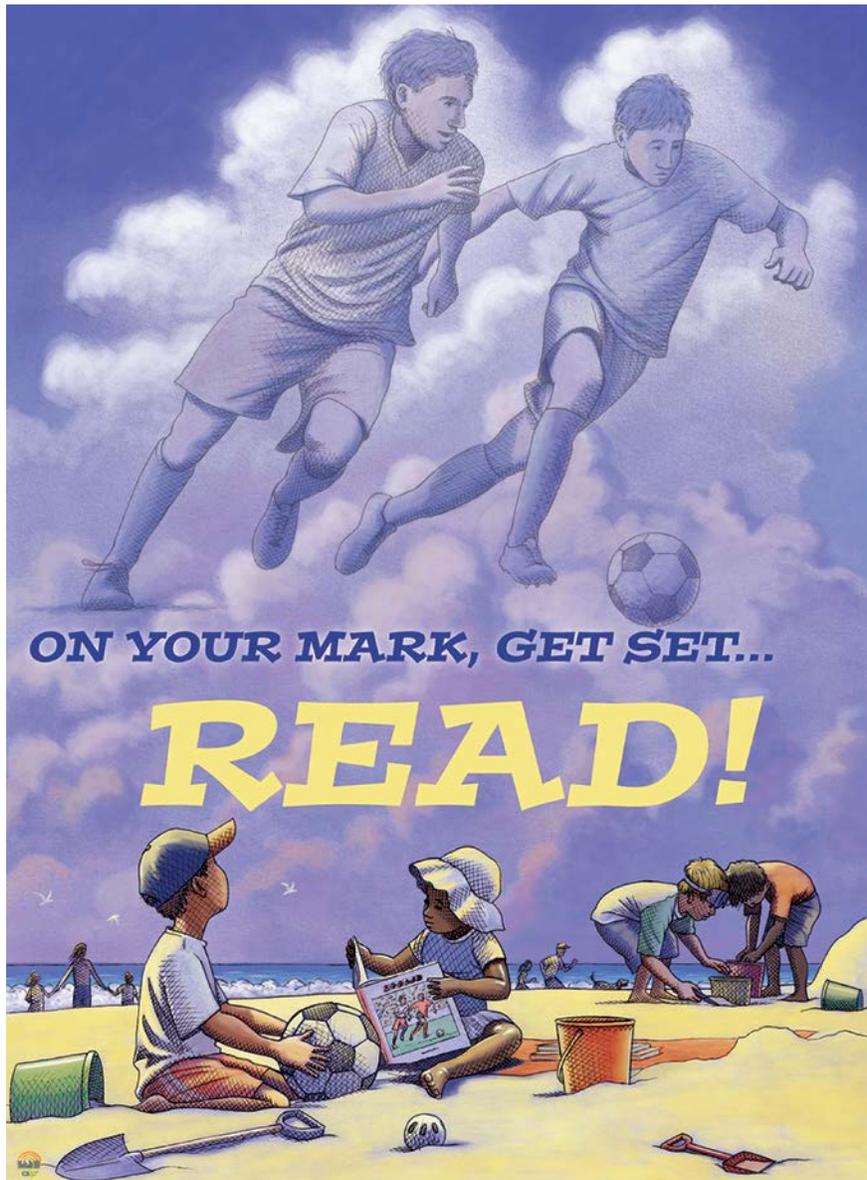


2016 Early Literacy Partner Manual: A Resource for Childcare Providers



New
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 Summer
Reading
AT NEW YORK LIBRARIES



Early Literacy Partner Manual

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**ON YOUR MARK,
GET SET...
READ!**



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Summer Reading at New York Libraries: An Introduction

Summer Reading at New York Libraries is an annual program that brings children and families into local public libraries for reading and activities. **In 2015, 1.99 million New York children, birth to 18 years, participated in the State Library-sponsored program.**

The State Library coordinates the program and works with the 23 public library systems (see Appendixes B and C) throughout the state providing a summer reading theme, promotional materials, a creative idea manual, and state-level support. Materials are created as part of the national Collaborative Summer Library Program (CSLP).



Goals

- Focus on literacy by engaging children and families in reading and reading-related activities during the summer months.
- Foster a love of reading through public library programs and services.
- Increase successful reading experiences through librarian-supported, self-selected, voluntary reading.
- Involve parents, caregivers, and all family members in the library summer reading experience.
- Improve children's access to library materials and activities, which will encourage them to become lifelong readers and library users.

Childcare providers can use this partner manual as an Early Literacy resource when working with young children and families.

2016 Summer Reading



Activities for all at the local public library

Early Literacy - Many public libraries offer a Read-to-Me program, which introduces the summer reading concept to young children. A parent or caregiver reads aloud to the child and keeps a record of their shared reading. All public libraries offer programs and resources for children birth through age 5 and their caregivers and parents.

Families - Young children join the summer reading program with their parents or families. Family participation encourages children to join with a family reading partner. It also encourages visits to the public library as a family activity.

Ready to Read at New York Libraries - In 2013, the New York State Library began conducting research into the need for and the development of a statewide early literacy program for public libraries, caregivers and families. Through *Ready to Read at New York Libraries*, libraries will have more access to early childhood resources to provide to families. Through this program, library staff are trained in providing services to parents and caregivers of young children. Public libraries are working with schools, childcare centers, doctors' offices, and other organizations to reach all families with young children in their communities.

Events and Activities - Performances, craft programs, story times, computer workshops, and author/illustrator visits are some of the programs offered by public libraries during the summer. Childcare providers should check with their local libraries all summer long for reading materials as well as special programs and activities geared toward the young child. Encourage the families in your care to take advantage of their local public library.

Partner with Your Public Library

Begin a partnership with your local public library and bring early literacy resources to the children and families you serve.

- “Find Your Local Library” <http://www.nysl.nysed.gov/libdev/libs/publibs/index.html>
- There are 23 public library systems serving all regions of New York State. Public library youth services experts at each system will be happy to help connect you with your local library and its summer reading program.
 - Map of the 23 Public library Systems (Appendix B)
 - List of Youth Services Early Childhood Consultants for each library system (Appendix C).



