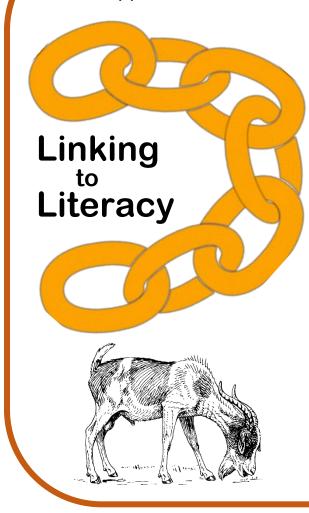
Simple activities designed to help parents and/or caregivers participate in, and support, a child's literacy skills and educational goals:



- Easiest: Read the story together. On each page, help your child locate capital and lowercase Rr.
 Say those words out loud to reinforce the sound Rr makes.
- More Difficult: An antonym is a word of opposite meaning. Example: hard/soft Find several antonyms in the story.
- Challenging: This story is set in Mongolia. The main character, Dash, has school at home. She does not go to a school building. How is her "school" different than yours? How is it alike? Compare the two types of schools.

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