



BOOK TITLE: Dimity Duck
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SUMMARY OF BOOK: Dimity Duck waddles and toddles through her day of play with her friend Frumity frog. The bubbles and babbles, giggles and wiggles, the sun-up to sun-down of Dimity Duck and her adventures gently winds down to “Good night, Dimity.”

***BEFORE READING** (Ask questions and use what the child already knows to add to the discussion, assisting the child in understanding and enjoying the book):

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| 1. Together with your child, look at the book cover. Talk about the cute little duck. | 2. Tell your child the title and author of the book. |
| | 3. Look through the book together and talk about each picture. |

DURING READING:

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| 1. As you read, talk about the story and the illustrations. Ask, “Can you find the _____ in the book?” (Fill in the name of an animal in the book.) | 3. “What colors are the frog? The duck?” as you point. |
| 2. “What sound does the _____ make?” | 4. “What does the duck do when she wakes up?” |

AFTER READING (activity to extend book experience):

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| 1. Play with bubbles and babble. Dance, giggle, and wiggle like Dimity and Frumity. | the ducks and put them in patterns. |
| 2. Give your child a basket with rubber ducks. She can count, hide, separate | 3. At bed time, have her fluff her pillow and give a big snore! |

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