Tips for being a public library partner

- Help the children in your childcare facility become familiar with the library and feel comfortable with the library staff:
 - Invite the librarian to visit the childcare facility for a story time.
 - Schedule a special time for your group to visit the library for a program and/or to get materials.
- Ask library staff if they can provide early literacy training for staff at your childcare facility as part of the *Ready to Read at New York Libraries* training program.
- Borrow books to read at your childcare facility. Find out if your local library offers a group library card for the childcare facility.
- Offer to distribute information about the local public library to the families of the children in your facility.
- Encourage all families to get a library card.
- Work with the public library and hold a recognition program for those families who participated in the public library summer reading program.
- Encourage your staff to explore and take advantage of any early literacy professional development offered by your public library or public library system.
- The public library has summer reading artwork and resources that they can share with their partner childcare providers.
- Visit <http://www.summerreadingnys.org> for information, art, and reading related activities for educators, families, and children.

Summer Reading Websites, Resources, Information, and Materials



www.summerreadingnys.org – The official *Summer Reading at New York Libraries* website offers lots of free reading activities, games, links, and suggested reading lists.

- Resources for parents and educators of children birth to five years, including booklists, coloring pages, and signing videos available under the drop down menu “Birth to 5.”
- News about the Summer Reading Program available under the “Summer Reading News” tab and through Tumblr at <https://www.tumblr.com/blog/summerreadingnys>

daybydayny.org - *DaybyDayNY* is a virtual calendar that changes daily, providing activities and a story for families with young children. The website is designed to help parents and caregivers increase their young child’s cognitive skills and have fun together at the same time. The daily story, provided by *One More Story* (<http://www.onemorestory.com/>), is in the form of an eBook that includes original music and sound effects, produced by former Sesame Street Music Director, Robby Merkin. In addition, the website includes monthly activities, storytelling and nursery rhyme videos, rhymes for young children, craft activities for children and their caregivers, a New York State map of museums with activities for families with young children, health information, and reading lists.

www.performersandprograms.com – The Performers and Programs site includes a listing of performers and the programs they offer for libraries, schools, and other organizations serving children.

www.nysl.nysed.gov/libdev/summer – This New York State Library web page contains information and links for librarians, educators, and other professionals on summer reading, summer reading research, and the *Summer Reading at New York Libraries* program.

- There are lots of flyers, posters, and brochures available through the “Downloadable Materials” link, including “Easy Ways to Grow a Great Reader” parent tip-sheet in ten different languages. “Easy Ways to Grow a Great Reader” can also be found in Appendix A.
- The “Explore New York” link offers four reading lists of books, including a list of picture books, and downloadable bookmarks, all focused on New York State.



Great Resources for Young Children

The following resource lists were created by the Collaborative Summer Library Program (CSLP) for use in support of the 2016 Summer Reading Program at public libraries.

1, 2, 3! Numbers



Books

Baker, Keith. *1-2-3 Peas*. Beach Lane Books, 2012. 40 p. (978-1442445512). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Baker, Keith. *Big Fat Hen*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1994. 32 p. (978-0152928698). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Baker, Keith. *Quack and Count*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2004. 24 p. (978-0152050252, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Barnett, Mac. *Count the Monkeys*. Disney- Hyperion, 2013. 32 p. (978-1423160656). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Blechman, Nicholas. *Night Light*. Orchard Books, 2013. 48 p. (978-0545462631). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Boynton, Sandra. *Hippos Go Berserk!* Simon and Schuster Books for Young Readers, 1996. 32 p. (978-0689808548) Appropriate for use with infants.

Browne, Anthony. *One Gorilla: A Counting Book*. Candlewick, 2013. 32 p. (978-0763663520). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Bryant, Megan E. *Countasaurus*. Chronicle Books, 2012. 20 p. (978-1452107479, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Dale, Penny. *Dinosaur Dig!* Nosy Crow, 2011. 32 p. (978-0763658717). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Dodd, Emma. *Dog's Colorful Day: A Messy Story About Colors and Counting*. Puffin Books, 2003. 32 p. (978-0142500194, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Edwards, Pamela Duncan. *Roar! A Noisy Counting Book*. Katherine Tegen Books, 2000. 32 p. (978-0060283841). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Holub, Joan. *Apple Countdown*. Albert Whitman, 2009. 32 p. (978-0807503980). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Katz, Karen. *Counting Kisses*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2001. 32 p. (978-0689834707) Appropriate for use with infants.

Katz, Karen. *Ten Tiny Tickles*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2005. 32 p. (978-0689859762) Appropriate for use with infants.

Lewis, Anthony. *Five Little Ducks*. Childs Play Intl., 2013. 12 p. (978-1846436307, board book) Appropriate for use with infants.

Litwin, Eric. *Pete the Cat and His Four Groovy Buttons*. HarperCollins, 2012. 40 p. (978-0062110589). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Martin, Bill, Jr. *Ten Little Caterpillars*. Beach Lane Books, 2011. 40 p. (978-1442433854). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

McNamara, Margaret. *How Many Seeds in a Pumpkin?* Schwartz & Wade, 2007. 40 p. (978-0375840142). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Morales, Yuyi. *Just a Minute: A Trickster Tale and Counting Book*. Chronicle Books, 2003. 36 p. (978-0811837583). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Murray, Alison. *One Two That's My Shoe!* Disney-Hyperion, 2012. 32 p. (978-1423143291). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Parker, Mary Jessie. *The Deep, Deep Puddle*. Dial Books, 2013. 40 p. (978-0803737655). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Rolli, Jennifer Hansen. *Just One More*. Viking Books for Young Readers, 2014. 40 p. (978-0670015634). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Teckentrup, Britta. *Animal 1 2 3*. Chronicle Books, 2012. 20 p. (978-1452109930). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Thong, Roseanne. *One Is a Drummer: A Book of Numbers*. Amicus, 2014. 40 p. (978-1607535676, lib. bdg.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Williams, Sue. *Let's Go Visiting*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2000. 32 p. (978-0152024107, pap.). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Music/CDs

Greg & Steve. *We All Live Together*. Volume 2. Young Heart Music, 2000. (B00000AG62). Includes the song "The Number Rock." Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Raffi. *Singable Songs for the Very Young: Great with a Peanut-Butter Sandwich*. Rounder, 1998 (B0000003H4). Includes the song “Five Little Frogs.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Reid-Naiman, Kathy. *Zoom Zoom Cuddle and Croon*. CD Baby, 2012 (B001OFM1HU). Includes the song “Zoom, Zoom, Zoom.” Appropriate for use with infants.

