

The CAFE Menu for Emergent Readers

<p>COMPREHENSION</p> <p>I listen to and understand stories that are read to me</p> <p>STRATEGIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen with understanding Retell familiar stories using the pictures Tell a connected story using pictures Retell story, including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • story line—characters; • setting, problem, or goal events, sequencing beginning, middle, end Respond to questions about the story 	<p>ACCURACY</p> <p>I hear, work, and play with spoken language</p> <p>STRATEGIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize when two words rhyme Produce rhyming words Orally blend words presented in syllable segments Clap words in a sentence Clap syllables in one to three segments Blend onset and rime Orally match words that begin with the same sound Orally match words that end with the same sound Identify the first sound in a word Identify the last sound in a word Blend two sounds to make a word Blend three sounds to make a word Segment three sounds in a word 	<p>FLUENCY</p> <p>I know letters, sounds, and words</p> <p>STRATEGIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Recognize uppercase letters Recognize lowercase letters Recognize sight words 	<p>EXPAND VOCABULARY</p> <p>I am aware of print and how to handle a book</p> <p>STRATEGIES</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify front and back of book Know where to begin reading Know to start reading at the top of a page Know sentences and words are read left to right When finished with left page, move on to right page Know return sweep when reading a sentence Word-by-word matching Understand concept of a word Understand concept of a letter Know there are spaces between words Know the meaning of a period
<p>BEHAVIORS THAT SUPPORT READING</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Get started right away Stay in one spot Work quietly Read the whole time Increase stamina 			