Print Motivation

Fun with Puppets

Have fun with simple puppets!
Help your child color in the bear.
Cut out and paste onto a popsicle stick or craft stick.
Your child can use this simple puppet to re-tell a favorite story or make up one of his/her own.

Action Rhyme

Make up actions to go with the words

Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, shut the door.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, count to four.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, reach up high.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, wink one eye.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, put away your shoes.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, that will do.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, touch your nose.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, touch your toes.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, climb in bed.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, rest your head.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, turn out the light.
Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear, say, “Goodnight.”

TRY THIS AT HOME:

- Let your child choose the book he/she wants to read.
- Stop reading if your child loses interest. A few short reading times that are enjoyable are better than a long experience.
- Create a comfortable environment in which to share books with your child.
- Put books within easy reach so your child can choose them on his/her own.