Web Resources

Jbrary: Bubble, Bubble, Pop! www.youtube.com/watch?v=60RRRq4dJ58 Appropriate for use with toddlers.

King County Library System: Five Little Babies. <http://tmas.kcls.org/five-little-babies/> Appropriate for use with infants.

King County Library System: Head and Shoulders Baby. <http://tmas.kcls.org/head-and-shoulders-baby/> Appropriate for use with infants.

Lit2Go: Counting and Math Rhymes: Uno, Dos, y Tres. <http://etc.usf.edu/lit2go/66/counting-and-math-rhymes/4993/uno-dos-y-tres> Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Read Sing Play: Bouncing, Bouncing. <http://klmpeace.wordpress.com/rhymes-for-baby-and-toddler-storytimes/#44> Appropriate for use with infants.

StoryBlocks: Dos Manitas, Diez Deditos. www.storyblocks.org/videos/dos-manitas-diez-deditos Appropriate for use with infants.



Back to Nature



Books

Barnett, Mac. *Sam and Dave Dig a Hole*. Candlewick, 2014. 40 p. (978-0763662295).
Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Berkes, Marianne. *Over in the Ocean: In a Coral Reef*. Dawn, 2004. 36 p. (978-1584690634).
Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Boyd, Lizi. *Flashlight*. Chronicle Books, 2014. 40 p. (978-1452118949). Appropriate for use
with toddlers.

Brown, Peter. *Mr. Tiger Goes Wild*. Little, Brown, 2013. 48 p. (978-0316200639). Appropriate
for use with preschoolers.

Carle, Eric. *Eric Carle's All Around Us*. Grosset & Dunlap, 2013. 14 p. (978-0448477848).
Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Casanova, Mary. *One-Dog Canoe*. Square Fish, 2009. 32 p. (978-0312561185, pap.).
Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Cole, Henry. *Big Bug*. Little Simon, 2014. 32 p. (978-1442498976). Appropriate for use with
toddlers.

Cousins, Lucy. *Maisy Goes Camping*. Candlewick, 2009. 32 p. (978-0763643683, pap.).
Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Ehlert, Lois. *Waiting for Wings*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2001. 40 p. (978-
0152026080). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Fleming, Denise. *In the Tall, Tall Grass*. Square Fish, 1995. 32 p. (978-0805039412, pap.).
Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Gal, Susan. *Into the Outdoors*. Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2011. 40 p. (978-0375869587).
Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Genechten, Guido Van. *The Big Woods Orchestra*. Clavis, 2012. 24 p. (978-1605371139).
Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Gibson, Amy. *Split! Splat!* Scholastic Press, 2012. 32 p. (978-0439587532). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Haughton, Chris. *Shh! We Have a Plan.* Candlewick, 2014. 40 p. (978-0763672935). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Henkes, Kevin. *Birds.* Greenwillow Books, 2009. 32 p. (978-0061363047). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Isadora, Rachel. *There Was a Tree.* Nancy Paulsen Books, 2012. 32 p. (978-0399257414). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Martin, Bill, Jr., and John Archambault. *Listen to the Rain.* Henry Holt, 1988. 32 p. (978-0805006827). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Matheson, Christie. *Tap the Magic Tree.* Greenwillow Books, 2013. 40 p. (978-0062274458). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Na, Il Sung. *A Book of Babies.* Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2014. 24 p (978-0385752909). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Reid, Barbara. *Picture a Tree.* Albert Whitman, 2013. 32 p. (978-0807565261). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Sherry, Kevin. *I'm the Biggest Thing in the Ocean.* Dial Books, 2007. 32 p. (978-0803731929). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Swinburne, Stephen R. *What Color Is Nature?* Boyds Mills Press, 2002. 32 p. (978-1590780084, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Trapani, Iza. *The Bear Went over the Mountain.* Sky Pony Press, 2012. 32 p. (978-1616085100). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Wargin, Kathi-jo. *Scare a Bear.* Sleeping Bear Press, 2010. 32 p. (978-1585364305). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Williams, Karen. *A Beach Tail.* Boyds Mills Press. 2010. 32 p. (978-1590787120). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Williams, Sue. *I Went Walking.* HMH Books for Young Readers, 1990. 32 p. (978-0152004712). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Wolff, Ashley. *Baby Bear Sees Blue.* Beach Lane Books, 2012. 40 p. (978-1442413061). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Music/CDs

Rosenthal, Phil. *The Green Grass Grew All Around*. CD Baby, 1995 (B000008RK1). Includes the song “The Green Grass Grew All Around.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Web Resources

King County Library System: I’m Bringing Home a Baby Bumblebee.

<http://tmas.kcls.org/imbringing-home-a-baby-bumblebee/> Appropriate for use with toddlers.



All About You



Books

Ada, Alma Flor. *I Love Saturdays y Domingos*. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2002. 32 p. (978-0689318191). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Allen, Kathryn Madeline. *A Kiss Means I Love You*. Albert Whitman, 2012. 24 p. (978-0807541869). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Arnold, Tedd. *Parts*. Dial Books, 1997. 32 p. (978-0803720404). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Asim, Jabari. *Whose Toes Are Those?* LB Kids, 2006. 11 p. (978-0316736091, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Baicker, Karen. *I Can Do It Too!* Chronicle Books, 2010. 18 p. (978-0811875608, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Bauer, Marion Dane. *Toes, Ears, and Nose!* Little Simon, 2003. 16 p. (978-0689847127, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Beaumont, Karen. *I Ain't Gonna Paint No More!* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2005. 32 p. (978-0152024888). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Boynton, Sandra. *Belly Button Book*. Workman, 2005. 24 p. (978-0761137993, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Campbell, Scott. *Hug Machine*. Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2014. 40 p. (978-1442459359). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Carle, Eric. *From Head to Toe*. HarperCollins, 1997. 32 p. (978-0590222020). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Carle, Eric. *The Mixed-Up Chameleon*. HarperCollins, 1984. 40 p. (978-0690043969). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Chodos-Irvine, Margaret. *Ella Sarah Gets Dressed*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2003. 40 p. (978-0152164133). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Davick, Linda. *I Love You, Nose! I Love You, Toes!* Beach Lane Books, 2013. 32 p. (978-1442460379). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Denchfield, Nick. *Charlie Chick*. Pan Macmillan, 2014. 14 p. (978-1447257646). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Fox, Mem. *Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2008. 40 p. (978-0152060572). Appropriate for use with infants.

