiki’s Blankie by Janie Bynum



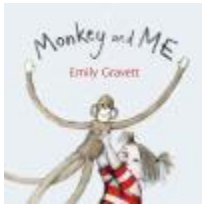
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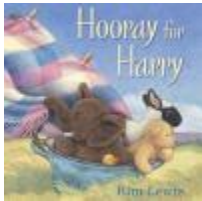
A Pocket for Corduroy by Don Freeman



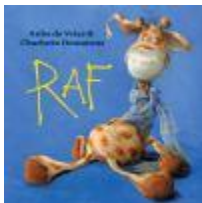
Monkey and Me by Emily Gravett



Hooray for Harry by Kim Lewis



Raf by Anke de Vries



Songs & Rhymes

My Blankie

My blankie is worn and in tatters (pretend to be hugging blanket)
But none of that really matters (shake head "no")
My blankie is faded and old (pretend to rub blanket against cheek)
But to me it's as precious as gold. (place hands over heart)

Teddy Bear Teddy Bear

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Turn around.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Touch the ground.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Show your shoe.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
That will do.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Go to bed.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Rest your head.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Turn out the light.

Teddy bear, teddy bear,
Say good night.

If You Love Books (sing to "If You're Happy and You Know It")

If you love books and you know it clap your hands,

If you love books and you know it clap your hands,

If you love books and you know it and you really want to show it,

If you love books and you know it clap your hands,

"Teddy Bear Hug" from ***Everything Grows*** by Raffi

"Me and My Teddy Bear" from ***Children's Classics*** Vol. 1 Americana Series



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