

WELCOME



Hello,
Hatchlings Families!
Let's get to know each other
& the program.



**Hello Everybody,
Yes Indeed**

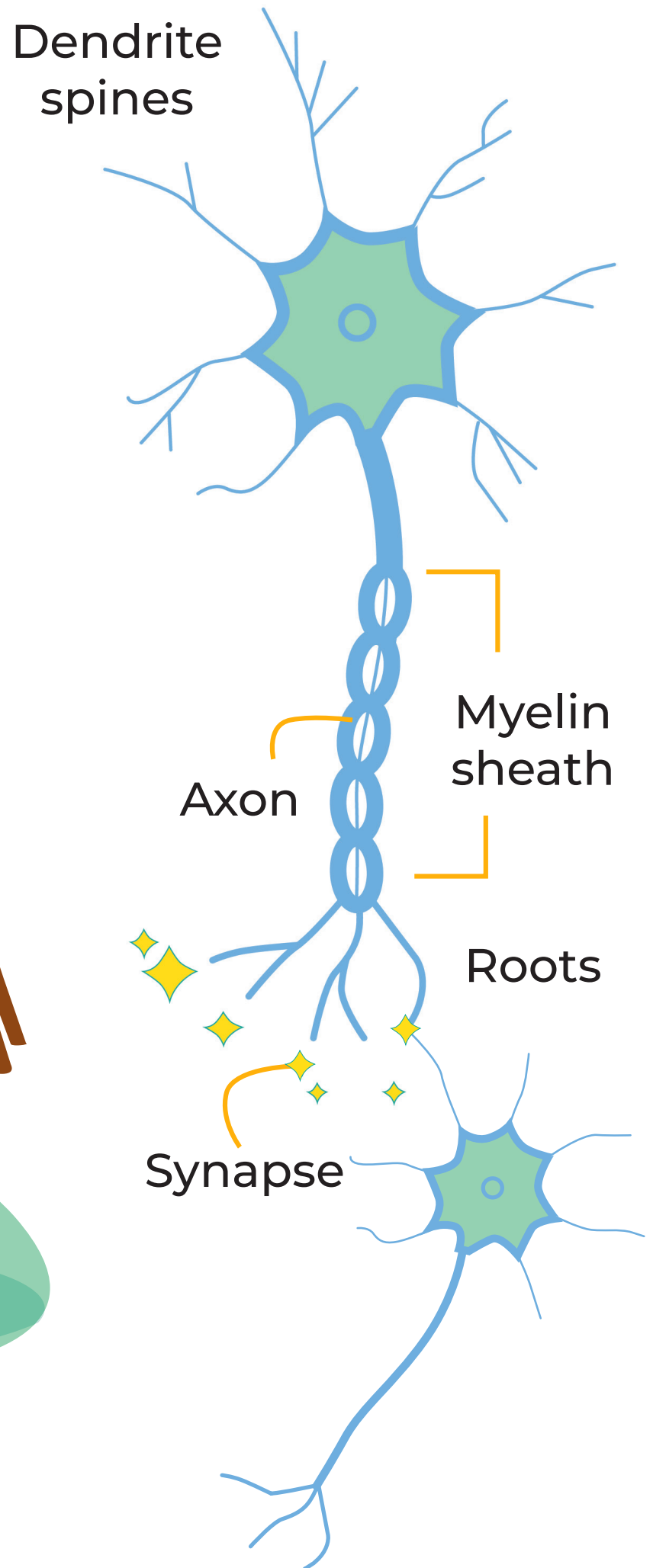


Hello Everybody, Yes Indeed

Hello, everybody
yes indeed,
yes indeed,
yes indeed.

