

# Taking the pressure off



It doesn't matter if he can't hold a pencil yet.

It doesn't matter if he can't write his name yet.

It doesn't matter if he can't read books yet.

It doesn't matter if he can't draw a recognisable picture yet.

It doesn't matter if he can't recognise letters of the alphabet yet.

But it would help if he developed fine motor skills.

But it would help if he recognised his name.

But it would help if he were read to. If he was excited by stories, he could retell stories and join in with chants from familiar stories.

But it would help if he used materials to draw circles and lines.

But it would help if help if he can hear the initial letter sound in words.

