

# BOOK SMART



How to Develop and  
Support Successful,  
Motivated Readers



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Authored by two passionate psychologists and educators, *Book Smart: How to Develop and Support Effective, Motivated Readers* is certainly a how-to guide wealthy with stories, lessons, actions, and ideas targeted at supporting reading advancement and addressing the broad range of interpersonal, interpersonal, emotional, and motivational skills that can be fostered by reading with young children. This trip begins with a debate of oral language and early reading abilities and then techniques into early writing attempts, story comprehension, general knowledge development, and social-emotional development. This book will help parents provide the pleasure of reading in to the home. Perhaps most importantly, this book acts as a guide along the path to raising an independent reader. The early chapters in this reserve can help you get your son or daughter ready for college and ready to browse, and the afterwards chapters can help you foster your child's lifelong love of reading. Through the entire book, the authors also provide tips for building a special bond together with your child through reading jointly, from giving appropriate compliment to modeling persistence.



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Wonderful resource for parents and teachers I came across this to end up being an enormously helpful and really interesting book!. This book offers therefore many practical tips like both of these and so numerous others. The activities are not only backed by many scientific tests, but also very easy to implement. It really is a tool which can only help inform teachers' practice, empower parents, and ultimately improve the early literacy learning environment for youthful visitors. The authors are well-versed in (and have contributed to) the research on reading, plus they make their experience very accessible to parents. I believe teachers will really find this book helpful and interesting, too. This book is highly useful in helping you to perform that important objective. What I found particularly helpful concerning this part of the publication was that these activities could be tailored to kids's individual requirements and will effectively promote their literacy advancement (like building vocabulary, learning letter brands and sounds, decoding and comprehending complicated text, but also understanding how to love reading).The wonderful resources that Book Smart provided are not only for English mainly because native speakers, but also for English as Second or SPANISH speakers. ELL teachers or parents will see this reserve to be an abundant reference in fostering their kids's English learning.I really liked the way the authors' emphasis both head and heart. child to invest a Saturday cuddled up with a good book? As a mother or father, educator, college student and education advocate I must say i recommend this book to all. Raise a Lifelong Reader This is the thinking parent's What things to Expect When You're Raising a Reader, with insightful and practical advice for each and every age and developmental stage of literacy. The authors provide years of deep scholarship to the resource and distill it so that it's available to parents, educators, or anyone who cares about literacy -- while under no circumstances talking down to their readers. They trust that you could understand "zones of proximal advancement," and through apparent and relevant explanations, they make sure that you do! Parents and teachers will love this book!Book Smart also guides family members to supply children with intrinsic inspiration, with social and emotional benefits that will extend beyond cultivating a love of reading, to fostering skills that will aid children along the road to happy, productive lives. Great reference for parents (and teachers! It's a publication to dip into over and over again -- at once skimmable with charts and personal anecdotes, and a mention of read with account and care.Among my favorite reasons for having the publication is that it identifies possibilities for learning and development in everyday encounters from car rides to bedtime to excursions to the zoo, and it makes reading (and speaking and listening) a fun and meaningful area of the parent-child relationship. Now that he is 15 months older and really showing a pastime in books, I have so many questions about the right way to support his academic advancement. Book Smart answered them all and,

