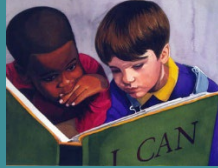




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## KINDERGARTEN READINESS CHECKLIST

**You will have fun preparing your child for Kindergarten. Enjoy!**

- Recognizes and names 10 letters of the alphabet, especially those in his/her name
- Recognizes and writes their name with capital & lowercase letters
- Matches beginning letter sounds with letters and objects  
Ex: "B" make "b" sound & banana
- Is able to rhyme words. Ex: cat and hat
- Speaks in complete sentences
- Follows directions with two steps
- Sorts objects by color, shape, and size
- Recognizes and names 8 colors
- Uses glue and glue stick
- Cuts properly with scissors
- Retells a simple story
- Recognizes numbers 1 to 10
- Counts to 10
- Recognizes and names basic shapes such as: circle, square, triangle, rectangle
- Knows full address and telephone number
- Zips, buttons, and snaps clothing
- Shares and takes turns with others
- Sits for 10 - 15 minutes for group activities

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