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excerpts from overall home visit

How many nights a week Child B reads before bedtime?

PAR: Well, he practically reads every day because he goes to school, I mean, he attends an after-school program after regular school, then he gets home at 6:00 pm. They are teaching him how to read more¼
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HV1: And when he gets here and has dinner and all that, how many times does he read after he gets home until he goes to bed?

PAR: Well, like I tell the teacher, when he gets home I don't make him read, because like says he gets here late, he gets home at 6:00, has dinner, then he does homework and then he takes a bath and he has no time to read. But he reads practically every day.

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HV1: Okay, more than ten. How nice. Um, how often do you read with the boy.

PAR: Well, since all the books are in English... but I'm there with him. My other son is the one who reads with him, his brother, but I'm there listening to what he reads.

HV1: You are listening to him reading.

PAR: To him reading, yes. Since I can't read to him, and since his brother reads to him and then tells him it's his turn to read¼

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HV1: Uh, how often do you talk to the boy about what he reads?

PAR: I ask him every day what book did he read and what did he do at school, that's what I usually ask him, how did it go in school, and if... what did he learn, and he tells me, "We did this", or "We did that", and I'm always asking.

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HV1: And when he reads his books here during the weekend, do you also ask him about those books he reads?

PAR: Oh, yes. I ask him what was the book about, [0:06:01] and he tells me. And when he tells me, I tell the other boy if that is what he read, if that is correct what he told me, since, as I've told you, I don't understand it. But the boy says that's right, that what he told me was correct.