Hello Jemima! introduces very young children to Jemima Puddle-Duck, one of Beatrix Potter’s most delightful characters. Children will love learning about Jemima as she quacks, dives, swims and flies through her farmyard world. The contemporary artwork and gentle rhyme will make this a firm favourite with today's parents and their babies.

Hello Jemima!
Jemima flaps,
Jemima quacks,
Jemima pecks the ground for snacks.
In the pond she ducks and dives,
In the sky she glides and flies.
But what Jemima loves the best...
Is keeping her ducklings warm in their nest!

Helps your baby begin to connect different words with actions by joining in with the actions and sounds as you say the words. Flap, quack, peck, dive, glide and finish with a cuddle.

Your baby will love watching and copying the actions when you sing songs and say rhymes together! For more ideas visit Tiny Happy People www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/singing-songs-with-actions/zvxxmfr

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Fun things to do!

Bath time. Use a toy duck to dive under the water just like Jemima in the story. Pour, splash and have fun. Chat as you wash and repeat words so that your little one has the chance to connect what you’re saying and doing.

For more bath time fun visit Tiny Happy People www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/bathtime-learning/z6t2mfr

Visit a pond to see the real ducks and ducklings. Getting out and about is a great way to introduce your baby to new sights and sounds. And with so many things to catch their eye, there's lots of words for them to learn. Talk to them about all of the things that they focus on while you're out on your next walk.

Making ten minutes a day to share books with your child will make a huge difference to their development

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