Harrington, Tim. *This Little Piggy*. Balzer + Bray, 2013. 32 p. (978-0062218087). Appropriate for use with infants.

Herthel, Jessica, and Jazz Jennings. *I Am Jazz*. Dial Books, 2014. 32 p. (978-0803741072). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Hulbert, Laura. *Who Has These Feet?* Henry Holt, 2011. 44 p. (978-0805089073). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Katz, Karen. *The Colors of Us*. Henry Holt, 1999. 28 p. (978-0805058642). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Katz, Karen. *Counting Kisses*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2001. 32 p. (978-0689834707). Appropriate for use with infants.

Katz, Karen. *Where Is Baby's Belly Button?* Little Simon, 2000. 14 p. (978-0689835605, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Kubler, Annie. *Head, Shoulders, Knees, and Toes ...* Childs Play Intl., 2002. 12 p. (978-0859537285, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Markes, Julie. *Good Thing You're Not an Octopus!* HarperCollins, 2001. 40 p. (978-0060284657). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Miller, Margaret. *Baby Faces*. Little Simon, 2009. 14 p. (978-1416978879, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Parr, Todd. *It's Okay to Be Different*. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2001. 32 p. (978-0316666039). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Pitzer, Marjorie W. *I Can, Can You?* Woodbine House, 2004. 16 p. (978-1890627577, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Walsh, Melanie. *My Nose, Your Nose*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2002. 32 p. (978-0618150779). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Wood, Don, and Audrey Wood. *Piggies*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1995. 32 p. (978-0152002176, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Web Resources

StoryBlocks: Wake Up Toes. www.storyblocks.org/videos/wake-up-toes Appropriate for use with infants.

Dance, Dance, Dance!



Books

Ajmera, Maya, Elise Hofer Derstine, and Cynthia Pon. *Music Everywhere!* Charlesbridge, 2014. 32 p. (978-1570919367). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Andreae, Giles. *Giraffes Can't Dance*. Orchard Books, 2001. 32 p. (978-0439287197). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Beaumont, Karen. *Baby Danced the Polka*. Dial Books, 2004. 32 p. (978-0803725874). Appropriate for use with infants.

Boynton, Sandra. *Barnyard Dance!* Workman, 2011. 22 p. (978-0761166160, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Boynton, Sandra. *Moo, Baa, La La La!* Little Simon, 1982. 14 p. (978-0671449018, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Braun, Sebastien. *Meeow and the Pots and Pans*. Boxer Books, 2012. 26 p. (978-1907152917, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Craig, Lindsey. *Dancing Feet!* Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2010. 40 p. (978-0375861819). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Emberley, Rebecca, and Ed Emberley. *If You're a Monster and You Know It*. Orchard Books, 2010. 32 p. (978-0545218290). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Feierabend, John M. *The Book of Songs and Rhymes with Beat Motions: Let's Clap Our Hands Together*. Gia, 2004. 142 p. (978-1579992675, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Graves, Keith. *Frank Was a Monster Who Wanted to Dance*. Chronicle Books, 2006. 32 p. (978-0811854528). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Howe, James. *Brontorina*. Candlewick, 2010. 32 p. (978-0763644376). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Idle, Molly. *Flora and the Flamingo*. Chronicle Books, 2013. 44 p. (978-1452110066). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

- Isadora, Rachel. *Bea at Ballet*. Nancy Paulsen Books, 2012. 32 p. (978-0399254093). Appropriate for use with toddlers.
- Johnson, Angela. *Violet's Music*. Dial Books, 2004. 32 p. (978-0803727403). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Katz, Karen. *Shake It Up, Baby!* Little Simon, 2009. 14 p. (978-1416967378, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.
- Lowery, Linda. *Twist with a Burger, Jitter with a Bug*. MaxBooks, 2008. 36 p. (978-0981511221). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Manning, Maurie J. *Kitchen Dance*. Clarion Books, 2008. 32 p. (978-0618991105). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Marsalis, Wynton. *Squeak, Rumble, Whomp! Whomp! Whomp! A Sonic Adventure*. Candlewick, 2012. 40 p. (978-0763639914). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Martin, Bill, Jr., and John Archambault. *Barn Dance!* Perfection Learning, 1988. 32 p. (978-0812468922). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Millman, Isaac. *Moses Goes to a Concert*. Square Fish, 2002. 40 p. (978-0374453664, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Schofield-Morrison, Connie. *I Got the Rhythm*. Bloomsbury USA Children's, 2014. 32 p. (978-1619631786). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Strom, Maria Diaz. *Rainbow Joe and Me*. Lee & Low Books, 1999. 32 p. (978-1584300502, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.
- Taylor, Ann. *Baby Dance*. HarperFestival, 1998. 16 p. (978-0694012060, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.
- Walsh, Ellen Stoll. *Hop Jump*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1996. 32 p. (978-0152013752, pap.). Appropriate for use with toddlers.
- Wheeler, Lisa. *Jazz Baby*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2007. 40 p. (978-0152025229). Appropriate for use with infants.
- Wilson, Karma. *Hilda Must Be Dancing*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2004. 32 p. (978-0689847882). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Music/CDs

Babypants, Caspar. *More Please!* Aurora Elephant Music, 2010 (B0038AMYJ4). Includes the song "Run Baby Run." Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Babypants, Caspar. *This Is Fun!* Aurora Elephant Music, 2010 (B004BO8I5U). Includes the songs “Baby’s Getting Up” and “Bounce Your Baby.” Appropriate for use with infants.

Berkner, Laurie. Buzz Buzz. Two Tomatoes, 2001 (B00004S36S). Includes the song “I Really Love to Dance.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Berkner, Laurie. *Whaddaya Think of That?* Two Tomatoes, 2001 (B00004SR1J). Includes the songs “We Are the Dinosaurs”, “I Know a Chicken,” and “The Airplane Song.” Appropriate for use with toddlers and preschoolers.

Darin, Bobby. *Bobby Darin: The Hit Singles Collection.* Elektra/Wea, 2002 (B0000634HG). Includes the song “Splish Splash.” Appropriate for use with infants.

