

# Storytime Activity Guide

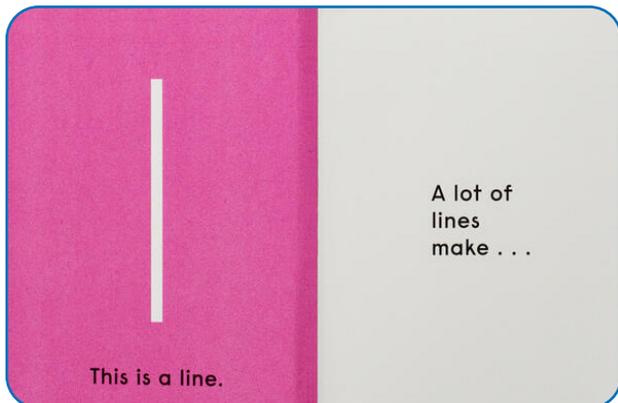
## *My First Book of Patterns*

by Bobby & June George

Have you learned your colors and shapes? Now it's time to learn patterns! What do you call a lot of lines together, one after the other? What about a lot of circles together? Let's explore common patterns together and learn their names.

### Did you know?

A good foundation in **early math** prepares children for "math thinking," and for later academic success. Early Math includes number sense, classifications and patterning, measurement, mathematical reasoning, and geometry (shapes). While reading *My First Book of Patterns*, practice counting together, identify shapes and point out patterns. Use relational language (bigger, smaller, close, far) to develop your child's early math skills.



### Words to Practice

#### MATH WORDS

Colors  
Shapes  
Patterns

### Talk about it!

What colors do you see?

What objects do you see in the book?

Do you see those same shapes or patterns in your space?

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