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- **This week's academic vocabulary word is ASSIST.** Here are 2 ways to ASSIST (!) your child in learning the word **ASSIST** 😊
 - ◆ *If you were in your own fairytale and you had to find a mischievous elf or slay a dragon, who would you want to **ASSIST** you? Would you want someone in your family to **ASSIST** you, or a friend? If you could choose a character from another fairy tale to **ASSIST** you, which one would you choose?*
 - ◆ *If you were at a magic show and the magician asked for an **ASSISTANT**, would you volunteer? What do you think you would need to do as a magician's **ASSISTANT**?*
 - *Remind your child that the word **ASSIST** means to help, and an **ASSISTANT** is someone who does the helping, a helper.*
- **How else can you build your child's reading skills through TALK?**
 - Try these questions taken from different TalkOn age groups this week!
 - ◆ *In fairy tales, the kings and queens wear **crowns**. What sound needs to change to make the word **crown** into the word for a color you might use to draw a tree branch? (change the /k/ sound to a /b/ sound) What letters have to change? (change C to B)*
 - ◆ *Think of two fairy tales. Now decide which one seems more **magical** to you, and which seems closer to something that could **happen in real life**.*
 - ◆ *Would you rather listen to a scary story in a **bright** room at the **library** or around a **campfire** in the **woods**? What might be better about being in the library, or about being in the woods?*



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