



ME & MY WORLD

READY FOR SCHOOL

Do three learning activities with your child, then visit the library to get their badge!

- Play a game that requires listening to directions, such as Simon Says or Follow the Leader.
 - Role play social skills with your child. Use stuffed animals to practice situations, such as making a new friend or going to school for the first time.
 - Talk to your child about kindergarten and any feelings they may have about starting school. Talk about milestones they've already reached, like learning to walk and talk. Tell them about new things they'll be learning, like how to read and write!
 - If your child will be taking the bus to school, talk to them about bus safety. If you'll be driving them, go over booster seat safety. Drive to their school, and show your child where they will be dropped off and picked up.
 - Attend kindergarten orientation with your child.
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Children who feel good about themselves and believe that they can accomplish things are more likely to tackle new tasks with a positive attitude. Children who are self-confident and believe that they can successfully complete tasks do much better in school.

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