

Storytime at Schlow

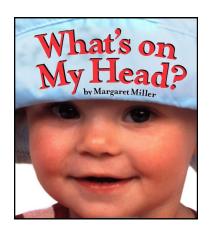
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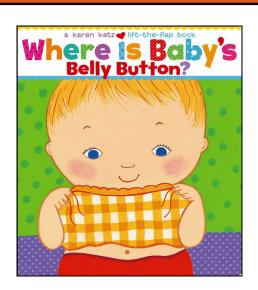
Week 3: October 2 and 4

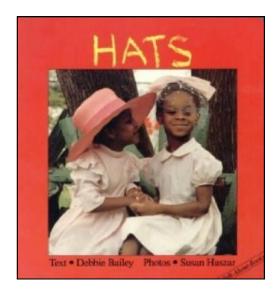
Theme: Hats and Our Bodies!

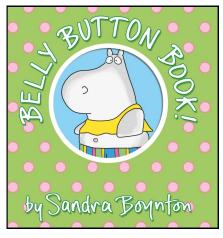


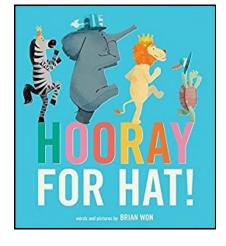
Today's books:















Opening (Closing) Song: Happy Day

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

It's a happy, happy day
We can sing and we can play
Wiggle fingers, wiggle toes
Touch your tummy and your nose
Raise your arms and shout hooray (goodbye!)
On this happy, happy day

The Silly Hat Song

(tune: "This Old Man")

On my head, I wear my hat

It is such a silly hat

That my head will wiggle waggle to and fro

Where else can my silly hat go?

Knee, foot, elbow...

Hats are Blowing

(tune: Frere Jacques)

Hats are blowing

Hats are blowing

In the air

Everywhere!

Every time the wind blows

Someone's hat, away it goes

Hold on tight

And you'll be all right!



Action Rhymes and Fingerplays

Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes

I have ten little fingers and ten little toes

Two little arms and one little nose

One little mouth and two little ears

Two little eyes for smiles and tears

One little head and two little feet

One little chin and that's me, complete!



Open, Shut Them

Open, shut them

Open, shut them

Give a little clap, clap, clap

Open, shut them

Open, shut them

Put them in your lap, lap, lap

Creep them, crawl them

Creep them, crawl them

Right up to your chin, chin, chin

Open wide, ahhhh, your little mouth

But...do not let them in, in, in!

Learning Continues at Home!



This week's early literacy practice: SING!

How does singing help children get ready to read? Just like books, songs have great vocabulary words, such as "tuffet" or "In a cavern, in a canyon." Hearing new words in context helps children build their vocabularies. In addition, songs have a long tradition of being used as memory boosters! I'm sure many of you can still recite all 50 states because of a song you learned. (clel.org)

Continue the Fun...

Make Music & Song Cubes (via pre-kpages.com)

Materials: tissue box, construction paper, labels

Cover each cube with a different color of construction paper.

The first cube will be songs to sing together. Think of a

different song for each side - like B-I-N-G-O, Twinkle Twinkle,

etc. The second cube should be an action - like clapping,

dancing, shaker eggs, stomp your feet, and so on. Then just

roll your cubes and see what combination comes up!



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!



Monkey
Word School
Adventure



More Trucks by Duck Duck Moose



Press Here



What's Happening at Schlow?

Block Party

Saturday, October 7

2pm-4pm - Children's Department

Let's party! Join us for family block-building activities.



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