Gill, Jim. *Jim Gill Sings Moving Rhymes for Modern Times.* Jim Gill Music, 2006 (B000FKOZRO). Includes the song “Jump Up, Turn Around.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Gill, Jim. *Jim Gill Sings the Sneezing Song and Other Contagious Tunes.* Jim Gill Music, 1993 (B000FKOZQU). Includes the song “Silly Dance Contest.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Greg & Steve. *Kids in Motion.* Youngheart, 1998 (B00000AG63). Includes the song “The Freeze.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Litwin, Eric, and Michael Levine. *Bouncy Blue from the Learning Groove.* CD Baby, 2010 (B000QP53BQ). Includes the song “Shake with You.” Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Litwin, Eric, and Michael Levine. *Outrageous Orange from the Learning Groove.* CD Baby, 2010 (B000QP53KM). Includes the song “Mr. Eric’s Jumping Song.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Shukla, Patty. *Roar Like a Lion!* Shukla Music, 2011 (B006QPL6VU). Includes the song “Shake and Move.” Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Various artists. *Playhouse Disney: Imagine and Learn with Music.* Walt Disney Records, 2005 (B000AA4MJA). Includes the song “The Twirl.” Appropriate for use with infants.

Zanes, Dan, and Friends. *Catch That Train!* Festival Five Records, 2006. (B000EXZ2JW). Includes the song “Let’s Shake.” Appropriate for use with infants.

Web Resources

StoryBlocks: Baby Hop. www.storyblocks.org/videos/baby-hop Appropriate for use with infants and toddlers.

Yummy!



Books

Ayres, Katherine. *Up, Down, and Around*. Candlewick, 2008. 32 p. (978-0763640170, pap.). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Border, Terry. *Peanut Butter & Cupcake!* Philomel Books, 2014. 32 p. (978-0399167737). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Carle, Eric. *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*. Philomel Books, 1986. 32 p. (978-0399213014, miniature ed.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Falwell, Cathryn. *Feast for 10*. Clarion Books, 1993. 32 p. (978-0395620373). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Fleming, Denise. *Lunch*. Square Fish, 1996. 32 p. (978-0805046465, pap.). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Gill, Jim. *A Soup Opera*. Jim Gill, 2009. 32 p. (978-0981572109, book and CD). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Gravett, Emily. *Orange Pear Apple Bear*. Simon and Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2007. 32 p. (978-1416939993). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Hart, Caryl. *The Princess and the Pea*. Nosy Crow, 2013. 32 p. (978-0763665326). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Kubler, Annie. *Pat-a-Cake!* Childs Play Intl., 2010. 12 p. (978-1846433382, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

McElroy, Jean. *It's Harvest Time!* Little Simon, 2010. 14 p. (978-1442403529, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Miller, Margaret. *Baby Food*. Little Simon, 2009. 14 p. (978-1416989967, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

O'Connell, Rebecca. *The Baby Goes Beep*. Albert Whitman, 2010. 16 p. (978-0807505083, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Park, Linda Sue. *Bee-bim Bop!* Clarion Books, 2005. 32 p. (978-0618265114). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Patricelli, Leslie. *Yummy Yucky*. Candlewick, 2003. 24 p. (978-0763619503, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Pitzer, Marjorie W. *I Like Berries, Do You?* Woodbine House, 2013. 14 p. (978-1606131831, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Pizzoli, Greg. *The Watermelon Seed*. Disney-Hyperion, 2013. 40 p. (978-1423171010). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Riley, Linnea. *Mouse Mess*. Blue Sky Press, 1997. 32 p. (978-0590100489). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Rosenthal, Amy Krouse. *Little Pea*. Chronicle Books, 2005. 36 p. (978-0811846585). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Sayre, April Pulley. *Go, Go, Grapes! A Fruit Chant*. Beach Lane Books, 2012. 32 p. (978-1442433908). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Sayre, April Pulley. *Rah, Rah, Radishes! A Vegetable Chant*. Beach Lane Books, 2011. 32 p. (978-1442421417). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Seeger, Laura Vaccaro. *Lemons Are Not Red*. Roaring Brook Press, 2004. 32 p. (978-1596430082). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Tolstoy, Aleksei. *The Gigantic Turnip*. Barefoot Books, 2009. 40 p. (978-1846862984, book and CD). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Verdick, Elizabeth. *Mealtime*. Free Spirit, 2011. 24 p. (978-1575423661, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Wilson, Karma. *Bear Wants More*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2003. 40 p. (978-0689845093). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Wilson, Karma. *A Frog in the Bog*. Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2003. 32 p. (978-0689840814). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Wood, Don, and Audrey Wood. *The Little Mouse, the Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear*. Child's Play, 1997. 32 p. (978-0859531825). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Yolen, Jane. *How Do Dinosaurs Eat Their Food?* Blue Sky Press, 2005. 40 p. (978-0439241021). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Music/CDs

Berkner, Laurie. *Victor Vito*. Two Tomatoes, 2001 (B00004S36U). Includes the song "Fruit Salad Salsa." Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Web Resources

StoryBlocks: Acka Backa Soda Cracker. www.storyblocks.org/videos/194 Appropriate for use with infants.

Let's Play



Books

Ajmera, Maya, and John D. Ivanko. *Come Out and Play*. Charlesbridge, 2001. 32 p. (978-1570913860, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Barrett, Mary Brigid. *Pat-a-Cake*. Candlewick, 2014. 16 p. (978-0763643584, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Bromley, Nick. *Open Very Carefully: A Book with Bite*. Nosy Crow, 2013. 32 p. (978-0763661632). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Brown, Marc. *Marc Brown's Playtime Rhymes: A Treasury for Families to Learn and Play Together*. Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2013. 48 p. (978-0316207355). Appropriate for use with infants.

Delacre, Lulu. *Arrorró, mi niño: Latino Lullabies and Gentle Games*. Lee & Low Books, 2004. 32 p. (978-1600604416, pap.). Appropriate for use with infants.

