



# School-Home Connection

Your child has been reading “On the Job with Dr. Martha Smith.” This story tells about the work a vet does at an animal shelter.

I have tried some of the activities.

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Member: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments/Suggestions: \_\_\_\_\_

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You may want to do some of these activities with your child.

## Words, Words, Words

- Have your child cut out the word cards and read each word.
- Give a clue for each word. Have your child point to the card with that word and read the word aloud. For example, “This word names a number.” (*eight*) “This word is the title of a person.” (*Dr.*)
- Ask your child to make up sentences using the new words.

## Take Care!

Ask your child to tell you about some of the pets in the shelter where Dr. Martha Smith works. Together talk about how people take care of their pets. Choose one pet you have or one pet your child would like to have. Write a list of the things that need to be done to take care of that pet. Have your child draw a picture to go with the list.



### TIME TO READ

Encourage your child to read for at least 30 minutes outside of class each day.

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