

# Title 1 Reading News & Tips

## Message From Mrs. Kabeiseman

Reading is Rocket  
Science!!

Reading is very complex  
and easier to master for  
some more than others.  
Our brains are wired for  
speaking. Reading is a  
“man made” skill.

## Phonemic Awareness

1. First step in learning to read is to  
be able to hear the sounds in words.

- Can your child rhyme?
- Can they hear syllables in a word?
- Can they reproduce the 1<sup>st</sup> sound in a word? The last?
- Can they hear all the sounds in a word?
- Can they blend and segment sounds to make words?
- You can play lots of games to practice these skills.

## Reading Fitness Tips

- ✓ You have to exercise to stay healthy! Exercise your reading skills by practicing! It's like exercise for the mind.  
AND it's FUN!

Title 1 is here to help!  
You can email with  
questions or ideas on  
how to help your child.

## Alphabet Knowledge and Phonics

2. The next step in learning to read is  
learning letters and their sounds.

- Combine Phonemic Awareness and letter sounds and you have phonics.
- Practice leads to improved rate, or fluency..
- The better your fluency the more you understand and learn.

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