Gibbs, Edward. *I Spy on the Farm*. Templar, 2013. 32 p. (978-0763664312). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Gomi, Taro. *Wiggle!* Chronicle Books, 2013. 16 p. (978-1452108360, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Gravett, Emily. *Monkey and Me*. Simon and Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2008. 32 p. (978-1416954576). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Hacohen, Dean, and Sherry Scharschmidt. *Tuck Me In!* Candlewick, 2010. 40 p. (978-0763647285). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Harrison, Kenny. *Hide and Seek Harry at the Beach*. Candlewick, 2014. 20 p. (978-0763666033, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Hoffman, Sarah, and Ian Hoffman. *Jacob's New Dress*. Albert Whitman, 2014, 32 p. (978-0807563731). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Kubler, Annie. *Play Time, Puppy!* Child's Play Intl., 2010. 12 p. (978-1846432897, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

LaRochelle, David. *It's a Tiger!* Chronicle Books, 2012. 36 p. (978-0811869256). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Light, Steve. *Have You Seen My Dragon?* Candlewick, 2004. 48 p. (978-0763666484). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

McDonnell, Patrick. *A Perfectly Messed-Up Story.* Little, Brown Books for Young Readers, 2014. 40 p. (978-0316222587). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Morales, Yuyi. *Niño Wrestles the World.* Roaring Brook Press, 2013. 36 p. (978-1596436046). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Nikola-Lisa, W. *Bein' with You This Way.* Lee & Low Books, 1994. 32 p. (978-1880000052). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Novak, B.J. *The Book with No Pictures.* Dial Books, 2014. 48 p. (978-0803741713). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

O'Connell, Rebecca. *Baby Parade.* Albert Whitman, 2013. 24 p. (978-0807505090). Appropriate for use with infants.

Patricelli, Leslie. *Higher! Higher!* Candlewick, 2010. 30 p. (978-0763644338, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Portis, Antoinette. *Not a Box.* HarperCollins, 2006. 32 p. (978-0061123221). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Portis, Antoinette. *Not a Stick.* HarperCollins, 2007. 32 p. (978-0061123252). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Reynolds, Peter H. *Ish.* Candlewick, 2004. 32 p. (978-0763623449). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Saltzberg, Barney. *Beautiful Oops!* Workman, 2010. 28 p. (978-0761157281). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Thomas, Isabel. *Alphabet Fun: Making Letters with Your Body.* Heinemann, 2014. 32 p. (978-1432988036, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Thomas, Jan. *Is Everyone Ready for Fun?* Beach Lane Books, 2011. 40 p. (978-1442423640). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Tullet, Herve. *The Game of Finger Worms.* Phaidon Press, 2011. 14 p. (978-0714860718, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Tullet, Hervé. *Mix It Up!* Chronicle Books, 2014. 56 p. (978-1452137353). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Tullet, Hervé. *Press Here*. Chronicle Books, 2011. 56 p. (978-0811879545). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Web Resources

King County Library System: A Tooty Ta Ta. <http://tmas.kcls.org/a-tooty-ta-ta/> Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

King County Library System: Bubblegum. <http://tmas.kcls.org/bubblegum/> Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Mother Goose Club Playhouse: A Ram Sam Sam. www.youtube.com/watch?v=bqy04XL3j4s Appropriate for use with toddlers.

StoryBlocks: Ram Sam Sam. www.storyblocks.org/videos/ram-sam-sam Appropriate for use with toddlers.



Move It!



Books

Carlson, Nancy. *Get Up and Go!* Perfection Learning, 2008. 32 p. (978-0756989224). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Cronin, Doreen. *Bounce.* Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2007. 40 p. (978-1416916277). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Cronin, Doreen. *Stretch.* Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2009. 40 p. (978-1416953418). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Cronin, Doreen. *Wiggle.* Atheneum Books for Young Readers, 2005. 40 p. (978-0689863752). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Dewdney, Anna. *Llama Llama Hoppity-Hop.* Viking Books for Young Readers, 2012. 14 p. (978-0670013296, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Fischer, Scott M. *Jump!* Simon and Schuster Books for Young Readers, 2010. 32 p. (978-1416978848). Appropriate for use with infants.

Fleming, Denise. *Shout! Shout It Out!* Henry Holt, 2011. 40 p. (978-0805092370). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Jenkins, Steve, and Robin Page. *Move!* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2006. 32 p. (978-0618646371). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Kubler, Annie. *If You're Happy and You Know It ...* Childs Play Intl., 2001. 12 p. (978-0859538466). Appropriate for use with infants.

London, Jonathan. *Wiggle Waggle.* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2002. 22 p. (978-0152165888, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

McClure, Nikki. *How to Be a Cat.* Harry N. Abrams, 2013. 40 p. (978-1419705281). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Patricelli, Leslie. *Faster! Faster!* Candlewick, 2013. 30 p. (978-0763662226, board book). Bilingual Spanish/English edition: *Faster! Faster! ¡Más rápido! ¡Más rápido!* Candlewick, 2013. 30 p. (978-0763666118, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Rockwell, Lizzy. *The Busy Body Book: A Kid's Guide to Fitness*. Crown Books for Young Readers, 2004. 40 p. (978-0375822032). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Root, Phyllis. *Flip, Flap, Fly! A Book for Babies Everywhere*. Candlewick, 2009. 32 p. (978-0763631093). Appropriate for use with infants.

Sayre, April Pulley. *If You're Hoppy*. Greenwillow Books, 2011. 40 p. (978-0521633307). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Siminovich, Lorena. *Monkey See, Look at Me!* Dial Books, 2012. 32 p. (978-0803737372). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Smee, Nicola. *Clip-Clop!* Boxer Books, 2007. 26 p. (978-1905417605, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Thompson, Lauren. *Hop, Hop, Jump!* Margaret K. McElderry Books, 2012. 32 p. (978-1416997450). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Won, Brian. *Hooray for Hat!* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2014. 40 p. (978-0544159037). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Yoo, Tae-Eun. *You Are a Lion! And Other Fun Yoga Poses*. Nancy Paulsen Books, 2012. 40 p. (978-0399256028). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Ziefert, Harriet. *Swing! Like a Monkey*. Blue Apple Books, 2011. 12 p. (978-1609050719, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Music/CDs

Greg & Steve. *We All Live Together 2*. Young Heart Music, 2000 (B00000AG62). Includes the song "Listen and Move." Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Janiak, Bill. *Arms Up, Keep Moving*. Kimbo Educational, 2007 (B004K9BP4C). Includes the song "Arms Up!" Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Reid-Naiman, Kathy. *Sally Go Round the Sun*. CD Baby, 2007 (B001LVYLFC). Includes the song "Put One Foot." Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Web Resources

Jbrary: The Elevator Song. www.youtube.com/watch?v=mfrn5_v_eCM Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Nancy Stewart: I'm Hopping Like a Bunny. www.nancymusic.com/Hoppingplay.htm Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Round and Round We Go



Books

Ashman, Linda. *Babies on the Go*. Harcourt Children's Books, 2003. 32 p. (978-0152018948). Appropriate for use with infants.

