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Adult: Find the letter M.

Child: I see the letter M on the McDonald's sign.

Adult: Find the letter X.

Child: I see the letter X on the Exit sign.

#### I SEE SOMETHING (Skill: Beginning sound)

Adult: I see something that starts with the /s/ sound

Child: Is it a semi-truck?

Adult: I like your thinking. It is a semi-truck. Look for

something else that starts with the /s/ sound.

Child: Is it a street sign?

Adult: Yes, it is.

\*Repeat\*

# I SEE SOMETHING (Skill: Rhyme)



Adult: I see something that rhymes with right.

Child: Is it light? Adult: It is! \*Repeat\*



#### **ROBOT TALK** (Skill: Blending sounds)

Adult: I am going to tell you a word but I am going to talk like a robot. When you know the word I'm saying,

shout it out. Ready? /R/ - /OA/ - /D/

Child: Road!

Adult: Great! Here's the next one ... /G/- /A/ - /S/

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