



## Taking a Snapshot of the Children's Literacy Development

Alphabetic Principle  
*What are you seeing?*

Can the children recognize and identify some or all of the letters in their first name?

How many upper and lower case letters can the children recognize and name? Do you feel they're making progress from the fall?

Are the children showing interest in learning how to write their names?

Are the children connecting any of the letters to the sounds that they make?

Are any of the children showing interest in writing on their own?

Do the children understand the concept of a word yet?