

### 3rd Trimester: Reading "I can" statements

I can tell who the characters are, where the story takes place and important events in a story.

I can recognize common types of texts (storybooks, poems).

I can choose just-right books and challenging books for myself.

I can tell why we read books that give information and explain real things.

I can answer questions from information in real-life books.

I can make connections within the book when I read.

I can explain why the author chose the facts in the book.

I can sound out word family word and use high-frequency words when I read a book.

I can say each syllable sound and blend them to make a word.

I can blend beginning sounds to word family endings to make words.

I can tell that a new word is made when the letters are changed.

I can blend word families (short vowels).

I can say each vowel's long sound.

I can tell the difference between letters and words.

I know that words are letters in a special order.