Barton, Byron. *My Car*. Greenwillow Book, 2001. 40 p. (978-0060296247). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Bee, William. *Digger Dog*. Nosy Crow, 2014. 36 p. (978-0763661625). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Braun, Sebastien. *Meeow and the Big Box*. Boxer Books, 2009. 32 p. (978-1906250867). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Cabrera, Jane. *The Wheels on the Bus*. Holiday House, 2011. 32 p. (978-0823423507). Appropriate for use with infants.

Crews, Donald. *Freight Train*. Greenwillow Books, 2003. 24 p. (978-0688801656). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Dale, Penny. *Dinosaur Zoom!* Nosy Crow, 2013. 32 p. (978-0763664480). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Dewdney, Anna. *Llama Llama Zippity-Zoom*. Viking Books for Young Readers, 2012. 14 p. (978-0670013289, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Garcia, Emma. *Tip Tip Dig Dig*. Boxer Books, 2013. 26 p. (978-1906250829, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Garcia, Emma. *Toot Toot Beep Beep*. Boxer Books, 2013. 26 p. (978-1906250836, board book). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Harper, Charise Mericle. *Go! Go! Go! Stop!* Knopf Books for Young Readers, 2014. 32 p. (978-0375869242). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Hort, Lenny. *The Seals on the Bus*. Henry Holt, 2000. 32 p. (978-0805059526). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Katz, Karen. *The Babies on the Bus*. Henry Holt, 2011. 32 p. (978-0805090116). Appropriate for use with infants.

Katz, Karen. *Zoom, Zoom, Baby!* Little Simon, 2014. 14 p. (978-1442493148, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Lewis, Kevin. *Chugga-Chugga Choo-Choo*. Disney-Hyperion, 1999. 32 p. (978-0786804290). Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Light, Steve. *Diggers Go*. Chronicle Books, 2013. 16 p. (978-1452118642, board book). Appropriate for use with infants.

Liu, Julia. *Gus, the Dinosaur Bus*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013. 32 p. (978-0547905730). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Miller, Heather Lynne. *Subway Ride*. Charlesbridge, 2009. 32 p. (978-1580891110). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Morris, Ann. *On the Go*. Mulberry Books, 1994. 32 p. (978-0688136376, pap.). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Prince, April Jones. *What Do Wheels Do All Day?* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2006. 32 p. (978-0618563074). Bilingual Spanish/English edition: *¿Qué hacen las ruedas todo el día?/What Do Wheels Do All Day?* HMH Books for Young Readers, 2013. 32 p. (978-0547996257, board book). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Shannon, David. *Duck on a Bike*. Blue Sky Press, 2002. 40 p. (978-0439050234). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Shaw, Nancy. *Sheep in a Jeep*. HMH Books for Young Readers, 1986. 32 p. (978-0395411056). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Sturges, Philemon. *I Love Trucks!* HarperCollins, 2001. 32 p. (978-0064437585, pap.). Appropriate for use with infants.

Timmers, Leo. *Bang*. Lerner, 2013. 48 p. (978-1877579189). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Timmers, Leo. *Who Is Driving?* Bloomsbury USA Children's, 2014. 30 p. (978-1619631694, board book). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Willems, Mo. *Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus!* Hyperion Press, 2003. 40 p. (978-0786819881). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Zimmerman, Andrea, and David Clemesha. *Trashy Town*. HarperCollins, 1999. 32 p. (978-0060271398). Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Music/CDs

Berkner, Laurie. *Victor Vito*. Two Tomatoes, 2001 (B00004S36U). Includes the song “The Goldfish.” Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

Raffi. *Singable Songs for the Very Young: Great with a Peanut-Butter Sandwich*. Rounder, 1998 (B0000003H4). Includes the song “Bumping Up and Down.” Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Scruggs, Joe. *Traffic Jams*. Shadow Play Records, 1985 (B002NTP42U). Includes a variety of songs on the theme of transportation. Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Movies/DVDs

To show a film publicly you must obtain public performance rights.

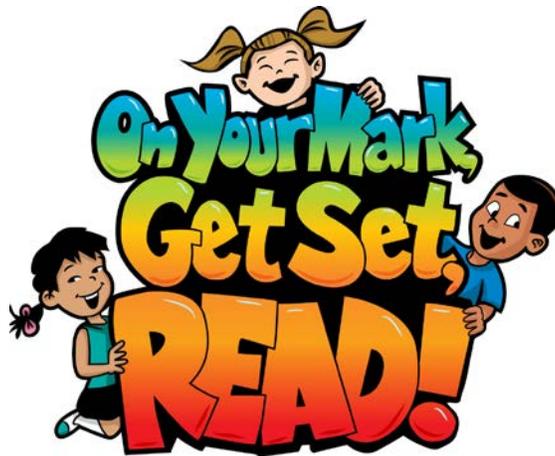
Don't Let the Pigeon Drive the Bus! ... and More Stories by Mo Willems. Scholastic Storybook Treasures, 2010. 49 min. Not rated. Includes three stories. Appropriate for use with toddlers.

Web Resources

Abby the Librarian: Stoplight Sorting. www.abbythelibrarian.com/2013/04/stoplight-sorting.html Appropriate for use with preschoolers.

King County Library System: Mother and Father and Uncle John. <http://tmas.kcls.org/motherand-father-and-uncle-john/> Appropriate for use with infants.

RovingFiddlehead: Flannel Friday: Where Does It Go? Transportation Flannelboard. <http://rovingfiddlehead.com/kidlit/flannel-fridaywhere-does-it-go-transportation-flannelboard> Appropriate for use with preschoolers.



Appendix A: Easy Ways to Grow a Great Reader

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Easy Ways to Grow a Great Reader

Get your child ready to read and to succeed in the school years ahead!

