Starting at birth . . .

You can help!

Phonological Awareness
The ability to hear and play with smaller sounds in words

Vocabulary
Knowing the names of things

Print Motivation
A child's interest in and enjoyment of books

Print Awareness
Noticing print, knowing how to handle a book, & follow the text on a page

Letter Knowledge
Learning to name letters, knowing they have sounds, and recognizing them

Narrative Skills
The ability to describe things and events & to tell stories

Six skills your child needs to read