

## Family Reading Guide for: Lola Plants a Garden by Anna McQuinn

Below are some comments and questions to use when you share this book with your child. Pick a few that interest you and maybe add some of your own! The idea is to enjoy sharing the book with your child and talking about it as you read.

***Explore the story together, talk about it, and most of all have FUN!***

**Note:** Before they first share the book with their child, some people like to put small numbered sticky notes or *very* light pencil markings in the book to tell them what page they are on. It does make it easier to use these questions!

The first page of this book begins with the words Lola loves her book of garden poems.

Pages	Comment/Question
Cover	What do you remember about this book?
1	Lola loves her book of garden poems. What book do you love?
5	How is Lola feeling? How can you tell?
8	What did Lola do to get her garden ready?
11–12	Lola makes many things. What kind of things do you like to create?
15–16	Let's count the bugs on this page together. (7)
19	Lola's friends are coming over. What do we do to get ready if people are coming over?
23	What's happening in this picture?
25	Lola has her own poem at the end. Can we make a poem up about you?
Whole Book	Let's remember what happened in the story. What did Lola do first, next and at the end?