**Early Stage 1 Literacy Grid**

Below you can find a grid of 25 literacy activities which students can complete at home.

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| Read a book to a pet. | Create a wanted poster for a character from a book. | What’s the first letter in your name? Find all the words in your book that have that letter in them and make a list. | In rice, sand, flour or another material of choice write the names of the characters from your book. | Choose your favourite sentence in a book and the write it on some paper in fancy or coloured writing. |
| Draw a different front cover for your favourite book. | Sketch and label your favourite characters from a book | Go outside and read a book in the sunshine | Using toys act out the story line from one of your favourite stories. | Read a book and pick five words you like the most. See how many rhyming words you can get for each, nonsense words included. |
| Take a photo of a book cover you like and edit it with filters and add ons | Draw a picture to match this sentence starter:  My favourite part of the book was… | Listen/Watch a story from Storybox, then draw a picture of your favourite character. | Write a review for a book you’ve read  I liked/disliked because…  Image result for fiction book clipart | Go Outside and Draw a Map of your house and yard.  *Remember to label it!* |
| Use an old newspaper or magazine (ask permission first). Find and cut up the letters that make up the title of your book. | Write a letter on Word that a parent can later email to a friend or family member. | Make a COLLAGE! Find pictures  from magazines or online and create a collage that represents what happened in a story of your choice. Try and find pictures to illustrate the characters, problem, setting, & events! | Record yourself on a phone or tablet retelling the story that you just read. | Make a bookmark!  On one side, illustrate the main characters, setting, problem and resolution of a story you are reading.  Image result for bookmark clipart |
| Keep a journal of your days at home. Draw what was the happiest part of the day.  Image result for journal clipart | Read a book and draw what happened at the start, in the middle and at the end. | Read a book and write a list of all the words that have the letter a in them. Can you put one in a sentence? | Create a prayer to pray for the world in 2020.  Image result for world globe clipart | Go on the Premiers Reading Challenge website and add books to your online reading record.  <https://online.det.nsw.edu.au/prc/studentExperience.html#/>  Image result for Premiers Reading Challenge clipart |