



सत्यमेव जयते

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LAKSHYA/TARGETS FOR FOUNDATIONAL LITERACY

Balvatika or Age 5-6



Oral Language

1. Talks to friends and teachers
2. Sings rhymes/poems with understanding



Reading

1. Looks at books and attempts reading the story with the help of pictures
2. Begins to point out and recognize some familiar repeated words (sight words or words on containers/food wrappers)
3. Recognises letters and corresponding sounds
4. Reads simple words comprising of at least 2 to 3 alphabets.



Writing

1. Imitates act of writing during play begins to form recognizable letters.
2. Scribbles/draws and paints for self-expression.
3. Uses a pencil and holds it properly to form recognizable letters
4. Recognizes and writes his/her own first name

