



GUIDE SHEET: ARE YOU READY TO PLAY OUTSIDE?

LABEL AND TRY TO USE THESE WORDS IN CONVERSATION WITH YOUR CHILD THIS WEEK:

Colors:

grey elephant

pink Pig

yellow Sun

Shapes & sizes:

little worm

tall elephant

medium pig

Relationships:

in the sky

on top of head

under the ear

Feelings:

angry

frustrated

happy

Actions:

skip

jump

run

Describe your actions. Encourage your child to describe actions.

- Invite your child to tell about his/her experiences: *Have you ever played in the rain? What would you like to play in the rain? What is your favorite kind of weather?*
- Ask questions about the pictures to help your child reason things out: *Why does the piggy get angry when it starts to rain? How does Gerald help his friend?*

Encourage your child to TALK
ASK the child questions
LISTEN to the child's answers
ADD to his/her comments

REMEMBER

ENCOURAGE
Curiosity
Imagination
Independence



Encourage the child to WANT TO LEARN
PRAISE when the child does well
Try to IGNORE mistakes
HELP when the child really needs it

