Literacy

Move, Move, Move!

Your child's teacher has read a book in class called *Move, Move, Move!* It explains why being active is good for you and it urges all of us to get moving.

Reading <u>Move, Move, Move!</u> with your child at home is a great way to build on their language and literacy learning. You may need to do the reading, so that you and your child can enjoy the book together. To make the experience even richer, you might like to try some of the ideas below.

Key messages (builds an awareness of the purpose of the text) Chat about the messages you get from the book.

This book is encouraging us to do something. What is it? What is the author of the book wanting you to do?

Reasons (supports making meaning)

Talk with your child about the meaning of the book.

What did you learn about being active? Why should you move?

Making connections (supports making personal connections to the text)

Chat with your child about ways they are active.

The children in the photos are doing all sorts of active things.

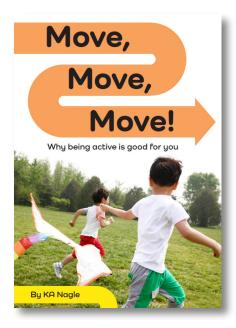
What active things do you like doing? What other ways are there to be active?

Photos (supports making meaning from images)

Have fun talking about the photos together.

Let's look at the faces of the children underwater. They look happy.

Why might they feel happy? Does moving make you feel happy?



Use your home language

If your home language is not English, you can apply these ideas in your own language. This will help support your child to learn to read English.





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