# Ages 4 years—5 years

Objective: The child can recognize the alphabet after to reading a story and gluing letters to a tree.

# |Materials needed:

"Chicka Chicka Boom Boom" storybook by: Bill Martin (this book is typically at every public library you can check out)

Tree Cutout (printable)

ABC Chart (printable)

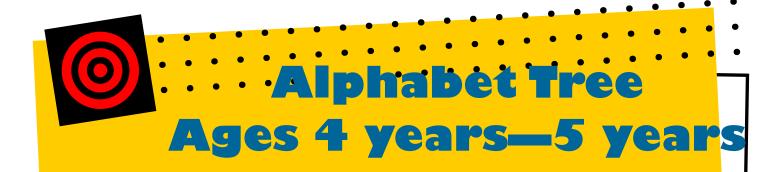
Glue or glue stick

Scissors

### Procedures:

- 1. Sitting in a quiet area, read the storybook with your child.
- 2. Have child sit at a table. You, or your child, will have to pre-cut out all of the letters in chart.
- 3. Give child the tree. Help with glue as necessary.
- 4. Model and show child what you want them to do.

  Put a dot of a glue on the tree, and put one letter on it at a time.
- 5. Have child glue letters on tree, saying each of <a href="them-to-you as they do so">them to you as they do so</a>.



- 6. Do this same thing, until all letters from the chart have been individually glued on the tree, and said by your child.
- 7. Hang it on the refrigerator.

### Milestones to meet:

The child can recognize letters. The child can create using fine-motor skills to squeeze glue. The child can listen to an alphabet story. The child can repeat saying letters.

## **Evaluation:**

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?