**Book Workshop Model**

Our three-part family literacy workshop model focuses parents on warm-up activities BEFORE READING, enjoying the book DURING READING, and engaging in a book-group type experience and preparing for reading at home AFTER READING. Workshops introduce a range of books and conversational reading prompts to insure communication and interaction.

**BEFORE READING: Warm-Up Activities** (see next page)

Goals: 
To develop interest in the book
To set the stage for "conversational reading"

- **Present the children's book.**
- **Demonstrate conversational reading.**

**DURING READING: Enjoying the book (text and art)**

Goals: 
Use conversational reading prompts
Become familiar with the book

- **Set up and monitor paired reading.**

**AFTER READING: Book Group Experience**

Goals: 
Discuss the book from an adult perspective
Set the stage for a successful home reading experience

- **Lead a discussion-focus is on the parent's perspective.**
- **Prepare for reading at home--focus is on the child.**

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