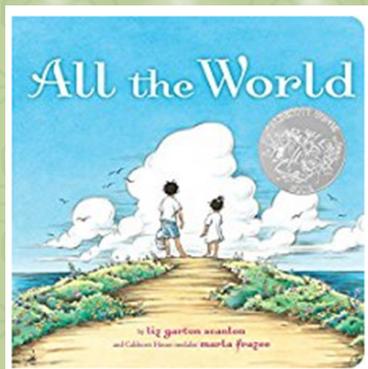


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# BOOK NOOKS



## All the World

*All the World* follows families and people throughout a day, including a trip to the beach, the farmer's market, and apple picking. The characters have lots of fun experiences including spending time with their large family. This book demonstrates secure attachment and loving relationships.

**Title:** All the World (board book)

**Author:** Liz Garton Scanlon

**Illustrator:** Marla Frazee

**Publisher:** NY: Little Simon, Simon & Schuster

**Date published:** 2015

### Social and emotional skills infants and toddlers can learn through this book:

Reading this book with young children will help them discover and investigate what loving and securely attached relationships can look like. Children will hear positive words of value and worth.

### Social and emotional words this book can emphasize:

together, fun, happy, disappointed, sad, sleepy, hungry, joyful, curious, peaceful, calm.

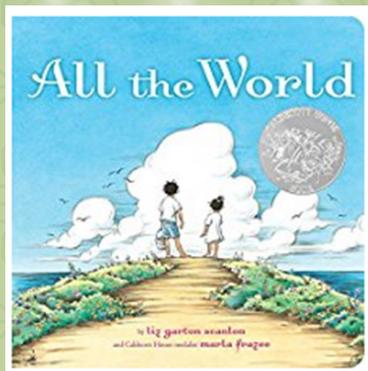
### Activities to do while reading the book that will help promote social and emotional development:

- During and after reading the book, engage children in conversations about what the people in the pictures are doing together. Highlight how people enjoy having company and people to do things with.
- Discuss how the characters in the book may be feeling. Call attention to their facial expressions and link them with their feelings: "The people cooking have big smiles on their faces, they must really enjoy spending time together baking."
- Talk with children about some of the things they like to do with others. If children are not able to verbalize an answer, you can add information for them: "Alden, you seem to have a large smile on your face when Michael sits next to you and plays with trucks. I think you seem happy to play next to him."

### Fun for Everyone! Activities to promote social and emotional development throughout the day:

- Talk with children about what they like to do with their families. When appropriate, try to incorporate these activities into programming. For example, you can add the materials to do the activities they like to do with their families into play areas, or set up special small group activities of the things they like to do.
- Ask families to bring in pictures from home. Hang them up as collages or make books with them. Allow children to have some special things from home in the environment.
- Ask families about the foods they eat at home. Ask them to share some healthy snack recipes and then make them and eat them together.
- Encourage children to have fun with each other. Set up activities that encourage at least two children to do something together. Try using a small parachute for the children to hold on to and bounce a ball together while trying to keep it from falling to the ground.
- Take a discovery walk together and ask the children to point out things they find interesting. Talk with them about what they are interested in, share what you are interested in and enjoy this time together. Having positive and caring relationships at young ages is very important for children to experience. These relationships will model the pleasure of being with people and help children build a foundation for strong and healthy attachment for the rest of their lives.

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