

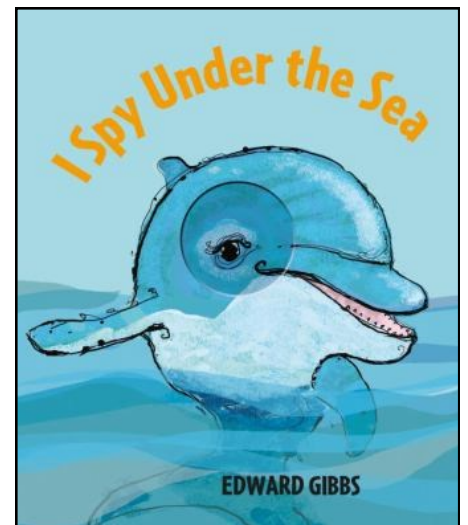
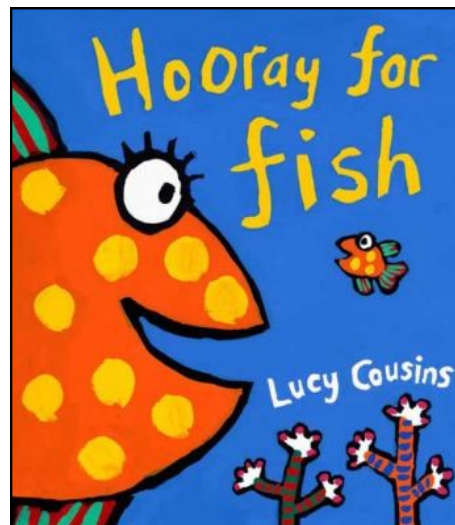
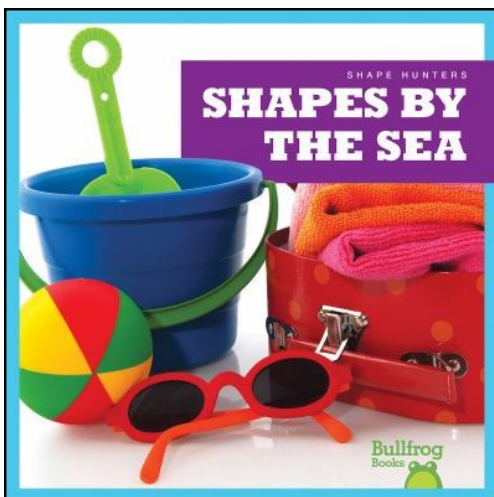
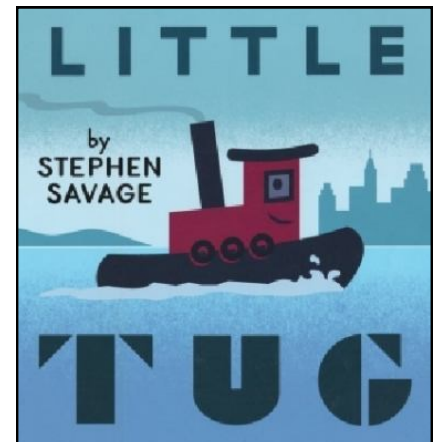
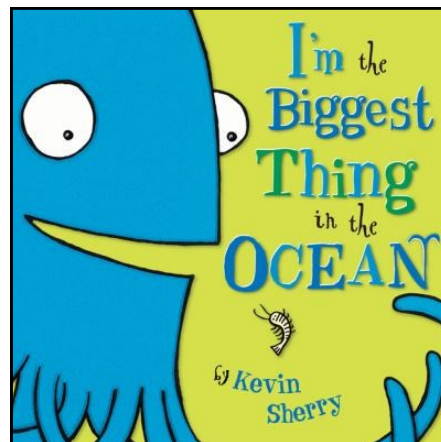
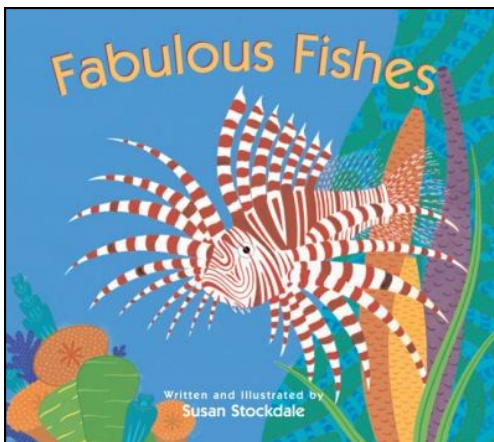
Storytime at Schlow

3s, 4s, & 5s Storytime and
Everybody Storytime

Week 3: February 6 & 8
Theme: Ocean



Today's books:



Songs

Opening (Closing) Song: Hands Go Up

(tune: "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star")

Hands go up and hands go down,
I can turn around and 'round.
I can jump upon two shoes,
I can listen, so can you. (I can clap and so can you)
I can sit, I'll show you how, (I can wave, I'll show
you how)

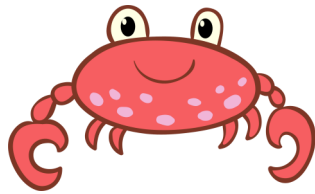
Storytime is starting now!