- Read to your child and point out words and pictures. You are your child's first teacher.
- Visit the library every week with the whole family. Everyone gets to pick out their own books.
- Get a library card at your local public library. It's free!
- Sign your child up for Summer Reading at the local public library and enjoy free programs with fun activities, storytelling, crafts and more.
- When your child watches TV, join in and turn on the closed captioning so children see the words as they hear them.
- Talk together and tell stories with your child while cooking dinner, traveling, or shopping. Your child will learn lots of new words and ideas.
- Sing to your child while getting ready for the day or for bed.
- Encourage your child to set up a play library, restaurant, museum or school, complete with books, menus, maps, crayons. Children learn best through play!
- Write lists with your child - grocery lists, birthday present wish lists, or lists of your favorite books.
- Bring a basket of books for reading breaks from the sun, water, sand and all outdoor activities.
- Keep a list on the refrigerator of the books read to your child all year long.
- Read together at bedtime every night!

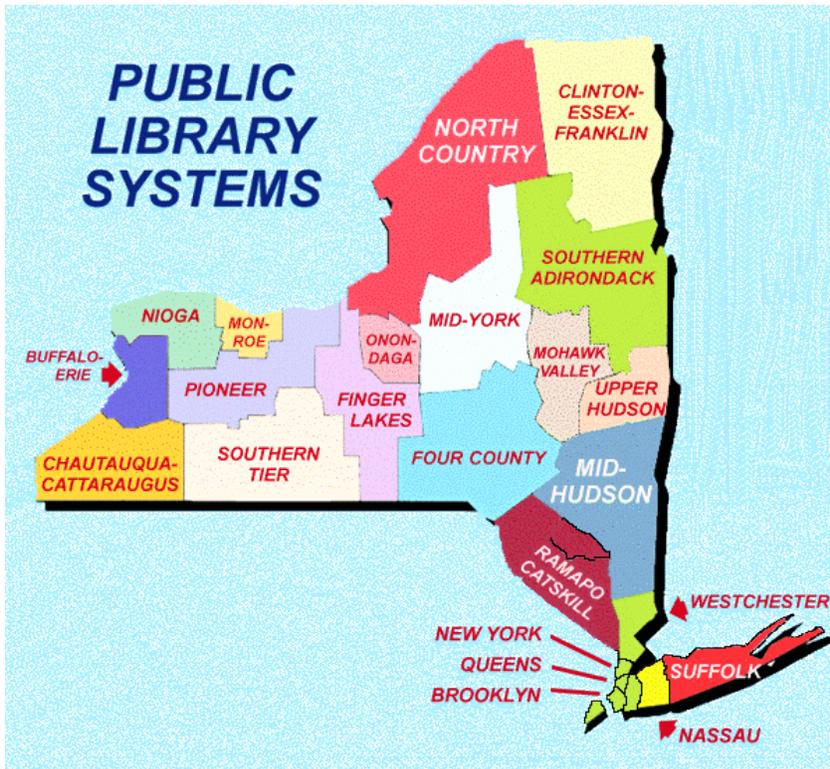


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Appendix B: New York State Public Library Systems



Public Library Systems

This map shows the 23 public library systems serving all regions of New York State.

Each public library system has a youth services expert who can help connect childcare providers with their local public library.

Brooklyn (Kings County)

Buffalo-Erie

Chautauqua-Cattaraugus

Clinton-Essex-Franklin

Finger Lakes (Cayuga, Cortland, Seneca, Tioga, Tompkins counties)

Four County (Broome, Chenango, Delaware, Otsego counties)

Mid-Hudson (Columbia, Dutchess, Greene, Putnam, Ulster [part] counties)

Mid-York (Herkimer, Madison, Oneida counties)

Mohawk Valley (Fulton, Montgomery, Schenectady, Schoharie counties)

Monroe

Nassau

New York (Bronx, New York, Richmond counties)

Nioga (Genesee, Niagara, Orleans counties)

North Country (Jefferson, Lewis, Oswego, St. Lawrence counties)

Onondaga

Pioneer (Livingston, Ontario, Wayne, Wyoming counties)

Queens

Ramapo Catskill (Orange, Rockland, Sullivan, Ulster [part] counties)

Southern Adirondack (Hamilton, Saratoga, Warren, Washington counties)

Southern Tier (Allegany, Chemung, Schuyler, Steuben, Yates counties)

Suffolk

Upper Hudson (Albany, Rensselaer counties)

Westchester

Appendix C: Youth Services Contacts for Early Literacy

NYS Public Library System Youth Service Contacts for Early Literacy

Brooklyn Public Library

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Buffalo & Erie County Public Library System

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Manager, Children's Services & Outreach
1 Lafayette Square
Buffalo, NY 14203
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Chautauqua-Cattaraugus Library System

Valle Blair
Youth Services Consultant
106 West Fifth Street
Jamestown, NY 14701
Phone: (716) 664-6675 x 230
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vblair@cclslib.org

Clinton-Essex-Franklin Library System

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Plattsburgh, NY 12901
Phone: (518) 563-5190 x 18
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Ithaca, NY 14850
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Four County Library System

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Youth Services and Outreach Manager
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Vestal, NY 13850
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Fax: (607) 723-1722
slatronica@4cls.org

Mid-Hudson Library System

Merribeth Advocate
Assistant Director
103 Market Street
Poughkeepsie, NY 12601
Phone: (845) 471-6060 x 254
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madvocate@midhudson.org

Mid-York Library System

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Collections and Materials Manager
1600 Lincoln Avenue
Utica, NY 13502
Phone: (315) 735-8331 x 238
Fax: (315) 735-0943
hurtz@midyork.org

Mohawk Valley Library System

Sue Rokos
Youth Services Consultant
858 Duanesburg Road
Schenectady, NY 12306
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Fax: (518) 355-0674
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Monroe County Library System

Tonia Burton
Children's Services Consultant
115 South Avenue
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Nassau Library System

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New York State Library

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Fax: (518) 486-5254
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Nioga Library System

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Lockport, NY 14094
Phone: (716) 434-6167 x 33
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North County Library System

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Watertown, NY 13602
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Onondaga County Public Library

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447 S. Salina Street
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Syracuse, NY 13202
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Fax: (315) 435-1881
atravis@onlib.org

Pioneer Library System

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Coordinator
Pioneer Library System
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Fax: (585) 394-1935
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Program & Services Department
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Fax: (718) 297-3404
Gillian.E.Miller@queenslibrary.org

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Youth Services Consultant
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Middletown, NY 10940
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renos@rcls.org

Southern Adirondack Library System

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Saratoga Springs, NY 12866
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Southern Tier Library System

Lorie Brown
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Painted Post, NY 14870
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Fax: (607) 962-5356
brownl@stls.org

Suffolk Cooperative Library System

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