



Bookworms

PRLC Preschool Literacy Newsletter

What's new in the library?

Last month marked some exciting changes to our school Children's Library! We now have a categorization system that's user friendly, and the books have all been moved to child-level so classrooms and small groups can come browse for books on subjects which interest them. We're also adding new and updated material each week! Our oldest classrooms are looking at ways to involve the kids in caring for this space as well, such as letting children sign up to help re-shelve and organize books. Many exciting opportunities await in this refreshed learning space!

Reflecting Together

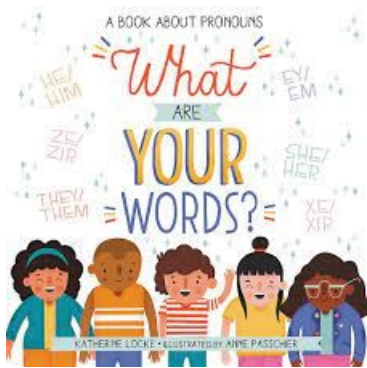
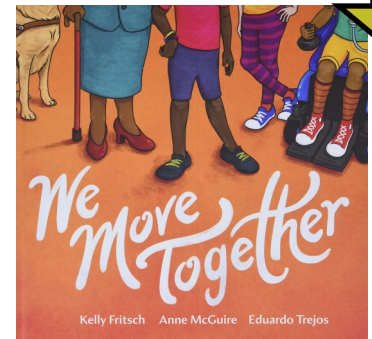
How do you feel when you spend time reading with your family? Which parts are positive & fulfilling, and which parts are more challenging?

Are there fulfilling or wonderful reading moments you'd like to share with us at school?

Are there changes to the routine or ritual which might offer more support to the challenging parts? Are there areas you'd like support with from school?

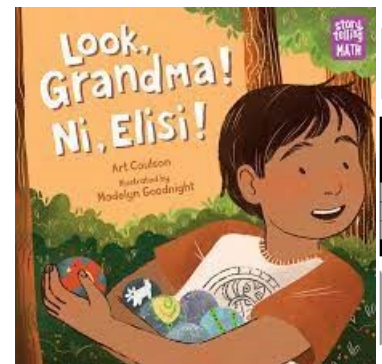
Titles to Check Out

We Move Together features groups of mixed-ability people working together to make their community more accessible. From building ramps in local storefronts, to learning American Sign Language, to balancing environmental activism with disability rights—this colorful book explores the importance creating physical and social spaces which meet everyone's needs.



What Are Your Words follows Ari and their uncle Lior as they make their way to the neighborhood's Big Summer Bash. Along the way they introduce people throughout their community and the words they use to describe their identity. This book offers a fabulous introduction to pronouns and the language we use to describe ourselves.

In *Look, Grandma! Ni, Elisi! Bo* is excitedly preparing for the Cherokee National Holiday by searching for a container which will hold the marbles he's made and display them beautifully. This story offers relatable applications of math concepts like size and volume, and features elements of Cherokee language and culture.



Reading Tips

Tired of reading the same books over and over? You can supplement your child's collection by borrowing books from local libraries and watching video read-alouds together! While repeating favorite stories builds some important skills, introducing new materials can help keep both adults and children engaged in reading day to day. We've included links to read-alouds and borrow locations for each book above.

Questions or comments? Reach out at preschoolfamilyservices@prlc.org

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