Get in the habit of **asking questions** – reading isn’t passive.

When you are out and about, even without a book, learn to ask your kids questions. It’s important to engage those growing brains!

**Look up at the sky**, the clouds are above and have so much to teach.

Here are some sample questions to help build your children’s interests:

1. **What’s in the sky?**
   
2. **What does that cloud look like to you?**
   
3. **What kind of cloud is that?**
   Learn the names of the major types of clouds:
   - **Cirrus** — thin and wispy.
   - **Cumulus** — puffy and cotton-like.
   - **Stratus** — high blanket clouds that signal the likely coming of rain.
   - **Nimbus** — dark gray clouds that bring rain and booming thunderstorms.

4. **What makes up the clouds?**

5. **How do clouds float?**

If you want a great book to share with a young mind, try *Cloudette* by Tom Lichtenheld.