KINDERGARTEN READINESS TIPS



Read this book!

<u>Mix It Up!</u> by Hervé Tullet



Grown-up tip

Interactive books like Hervé Tullet's *Mix It Up* invite readers to be active participants. Books that ask children to touch the page in a certain way, to move their bodies, or to search under flaps to find something are awesome for encouraging early literacy. These books can engage a child's interest and stimulate their senses. Not only that, but when kids point, open flaps, or trace lines on the page, kids are exercising their fine motor skills they'll need when they begin to write.

Take a look at this!

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Color Pokey

You put red in
You take red out
You put red in
And you shake it all about
You do the color pokey
And you turn yourself around
That's what it's all about!

You put green in
You take green out
You put green in
And you shake it all about
You do the color pokey
And you turn yourself around
That's what it's all about!

You put blue in
You take blue out
You put blue in
And you shake it all about
You do the color pokey
And you turn yourself around
That's what it's all about

You can give your child items of each color or, for more of a challenge, ask them to run around the house and find an item that matches the color and then sing!



