

# I can listen and join in when we read books and sing rhymes.

What should the adult do?	What other skills does this activity help with?
<p>Watch the video with your child and become familiar with the story. Encourage your child to join in with the story as they watch and listen. Julie asks children to name the position that she puts the book at the start of the video - this is to practice their positional language and understanding such as under, behind, on top. You could do this with your child every time you read together. You can also concentrate on the rhythm as Julie reads the story, clapping along to the rhythmic beat. Sometimes at nursery, we use wooden claves to tap along to songs and stories. This helps children's musical and reading skills.</p>	<p>Physical Development - moving and handling Communication - listening and attention &amp; understanding Literacy - reading Expressive arts - exploring music and singing favourite songs</p>
Resources:	Video Clip <a href="#">Julie reads 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'</a>