

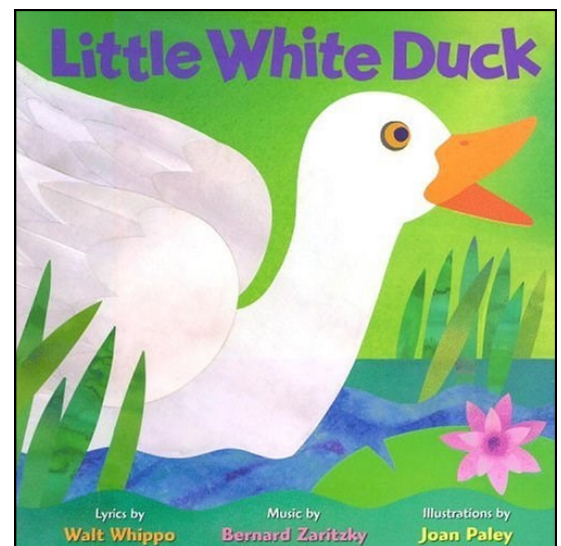
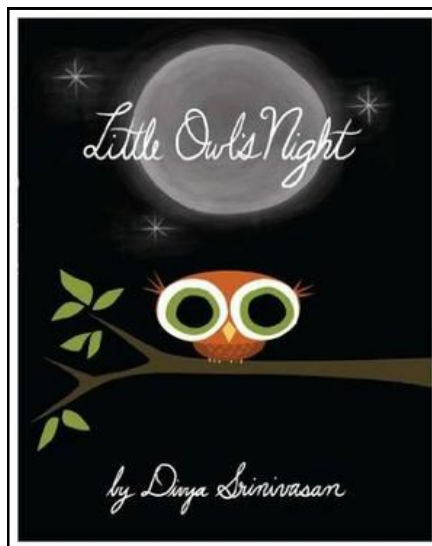
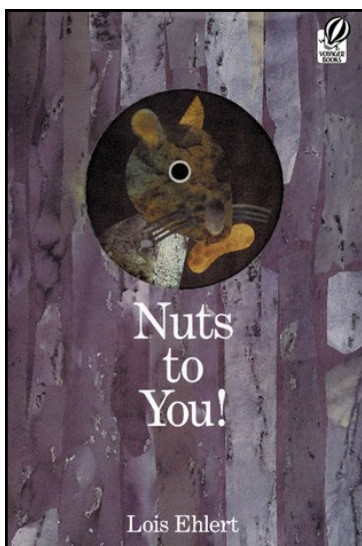
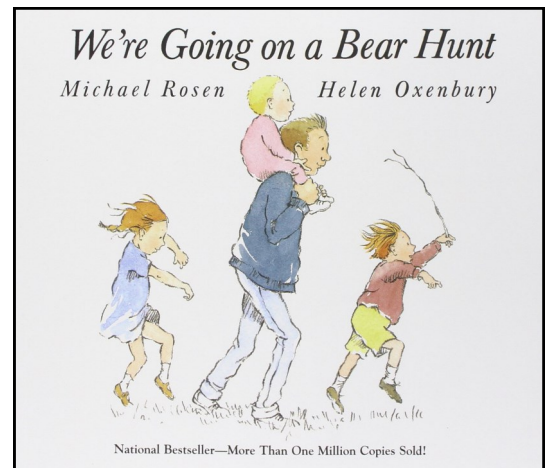
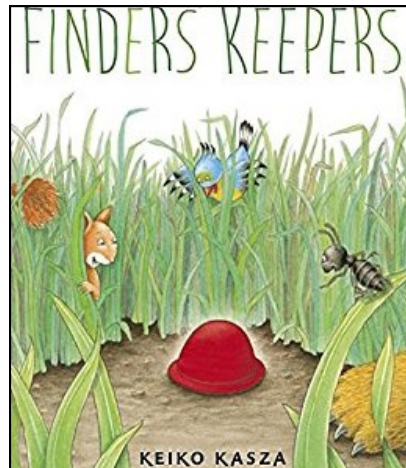
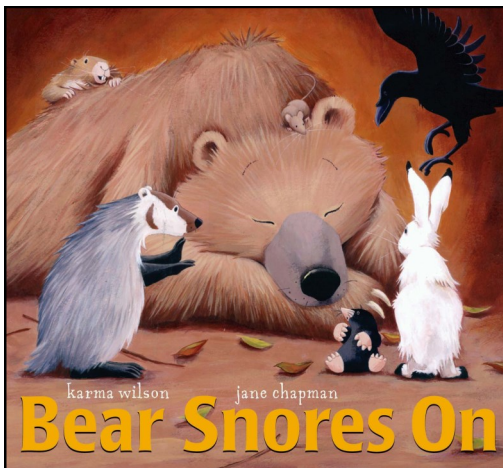
# Storytime at Schlow

