Voracious Vocabulary

ONE

Developing a voracious vocabulary requires ongoing opportunities for children to be engaged in modelled and meaningful conversation with ***complex language and vocabulary*** (*Engaging Children in Meaningful Conversation, Brain Building in Progress*). Researchers have found children pick up rich vocabulary from listening and responding to talk all the time. Young children who are read to, curious about words, and play with words in everyday experiences are more prepared and confident when they enter school. The size of a child's vocabulary in Kindergarten is a huge predictor of future success in learning to read (Build Your Child's Vocabulary, The Hanen Centre).

TWO

5 easy ways to build Children's Vocabulary

How to explicitly teach a Vocabulary Lesson

THREE

Vocabulary Lessons

Babbling to Books- The Importance of Vocabulary

Investigation of Words through Inquiry

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