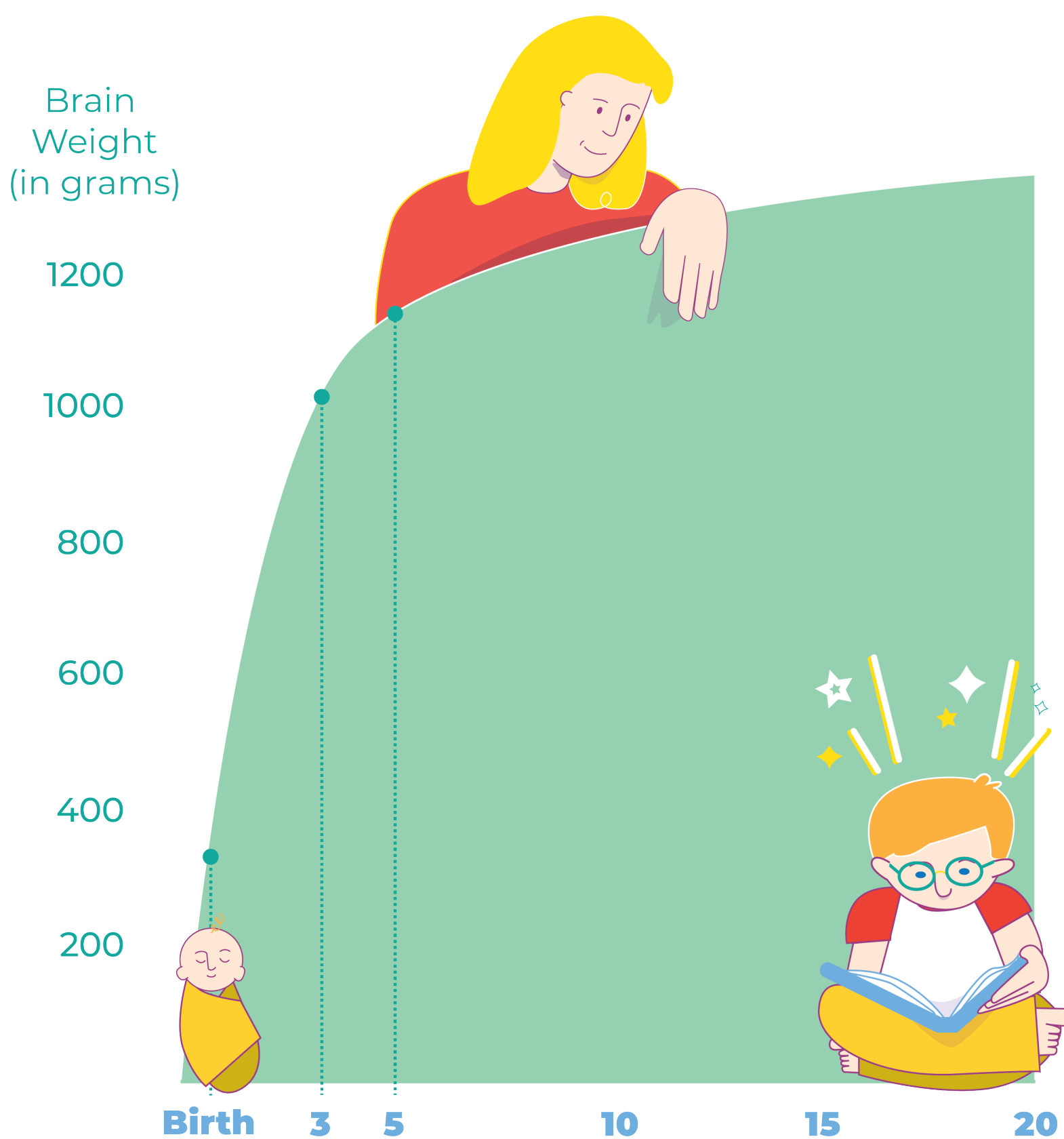
Hello, everybody,
yes indeed,
yes indeed
my baby.

We learn through connections.



The majority of connections in the brain are formed in the first 3 years of life.

That's why it's never too early to talk, sing, share books and play!



Talk, sing, share books & play!



**Talk, sing, share
books & play!**

Talk, sing, share
books and play.

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Talk, sing, share
books and play --
Hooray!

