

AWARE, CARE, & SHARE

Story Starters

On the following pages, you will find images that you can use with your child to start stories. Have them color and cut out the images they want to use. Let their creativity shine – they can glue them onto a paper bag or craft stick to make puppets.

- Encourage your child to write stories about the characters in their journal. Invite your child to perform their journal stories using the puppets and scenes they created.

- You will notice that some of the images look familiar. Your child can use these to re-tell some of their favorite nursery rhymes and fairytales.

These *story starters* can create a powerful connection between you and your child, as well as deepen their language and literacy skills, as you encourage them to share their stories in many ways.



















