

School Readiness Equals:

Early Academic Readiness Skills **Plus** Learning to Learn Behaviors

Learning to Learn behaviors are the **foundation** for success in school – and in life!

Learning to Learn Behaviors

- Joint attention and social referencing
- Imitation
- Purposeful play with toys
- Social play with peers
- Functional communication
- Self-regulation
- Problem Solving

Early Academic Readiness Skills

- Numeracy skills
- Knowledge of shapes and colors
- ID and label letters
- Matching and sorting
- Manipulate crayons, scissors glue sticks, etc.
- Basic phonemic awareness
- Early literacy and print awareness

*The most important school readiness skill is knowing **HOW** to learn!*