more importantly, reassured me that the ultimate way to help my boy is to focus on activities that experience fun and natural. This book really helps parents understand the theories behind reading advancement, and then think virtually about how to accomplish things with their kids that don't take too much time, but really pay off. I'll keep referring back to this reserve throughout my son's school years, and have currently suggested it to all or any my friends! It really is so easy to learn, and you will really relate to what sort of authors explain things. As somebody who is teaching in kindergarten classroom, this . I can't say enough concerning this book! The chapters focus on oral language and what parents can do with their infants and toddlers which will result in later reading comprehension capability in the early school years. The resource offers entry points for parents or caregivers to activate on any level -- from the need for simply talking to your son or daughter, to providing access to print resources, to telling stories, to sharing reading experiences.. The authors possess succeeded in writing a publication that is clearly a great read. I highly recommend it. The authors explain a variety of fascinating connections and back again them up with a host of scientific analysis in the references. The last chapter on sociable emotional development did an excellent job tying everything collectively. It's a book I know I'll come back to time and time again. Each chapter from then on follows the child's development as they learn to examine, and discusses the main literacy milestones and actions that parents can perform at each stage. .Reading this book is one of the best investments you may make in your son or daughter's future.) of young children The recommendations provided in this book are abundant, easily implemented, and well-supported. After reading Publication Smart and all of the helpful tips and suggestions, I believe parents will feel extremely comfortable helping their kids learn to read and incomparable school. Chapters are broken down by language skill, and each chapter includes tables of resources and actions that parents can use for YEARS as their children figure out how to process vocabulary, speak, read, comprehend, and also write. Though many parents think of reading as an art that begins in in or simply before school age, this book helps it be clear that fundamental abilities are being developed much earlier. It's never prematurely . to start! amazing resource for parents I bought Book Smart the other day, and it has recently completely changed just how I actually read to my son. Teaching a like of reading and books is among the greatest .. As somebody who is teaching in kindergarten classroom, this publication was incredibly helpful in both understanding the range of early advancement of my college students and providing me personally with applicable activities to support their continual development. Teaching a appreciate of reading and books is one of the greatest gifts we are able to share with children. One exclusive thing about this reserve is that it explained the overall principles for supporting children's early literacy and language

development in language that makes sense, making it possible for parents and teachers to choose and modify literacy activities for their children predicated on the research-supported concepts. I hadn't really considered the connections between speaking and reading, before reading this publication. Nor of the link between vocabulary and knowledge. Book Smart provides therefore many literacy actions that parents can perform with their children. Book Wise is such a powerful device for empowering parents with strategies that may foster an authentic love of reading of their child. I think it is excellent. Esp from a teacher's POV, I think it really is excellent. Esp. It is possible to watch their reading skills develop and the activities actually work. MUST READ: Wonderful throughout! Not merely is this book a great resource for parents, it is also a great source for teachers, psychologists, college students and really anyone thinking about learning more on the subject of reading development. This book is all around excellent and a MUST READ. But more importantly the reserve provides me with useful tools and guidelines that I can easily implement in the home and help me transform my children into avid visitors in both languages. Most of these skills play an essential role in the entire reading development of the children. for parents who wish to learn how to supplement what's done in universities. The best part concerning this publication, is that despite having all of the scientific proof and studies it makes sense and is definitely easy to read. The activities are suggestions (there are lots) and each particular activity could be tailored to the child's specific requirements. I love how the book reduces literacy development into small categories such as for example vocabulary, letter pronunciations, noises, and learning to love reading. After reading this reserve I felt comfortable enough to implement the activities immediately with the youngsters that I work with on a daily basis. A great resource for parents of bilingual children As a father of three adorable bilingual children I'm highly interested in promoting the reading abilities of my children in both languages. This publication provides me with the theoretical knowledge regarding the reading process. I believe this book does a profound work addressing all areas of reading development in children as well as offering the readers detailed activities that are easy to put into action, & most of the period without any materials. To let you know the truth it works! My child is responding so well to this new method of reading, and he gets therefore excited when we appear at books together.. This gem of a book is packed with practical advice on how best to foster both reading skills in children and the lifelong love of reading.. Do you desire your child to spend a Saturday cuddled up with a good book? easy to read Finally! A book that is engaging, easy to read, smart and research-based and practical all simultaneously. Great resource for school psychologists and educators to possess on the shelves and for parents to possess within their libraries. The authors describe the powerful role that reading together with your child can

have in bringing about a shared degree of closeness and warmth, and in fostering the kid's social emotional development. I devoured it!). Book Wise provides many cognitive equipment and literacy activities that are crucial for starting English learners but usually ignored by ELL teachers and parents in/from Chinese-speaking countries. Book Smart is such a robust tool ... I look forward to continue using this as a reference in my teaching and finally as a parent 1 day! I recommend it. Book Wise is a productive toolbox to allow them to successfully support children understanding how to read. Bridging the Research-to-Practice Gap This book provides a model of how to successfully bridge the research-to-practice gap. It is based on seminal and current research but is written in an accessible manner for all consumers (parents, teachers, etc.. The impact of research could be greatly increased when it's disseminated to all levels of practitioners and Reserve Smart does just that, getting key information regarding early literacy advancement in to the hands of its readers. Most of all, children will really love the suggested activities.



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