Fishy Pokey

(tune: "Hokey Pokey")

Put your left fin in,
Take your left fin out,
Put your left fin in,
And you shake it all about.
You do the fishy pokey and you
turn yourself around,
That's what it's all about!
Right fin...
Head... Tail....



I'm a Little Fishy

(tune: I'm a Little Teapot)

I'm a little fishy,
I can swim,
Here is my tail,
And here is my fin.
When I want to have fun with my friends,
I wiggle my tail and dive right in!



Sea Scarves

(tune: "The Wheels on the Bus")

The waves on the sea go splish and splash, splish
and splash, splish and splash,
The waves on the sea go splish and splash, all day
long. *(Alternate raising and lowering hands)*

The dolphins in the sea swim round and round...
(Arms make circling motion)

Jellyfish in the sea drift down, down, down...
(Throw scarf up and let it fall)

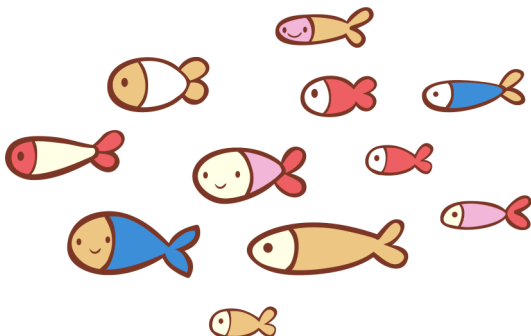
The fish in the sea go swim, swim, swim...
(Move arms in waving motion)

The boats on the waves rock back and forth...
(Arch arms from side to side)

Action Rhymes and Fingerplays

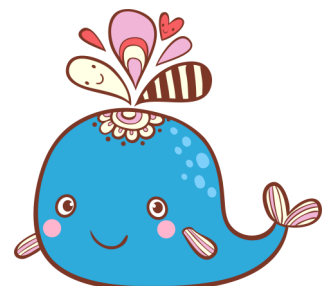
Five Little Fishies Swimming in the Sea

Five little fishies swimming in the sea,
Teasing Mr. Sharkie, You can't catch me!
You can't catch me!
Along comes Mr. Sharkie, quiet as can be
And snapped a fish right out of the sea!
Four...
Three...
Two...
One...



Two Little Feet

Two little feet go tap, tap, tap,
Two little hands go clap, clap, clap,
A quick little leap up from my chair,
And two little arms reach high in the air!
Two little feet go jump, jump, jump,
Two little fists go thump,
thump, thump,
One little body goes round
and round,
And one little child sits
quietly down!



Learning Continues at Home!



This week's early literacy practice: SING!

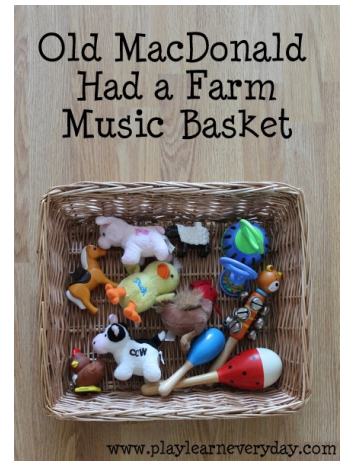
Are you a good singer? Whether you can carry a tune or not, your voice is your child's favorite sound! So make sure to sing as often as you can, whether it's "Wheels on the Bus" or just a silly made-up tune to pass the time in the line at the grocery store. It all helps your child learn new words and hear the sounds that make up language!

Need some inspiration? Borrow a CD from the Children's Department! From Lori Berkner to Raffi, Disney movie soundtracks to Sesame Street, we've got something for everyone!

Continue the Fun...

Song Baskets (via playlearneveryday.com)

Using the toys you already have in your home, make a Song Basket! Include the animals, vehicles, etc. that are mentioned in the song, as well as basic instruments for your child to play while you sing together. Struggling to match toys to a song? Cut out some stars and sing "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star"...or make up a new song to go with your child's favorite toys!



Apps for Laps!

Spending screen time together - talking and thinking about what you see and do - adds the most



Dexteria
Dots



Go Away,
Big Green
Monster!



Rounds:
Franklin Frog

What's Happening at Schlow?



For the Love of Reading

Sunday, February 12

2pm - 4pm

Children's Department

Learn basic sign language with conversation hearts from the PSU Sign Language Organization!

Please visit schlowlibrary.org/children/events for more upcoming programs.