

Wonder Writers: Working with Your Young Writer at Home

Scrapbooks and Journals

Encourage your child to record their adventures and stories in a journal or scrapbook. Take your child to the store to choose a special journal or scrapbook can help motivate him to write.

Set aside time at home to work on writing as a family. If you have paperwork to do, or other children have homework, use this time for quiet writing. Allow for time to read the journal or scrapbook together.

Try creating a small scrapbook for special events:

- Birthdays
- Vacations
- Sports
- Holidays

Add interest to your journal or scrapbook by:

- Adding photos and mementos
- Including drawings

