

Bringin' it on home

A
PRIME TIME
FAMILY READING TIME[®]
Guide for Parents

Reading is fun for children and adults, but it is more fun and interesting when shared.

Three good any time questions:

Why? Why did you like this story better than the other?

Why did the little boy disobey his father?

Why did the author have her do that?

Well suppose ... Suppose you were Johnny ...


Suppose the father never arrived back home ...

Suppose the author had the sister ...

What do you think? What do you think about contests?

What do you think about adults who act that way?

Do you think that was fair?



Just pick up a book and read
tonight and the next night
and the next night and ...

At home openers:

That reminds me of a story ...

Tell stories
to your children
about your life.

Tell stories
to your family
about your day.

Encourage
grandparents
to share stories.

Change your voice when you tell or read stories ...

Kittens meow,
but lions roar!

The itsy bitsy little spider
The MEAN OLD WITCH ...

Don't be afraid to talk about things that matter ...

Are you ever afraid?
What is courage?

Who do you know who is brave?
Do you agree with the author?

Let the children share a book with adults.

I'm so tired I want you to read to me tonight.

Stop and talk about new words.

We need to know what "justice" means.