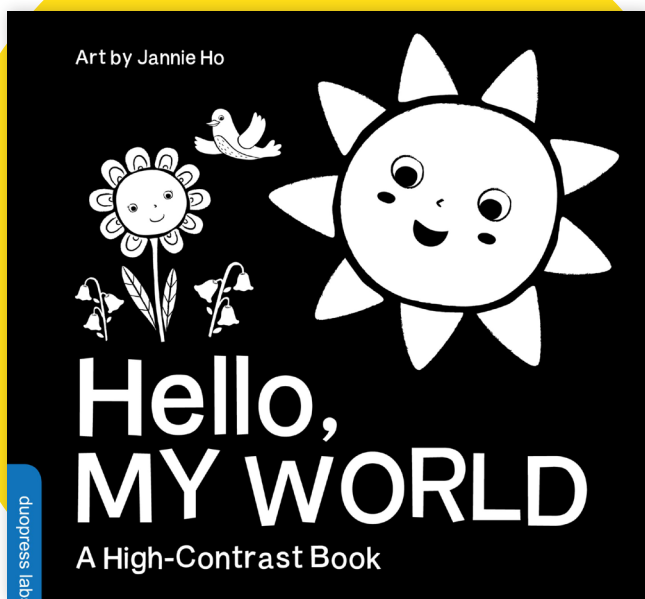
To your child, your voice is the most beautiful sound in the world.

Children love hearing the same stories.
Cardboard books are the best for babies,
and black and white pictures are the easiest
for newborns to see.



There are many ways to read a story...

Read the words aloud



Talk about the pictures



Ask questions and
answer them!

**and even
sing a song!**

Use familiar tunes to bring the book to life!



Hello Sun, Yes Indeed

Hello, sun

Yes indeed, yes indeed, yes indeed.
Hello, sun, yes indeed,
Yes indeed my baby.



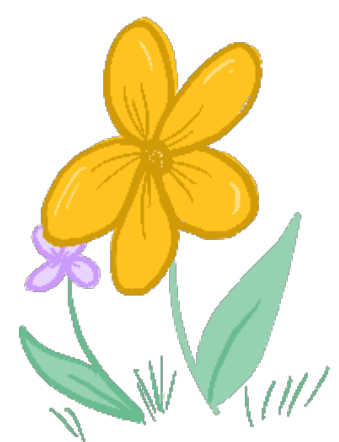
What's going on, bird?

Yes indeed, yes indeed, yes indeed.
What's going on, bird? Yes indeed,
Yes indeed my baby.



Bonjour, flowers

Yes, indeed, yes indeed, yes indeed.
Bonjour, flowers, yes indeed,
Yes indeed my baby.



What's up, clouds?

Yes indeed, yes indeed, yes indeed.
What's up, clouds? Yes indeed,
Yes indeed my baby.



We need your feedback!

Have you learned helpful information about your baby's brain development?

Have you learned about different ways to share books with your baby?

When would be a good time of day to read to your baby?

Questions?



The brain likes to remember happy moments.

Your song is even more powerful if you smile when you sing.



**I've Got Something
in My Pocket**



I've Got Something in My Pocket

I've got something
in my pocket,
it belongs across my face.
I keep it very close at hand,
in a most convenient place.

I'm sure you
couldn't guess it
if you guessed a
long, long while.

So I'll take it out
and put it on,
it's a Great Big
Loving Smile!

**Name the parts of
the body as you sing
about them.**



**Can You Kick with Two Feet?
& Pizza, Pizza Hot**





Can You Kick with Two Feet?

Can you kick with
two feet, two feet,
two feet?

Can you kick
with two feet?

Kick, kick, kick,
kick, kick.

Can you wiggle with **10 fingers**...

Can you clap with **two hands**...

Can you wave with **two arms**...

Can you kiss with **two lips**...



Pizza, Pizza Hot

Pizza, pizza hot.
Pizza, pizza cold.
Pizza, pizza in the
box, Nine days old.

Some like it hot.
Some like it cold.
Some like it in the
box, Nine days old!
(I do! or Yuck!)

Rocking comforts, but dancing rocks!

Movement fires up the brain.



Hokey Pokey!





Hokey Pokey!

You put your hand in,
you take your hand out.
You put your hand in
and you shake it all
about.

You do the
Hokey Pokey and you
give a little shout:
“I love you without a
doubt.. Hug!”

Continue with “You put your
head in, etc...”

**Any song is good.
Feel free to
change words.**

Have fun and be playful.



The Wheels on the Bus





The Wheels on the Bus Part I

1 The wheels on the bus go
'Round and around,
'Round and around,
'Round and around.

The wheels on the bus go
'Round and around,
On our way to the library.

2 The cat that I see goes,
"Meow, meow, meow.
Meow, meow, meow,
Meow, meow, meow."
The cat that I see goes,

"Meow, meow, meow,"
All through the day.



