

Tips for Parents and Caregivers:

Children who are exposed to books and reading before starting school are more likely to be successful students.

- Read to your child every day.
- Ask your child to describe pictures and retell stories that you've read.
- Let your child see you enjoying books.
- Make your reading time together playful, focused and fun.
- Share books on subjects that your child is excited about.

All these titles can be found in our Youth Dept.

KIDS! Color in the star for each book you read. Bring in your completed flyer and get a FREE book!

 **Why Mosquitoes Buzz in People's Ears**
By Verna Aardema

 **Where's My Teddy?**
By Jez Alborough

 **Miss Nelson is Missing!**
By Nancy Allard

 **Happy Birthday, Moon**
By Frank Asch

 **Animals Should Definitely Not Wear Clothing**
By Judi Barrett

 **Madeline**
By Ludwig Bemelmans

 **The Berenstain Bears**
By Stan and Jan Berenstain

 **Clifford, the Big Red Dog**
By Norman Bridwell

 **Goodnight Moon**
By Margaret Wise Brown

 **Beautiful Blackbird**
By Ashley Bryan

 **Hurry! Hurry!**
By Eve Bunting

 **Mike Mulligan and His Steam Shovel**
By Virginia Lee Burton

 **The Very Hungry Caterpillar**
By Eric Carle

 **Hairs/Pelitos**
By Linda Cisneros

 **Miss Rumphius**
By Barbara Cooney

 **Freight Train**
By Donald Crews

 **Strega Nona**
By Tomie DePaola

 **Are You My Mother?**
By P.D. Eastman

 **Eating the Alphabet**
By Lois Ehlert

 **Olivia**
By Ian Falconer

 **Bark, George**
By Jules Feiffer

 **Lunch**
By Denise Fleming

 **Where is the Green Sheep?**
By Mem Fox

 **Corduroy**
By Don Freeman

 **Millions of Cats**
Wanda Gag

 **The Three Billy Goats Gruff**
By Paul Galdone

 **Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse**
By Kevin Henkes

 **Bread and Jam for Frances**
By Russell Hoban

 **Harold and the Purple Crayon**
By Crockett Johnson

 **The Snowy Day**
By Ezra Jack Keats

 **The Carrot Seed**
By Ruth Krauss

 **The Story of Ferdinand**
By Munro Leaf

 **Tacky the Penguin**
By Helen Lester

 **A Color of His Own**
By Leo Lionni

 **Frog and Toad are Friends**
By Arnold Lobel

 **George and Martha**
By James Marshall

 **Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Do You See?**
By Bill Martin

 **There's a Nightmare in My Closet**
By Mercer Mayer

 **Guess How Much I Love You**
By Sam McBratney

 **Make Way for Ducklings**
By Robert McCloskey

 **The Puddle**
By David McPhail

 **Martha Speaks**
By Susan Meddaugh

 **Tomas and the Library Lady**
By Pat Mora

 **Just a Minute: a Trickster Tale and Counting Book**
By Yuyi Morales

 **The Arnold Lobel Book of Mother Goose**
By Mother Goose

 **If You Give a Mouse a Cookie**
By Laura Numeroff

 **It's Okay to Be Different**
By Todd Parr

 **The Little Engine That Could**
By Watty Piper

 **The Tale of Peter Rabbit**
By Beatrix Potter

- ☆ **Read-Aloud Rhymes for the Very Young**
Edited by Jack Prelutsky
- ☆ **Curious George**
By H.A. Rey
- ☆ **Tar Beach**
By Faith Ringgold
- ☆ **We're Going on a Bear Hunt**
By Michael Rosen
- ☆ **Little Pea**
By Amy Krouse Rosenthal
- ☆ **The Great Gracie Chase**
By Cynthia Rylant
- ☆ **Grandfather's Journey**
By Allen Say
- ☆ **The True Story of the 3 Little Pigs**
By John Scieszka
- ☆ **Where the Wild Things Are**
By Maurice Sendak
- ☆ **Green Eggs and Ham**
By Dr. Seuss
- ☆ **It Looked Like Spilt Milk**
By Charles Shaw
- ☆ **Snow**
By Uri Shulevitz
- ☆ **Caps for Sale**
By Esphyr Slobodkina
- ☆ **Sylvester and the Magic Pebble**
By William Steig

- ☆ **Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters**
By John Steptoe
- ☆ **A Tree is Nice**
Janice May Udry
- ☆ **The Polar Express**
By Chris Van Allsburg
- ☆ **Lyle, Lyle Crocodile**
By Bernard Waber
- ☆ **Mouse Paint**
By Ellen Stoll Walsh
- ☆ **Max's ABC**
By Rosemary Wells
- ☆ **Flotsam**
By David Wiesner
- ☆ **Ira Sleeps Over**
By Bernard Waber
- ☆ **Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!**
By Mo Willems
- ☆ **A Chair for My Mother**
By Vera Williams
- ☆ **The Napping House**
By Audrey Wood
- ☆ **How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night?**
By Jane Yolen
- ☆ **Harry the Dirty Dog**
By Gene Zion
- ☆ **Mr. Rabbit and the Lovely Present**
By Charlotte Zolotow

Weekly Storytimes

Wednesday WeePlay
@9:30am
Babies up to age 2
Led by Miss Joyce

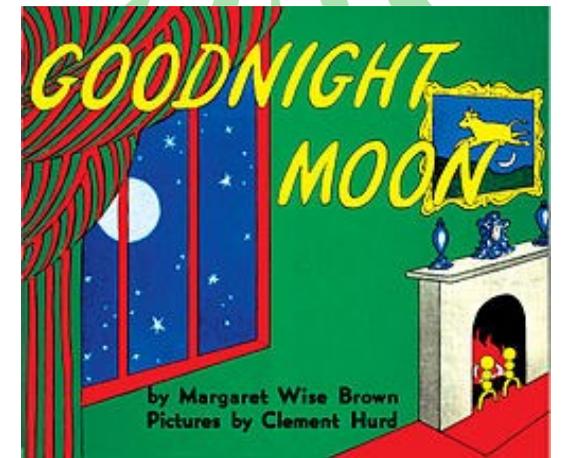
Wednesday
Little Listeners
@10:30am
Children age 2 and up
Led by Miss Constance

Thursday Little Listeners
@10:30am
Children age 2 and up
Led by Miss Constance



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