

LIT LAB PRODUCTIONS PRESENTS



GROWING A PIZZA

Lit Lab Productions are themed programs where we build literacy skills through reading, talking, writing, singing and playing.

Literacy skills are essential to a child's development and understanding of all aspects of the world, including reading comprehension and lifelong learning.

We want to provide an environment where families work together to develop these skills while having FUN!

For more great literacy resources, check out these websites:

- www.everychildreadytoread.org
- www.cantonpl.org/kids
- www.literacyessentials.org
- www.mel.org/kids
- www.pbskids.org/lab

TAKE-HOME IDEAS

PLAY

- * Build your own pizza oven out of cardboard boxes. Make and “bake” your own pizza in your new pizza oven! How does your oven cook the best pizza ever? Does your oven have any special features? Serve your pizza to your guests, a family member or friend.

TALK

- * What is your favorite pizza topping? Why? Tell a family member, librarian or friend.
- * What kind of garden would you want to grow? What kinds of flowers, fruits, vegetables or herbs would you grow? How would you help your plants grow?

WRITE

- * Write your own pizza recipe.
- * Write a story about making the best, most amazing pizza you can think of.
- * Write a poem or letter to your favorite pizza.
- * Work with a grown up if you can't write yet.

READ

- * Read a book to your new plants.
- * Check out the J635 and J641 in the children's library for books about gardening and cooking.
- * There are many pizza books in the children's library too!

Did you try any of these at home? Feel free to upload a picture or video on social media and tag us using **#cpllitlab** or **@cantonpubliclibrary** and we may repost!