The Wheels on the Bus Part II

3 The puppy on the page goes,
“Woof, woof, woof,
Woof, woof, woof,
Woof, woof, woof.”

The puppy on the page goes,
“Woof, woof, woof,”
All through the day.

4 The truck in the street goes
Vroom, vroom, vroom.
Vroom, vroom, vroom,
Vroom, vroom, vroom.

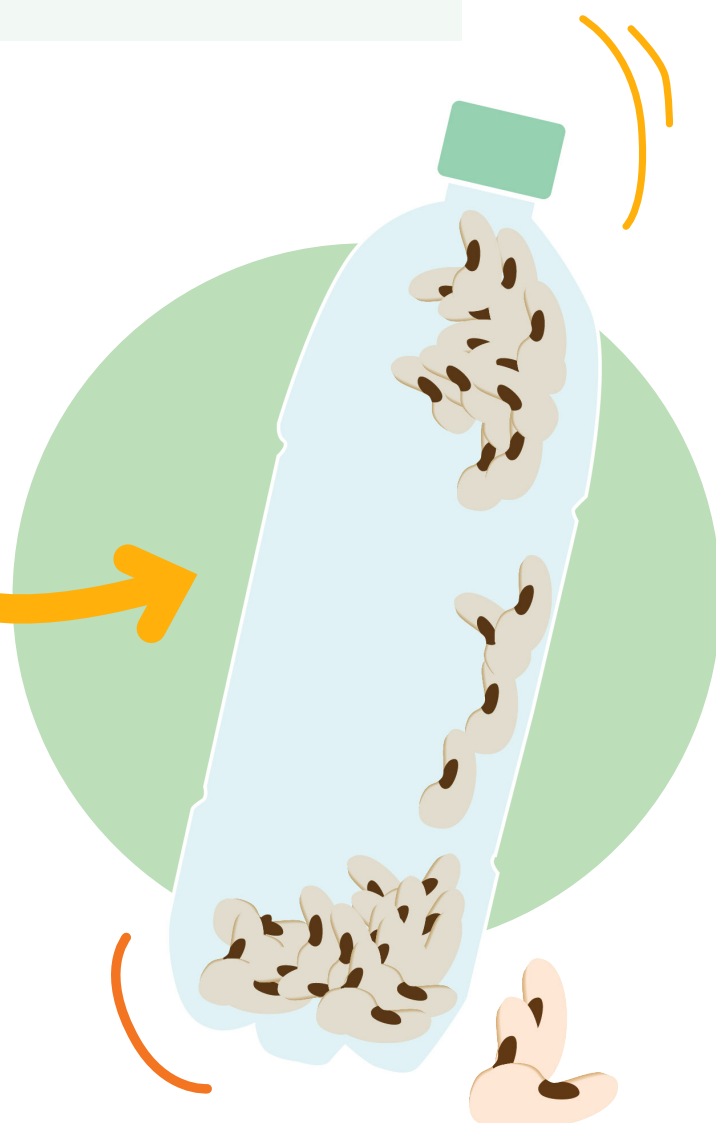
The truck in the street goes
Vroom, vroom, vroom,
On our way to the library.

Shake along to the beat!

Any song is fine to sing and any rhyme is great to recite; don't limit yourself to children's songs



I Have a Little Shaker



You can make your own shakers with household items!



I Have a Little Shaker

I have a little shaker,
I'll shake it in the air.
I'll shake it over here.
I'll shake it over there.

It can be a carousel.
Going round and round.
It can be a shooting star,
Falling to the ground.

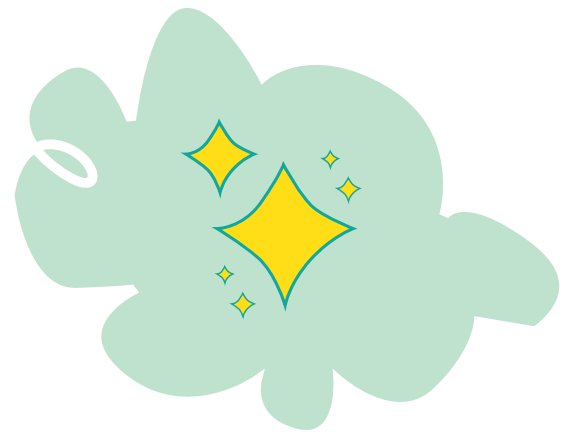
I have a little shaker,
I'll shake it in the air.
I'll shake it over here.
I'll shake it over there.