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

Week 4: October 10  
Theme: In the Forest!

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## 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!

## Gray Squirrel

Gray squirrel, gray squirrel  
Swish your bushy tail  
Gray squirrel, gray squirrel  
Swish your bushy tail  
Wrinkle up your little nose  
Hold a nut between your toes  
Gray squirrel, gray squirrel  
Swish your bushy tail!



## Shake My Sillies Out

I've gotta shake, shake, shake my sillies  
out,  
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out,  
Shake, shake, shake my sillies out,  
And wiggle my waggles away!  
...clap my crazies out  
...jump my jiggles out  
...yawn my sleepies out  
...shake my sillies out



## Well, Hello Everybody

Well, hello everybody can you touch your  
nose, touch your nose, touch your nose,  
Well, hello everybody can you touch your  
nose, touch your nose!  
...touch your toes ...pat your head  
...rub your tummy

# Action Rhymes and Fingerplays

## Where is Bear?

Where is bear? Where is bear?  
Here I am. Here I am. *(bear puppet appears)*  
How are you this winter?  
Very tired, thank you. *(bear puppet replies)*  
Go to sleep. Go to sleep. *(bear puppet disappears)*  
Want to do the song again? Say "WAKE UP BEAR!"



## Five Little Owls

Five little owls on a moonlit night  
Five little owls are quite a sight  
Five little owls - Are you keeping score?  
One flew away! And then there were four  
Four little owls happy as can be  
One flew away, then there were three  
Three little owls calling who, who  
One flew away and that left two  
Two little owls, having lots of fun  
One flew away and that left one  
One little owl, and we are almost done  
He flew away and that leaves...none!



# Learning Continues at Home!

## This week's early literacy practice: PLAY!

When children act out stories they know, either as a play or with props or puppets, they practice sequencing events. They also are exploring and investigating story structure. Oral language is the critical component that helps build narrative skills. This includes talking about their play, describing what they are doing, negotiating roles, and discussing props. ([www.clel.org](http://www.clel.org))



## Continue the Fun...

### Play with Puppets (via clel.org)

Play is how children learn about their world. Studies have shown that children really benefit from time to play on their own and the ability to use their imaginations. Use simple props such as a puppet or a stuffed animal to tell a story. Use silly voices for different characters and ask your child to join in.

Did you know that Schlow has puppets that you may check out and take home? They go out for 3 weeks, just like books. Take home a new friend today!



## Apps for Laps!

Spending screen time together - talking and thinking about what you see and do - adds the most value and meaning for your child. Try one of these apps with your child at Schlow!



Rounds:  
Franklin Frog



Sid's  
Science Fair



Preschool and  
Kindergarten  
Learning Games



## What's Happening at Schlow?

### We Love *The Very Hungry Caterpillar!*

Sunday, October 15

2pm-4pm - Children's Department



Make caterpillar hats, coffee filter butterflies, and more with Penn State's SPSEA.

Please visit [schlowlibrary.org/children/events](http://schlowlibrary.org/children/events) for more upcoming programs.