

# CREATING A RHYTHM WITH YOUR WORDS...

## in PRESCHOOL



*Set the mood for the day. Smile, greet them with words of love.*

- Are you ready for a super fun day?
- Are you excited to \_\_\_\_\_ today?
- Guess who loves you! I do! Guess who loves you even more than mommy/daddy?
- You look so beautiful/handsome today!



*Reinforce simple ideas. Talk to your preschooler and play music as you go.*

- Look out the window at what God made.
- Can you find something green that God made?
- If you could be invisible for one day, what would you do?
- Would you rather have a pet dinosaur or a pet shark?



*Be personal. Spend one-on-one time that communicates love and affection.*

- I'm so glad God made you.
- I'm so glad I get to be your mommy/daddy.
- Jesus loves you so much. He wants to be your friend forever.
- God, thank you for . . .
- God, please help us . . .
- Are you scared? Let's talk about it.
- I love you.



*Wind down together. Provide comfort as the day draws to a close.*

- You did such a good job doing \_\_\_\_\_ today.
- I love watching you grow.
- Where's your belly button?
- I love your little feet. They help you run so fast.