Lullabies help babies relax.

Any song can be a lullaby, just sing it slowly and softly.



Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star & The Wheels on the Bus



Share songs that your parents and grandparents sang with you, too.



Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star

1 Twinkle, twinkle little star
How I wonder what you are.
Up above the world so high,
Like a diamond in the sky.
Twinkle, twinkle little star
How I wonder what you are.

2 Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
What a lively baby you are.
In my stomach very tight,
You keep me up all the night.
Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
What a lively baby you are.

The place for you and the place for me is the local public library!

Oh, the place for you
and the place for me
is the local public library.
They have books and things
that they lend for free.
It's the latest, it's the greatest,
it's the library.

Educational, informational,
entertainment that's sensational.
It's a way of life, it's for you and me.
It's the latest, it's the greatest,
it's the library.

(Dum ba da da da dum,
dum dum)





The Library Song

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(Dum ba da da da dum,
dum dum)

Self-care is very important for both you and your fetus.

Visit the Library



Check in with your body & your doctor



Stay Hydrated!

QUESTION

What is something important that you learned today, or one thing we did here that you look forward to doing at home?

Questions?

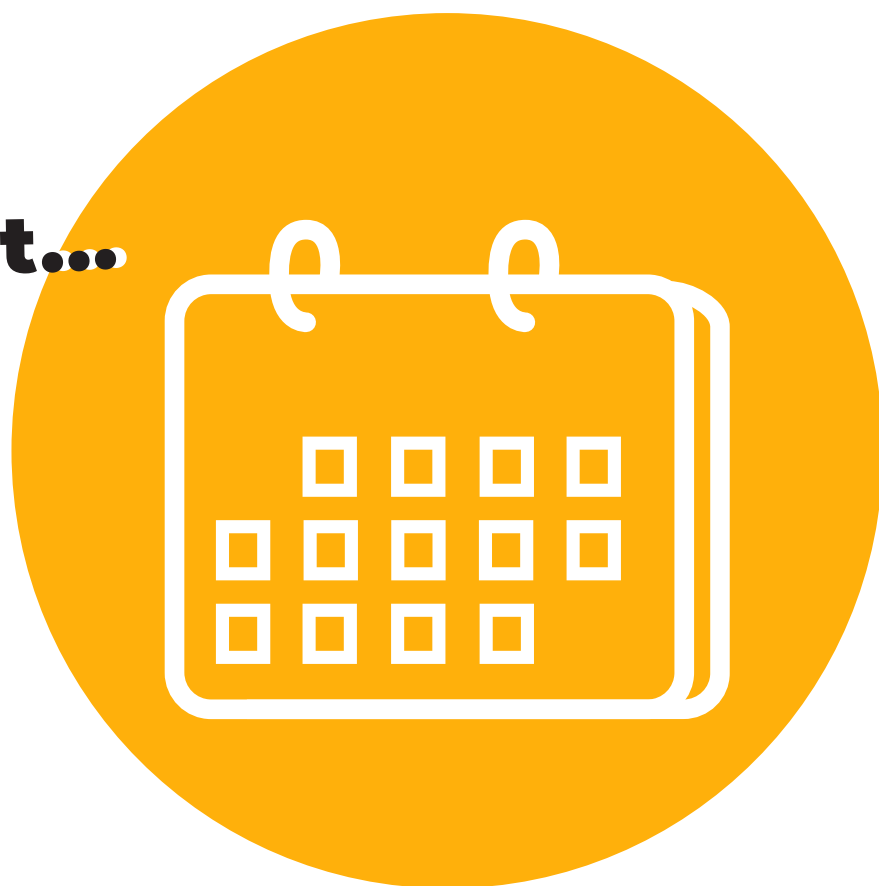


Don't leave before...

Please return the kits & fill out exit surveys.

Don't leave without...

Take a calendar,
and a Hatchlings
songbook.



**Let's take a group photo!
Make sure your nametag shows.**



Thanks for coming!

Visit us at the library any time!

Recordings of all Hatchlings songs can
be found at: <https://bit.ly/3r4xwt9> or by
scanning this QR code:



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