

Anthony's contribution

2 yrs. egocentric talk of child is link between overt and inner speech.
overt is directed to addressee. egocentric speech has no addressee but tolerates or encourages him. pre-sleep speech is a *privatissimum*, only for himself. close to dreams.

truncation, ellipsis. son of Ruth Weir. Lowering of reference, interlacing of metalingual and poetic. sound like language textbook exercises. What color what color blanket what color map what color. it's not black it's yellow not yellow red. where's the blanket there is the light...

big and little. antonyms on the blanket under the blanket too hot not too hot.no *and*, or

hat for Anthony and Bobo for bobo not for anthony hat for anthony.

practices forms of words write always writing smiling, smiling.
can bit, bite, have a bite.

poetic: projects paradigm into syntagm.

sentence frames. articles mark place of absent noun.
anthony take the take the book this is the this is the book that's a that's a that's a kitty

condensed summary of his day.

the poetic *daddy dance* paragraph p. 288

Ruth Weir's *Language in the Crib*, The Hague, 1962.