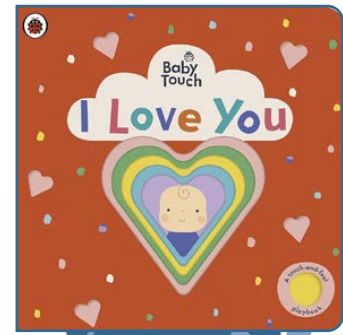




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BABY TOUCH: I LOVE YOU

by Ladybird



Say 'I love you' to all the different animals and objects in this book.

Explore the touch-and-feel patches and peep through pages as you snuggle up and say I love you to your baby.

Perfect for cuddle time!

How do babies come to recognise their name?

You probably spent a lot of time choosing the perfect name for your baby and it's something that they're going to hear throughout their lifetime.

But how do babies come to recognise their own name and understand that it refers to them?

Watch this short video to discover more about when and how this happens:



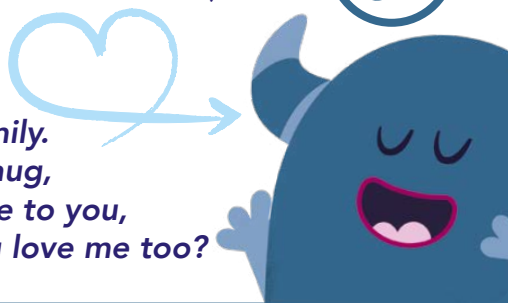
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I Love You

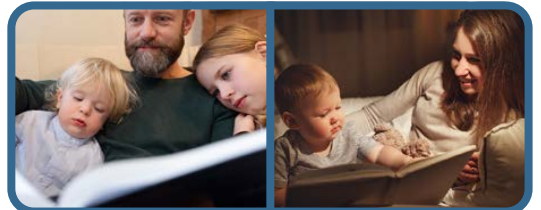
(Sing to the tune of This Old Man)

*I love you,
you love me,
we're a happy family.
With a great big hug,
and a kiss from me to you,
won't you say you love me too?*



Cosy Book Time

Finding the time each day to look at a book is good for your child's development.



Here are some top tips to make the most of cosy book time:

- Look at a book at any time, it does not have to be bedtime.
- Find a quiet place.
- Talk about the pictures and read some or all of the words.
- Give your baby time to respond - using facial expression, sounds, or pointing.
- Repeat or respond to the sounds or responses your baby makes.
- Your baby will enjoy looking at their favourite books again and again.
- Don't read for too long, notice your baby's responses and stop when they've had enough.

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