

PARENT-CAREGIVER LIBRARY CONNECTION

EARLY LITERACY TIP

Print Motivation

Print motivation means that a child is interested in books and enjoys interacting with them. To help your child develop print motivation make sure that you make reading a positive experience. Sometimes your child may not want to read. Don't force them when they don't want to! The more that your child finds reading enjoyable, the more they will want to read.

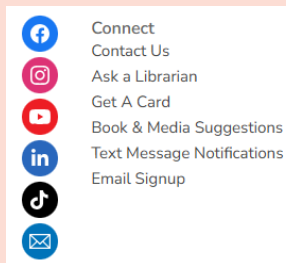


For more info check out: clel.org

JOIN OUR NEWSLETTER

Did you know that Arapahoe Libraries has a newsletter just for caregivers of 0-5? Each month certain events and booklists are highlighted. To subscribe, go to arapahoelibraries.org, scroll to the bottom. On the bottom left corner select "Connect." You can then input your information in to receive our monthly newsletter!

Arapahoe Libraries also has social media you can follow us on! It is directly to the left of the connect button.



SUMMER READING

All children 0-5 can get a FREE book at any Arapahoe Library Location over the Summer. Attend any of our programs for ages 0-5 and receive a free book while supplies last!

When you sign up for the Summer Reading challenge, you will also receive a book! Children will get to select a title. Supplies are limited, so make sure to start summer reading early! If you have older children, encourage them to sign up!

LOTE4KIDS

LOTE4Kids, (Languages Other Than English) is a digital library of 6,000 bilingual audio-picture books and activities in 95 world languages. It is useful for children and adults looking for content in a native language or those learning a new language.

Read and listen to stories in 95 languages, including American Sign Language, Amharic, Arabic, Russian, Somali, Spanish (Mexican, Latin American or European) and Vietnamese.

All stories are read by native speakers.

Supports English and bilingual language learning.

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SUMMER READING PROGRAMS

Join us for our Summer Reading Programs: Once Upon a Story & Once Upon an Enchanted Ocean for 0-5! See our website for July dates.

Once Upon a Story:

- Thursday, June 11, 10:30-12:00 at Davies Library
- Monday, June 15, 2-3:30 at Sheridan Library
- Wednesday June 24, 10:30-12:00 at Kelper Library

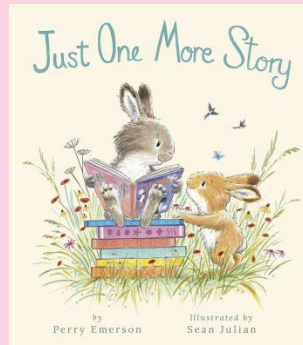
Once Upon an Enchanted Ocean:

- Tuesday, June 9, 10:00-11:30, at Southglenn Library
- Saturday, June 13, 2-3:30 at Koelbel Library
- Saturday June 20, 10:00-11:30 at Castlewood Library
- Saturday June 27, 2-3:30, at Eloise May Library



BOOK CORNER

Just One More Story-Perry Emerson



Just One More Story demonstrates the joy that reading can bring! The story features two bunnies, one of whom is nervous about reading. Practice the joy of reading through this story.

ASK A LIBRARIAN

Do you have any questions about library resources?

Our knowledgeable librarians are here to help educators, parents, and childcare providers with:

- Questions about reading levels
- Requesting materials
- Making library cards

And so much more! Please fill out our online form to get your questions answered!

To get started, visit:

arapahoelibraries.org/educator-and-parent-support/

Questions about reading readiness at your childcare center? Email Clair: claustsen@ald.lib.co.us

Questions about Begin with Books storytime for in-home childcare? Email Alexa: abynumsoto@ald.lib.co.us

For more resources, visit arapahoelibraries.org/children-0-5/ or call 303-LIBRARY (303-542-7279).