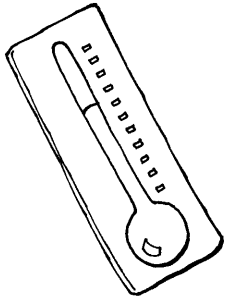
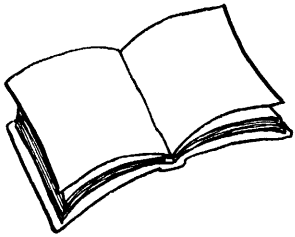


AT HOME WITH..... THE WEATHER!!!!



We have been talking about the temperature and reading the temperature on a thermometer. If you have a thermometer at home, read the thermometer with your child in the morning. If you don't have a thermometer, listen to the weather on a radio or television. Talk with your child about the temperature and what types of clothes are appropriate to wear in warm and cold weather. See if your child can pick out clothes to match the temperature for the day.



Go to the library and read stories about the weather and seasons.

When you are outside with your child, look for and discuss the simple signs of weather. On a sunny day, you might discuss how the sun feels warm on your child's skin or how the sky looks "blue" in color. On a rainy day, you might discuss how one sees the rain form puddles or how it feels wet on your child's skin and clothes. On a snowy day, you might discuss how the snow looks "white" in color and how we have to dress in heavy clothes to keep warm because the temperature is very cold.



When you are outside with your child on a cloudy day, look up at the clouds. Sometimes they look like "things." Point out a cloud that looks like something and say, "I see a cloud shaped like...." Ask your child, "What do you think the clouds look like?" Enjoy your child's imagination!!!!