

## Storytime Packets

For member library and early literacy teacher use only  
Series: Storytime Packet      Call#: E ST PKT title  
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### Animals

Packet Components - 13 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Over in the Meadow by Olive A. Wadsworth
2. Platypus and the Lucky Day by Chris Riddell
3. Slowly, Slowly, Slowly Said the Sloth by Eric Carle
4. Wiggle Waggle by Jonathan London
5. Animals Should Definitely Not Wear Clothing by Judi Barrett
6. Crows of Creatures by Kate Riggs
7. Big book: Caps for Sale by Esphyr Slobodkina
8. Action Book: Who's Scratching at My Door? by Amanda Leslie
9. Action Book: Face to Face Safari by Sally Hewitt
10. Magnet story: The Snake Who Sneezed
11. Mother Goose rhyme: Hey, Diddle, Diddle
12. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: The Elephant Goes
  - Take-home activity: Animal shadows
  - Tell & draw: Eke and Zeke
13. A monkey puppet to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### Bath Time

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bath Time by Eileen Spinelli

2. Bertil and the Bathroom Elephants by Inger Lindahl
3. Car Wash by Sandra & Susan Steen
4. Rub-a-dub Sub by Linda Ashman
5. Squeaky Clean by Simon Puttock
6. Animal Baths by BobBarner
7. Big book: Wishy-washy Day by Joy Cowley
8. Action Book: Bathtime, Piggy Wiggy by Christyan & Diane Fox
9. Flannel Story: 5 Rubber Ducks
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Doctor Foster
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: After My Bath
  - Take-home activity: Rubber duck numbers
12. Plus a rubber ducky to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Bedtime 1**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. A Big Bed For Jed by Laurie Friedman
2. Good Night, Sam by Marie-Louise Gay
3. I Took the Moon for a Walk by Carolyn Curtis & Alison Jay
4. Mary Smith by Andrea U'Ren
5. Sheep Asleep by Gloria Rothstein
6. Go Sleep In Your Own Bed by Candace Fleming
7. Big book: Time for Bed by Mem Fox
8. Action Book: The Scared Little Bear by Keith Faulkner
9. Flannel story: Lisa Cannot Sleep by Kaj Beckman
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Wee Willie Winkie
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Bedtime
  - Take-home activity: Counting sheep
12. Plus a stuffed bunny to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Bedtime 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Z-Z-Zoink! by Bernard Most
2. How Do Dinosaurs Say Good Night? by Jane Yolen
3. The Sheep Fairy by Ruth Louise Symes
4. Brave Martha by Margot Apple
5. Hushabye Lily by Claire Freedman
6. I Just Want to Say Goodnight by Rachel Isadora
7. Big book: The Napping House by Audrey Wood
8. Action Book: Under the Bed! by David Wood
9. Magnet story: Good Night, Gorilla by Peggy Rathman
10. Mother Goose rhyme: The Man in the Moon
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes

Theme rhymes: The Bed I Sleep In

Take-home activity: Get ready for bed

12. Plus a snuggle blankie to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Bugs 1**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Aaaarrgghh! Spider! by Lydia Monks
2. Daddy is a Doodlebug by Bruce Degen
3. I Love Bugs! by Emma Dodds
4. Little Buggy by Kevin O'Malley
5. The Very Lazy Ladybug by Isobel Finn and Jack Tickle
6. Where is Ladybug? by Ingela P. Arrhenius
7. Big book: In the Tall, Tall Grass by Denise Fleming
8. Action Book: Home Sweet Home by Christine Tagg
9. Flannel game: Bug in a Rug
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Little Miss Muffet
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Here is the Beehive
  - Take-home activity: Bug in a Rug
12. Plus a stuffed ladybug to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Bugs 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bugs! Bugs! Bugs! by Bob Barner
2. The Bugliest Bug by Carol Diggory Shields
3. The Caterpillar Fight by Sam McBratney
4. Hey, Little Ant by Phillip and Hannah Hoose
5. Leo the Lightning Bug by Eric Drachman
6. Bug Bear by Patricia Hegarty
7. Big book: Mushroom in the Rain by Mirra Ginsburg
8. Action Book: Big Bugs by Keith Faulkner
9. Action story: There was an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly
10. Mother Goose rhyme: The Itsy, Bitsy Spider
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Action rhyme: Roly-Poly Caterpillar
  - Take-home activity: Where are the ladybugs?
12. Plus a butterfly visor to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Cats 1**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. The Big Meow by Elizabeth Spires
2. I Like Cats by Patricia Hubbell
3. Millions of Cats by Wanda Gag
4. Missing by Jonathan Langley

5. Why Not? by Mary Wormell
6. Cat Nap by Toni Yuly
7. Big book: Hello Cat, You Need a Hat by Rita Golden Gelman
8. Action Book: No, No, Jo! by Kate and Jim McMullen
9. Activity Story: Telling Time With Big Mama Cat by Dan Harper
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat, Where Have You Been
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: I Have a Cat
  - Take-home activity: Cat matching
  - Tell & draw: Pickles Pussy Cat
12. Plus a cat puppet to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## Cats 2

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Barn Cat by Carol P. Saul
2. Drat That Fat Cat by Pat Thompson
3. Hi, Cat! by Ezra Jack Keats
4. Katie Catz Makes a Splash by Anne Rockwell
5. Mama Cat Has Three Kittens by Denise Fleming
6. Have You Seen My Cat? by Eric Carle
7. Big book: Feathers for Lunch by Lois Ehlert
8. Action Book: The Black Cat by Richard Powell
9. Flannel Story: Fudge Won't Budge
10. Mother Goose Rhyme book: Three Little Kittens by Paul Galdone
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: The Black Cat Yawns
  - Take-home activity: Cat dot-to-dot
12. Plus a stuffed cat to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## Circus

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Circus by Lois Ehlert
2. Look, Look Again by Agnese Baruzzi
3. Harriet Goes to the Circus by Betsy & Giulio Maestro
4. Little Monkey Says Goodnight by Ann Whitford Paul
5. Thanks, Mom by Ed Emberley
6. Drummer Hoff by Barbara Emberley
7. Big book: The Circus Ship by Chris Van Dusen
8. Action book: Where's Pup? by Dayle Ann Dodds
9. Flannel story: Clancy the Clown
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Ride a Cock Horse
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Five Circus Elephants
  - Take-home activity: Clancy the Clown

12. Plus a pop-up clown to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Color**

Packet Components – 13 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. The Color Kittens by Margaret Wise Brown
2. A Color of His Own by Leo Lionni
3. My Box of Color by Lorianne Siomades
4. Warthogs Paint by Pamela Duncan Dewards
5. A Day With No Crayons by Elizabeth Rusch
6. Hello, Red Fox by Eric Carle
7. Big book: Mouse Paint by Ellen Stoll Walsh
8. Action Books: Color Surprises by Chuck Murphy
9. Blue, Blue, and Yellow, Too by Biryta Akerbergs-Hansen
10. Action story: Little Blue and Little Yellow by Leo Lionni
11. Mother Goose rhyme: Ole King Cole
12. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Color
  - Take-home activity: The right color coloring page
13. Plus a rainbow toy to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Dinosaurs**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Dad's Dinosaur Day by Diane Dawson Hearn
2. Dinosaurs Love Underpants by Claire Freedman
3. Dinosaurumpus by Tony Mitton
4. Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs by Ian Whybrow
5. Ten Terrible Dinosaurs by Paul Strickland
6. Dinosaur Dig by Penny Dale
7. Big book: If the Dinosaurs Came Back by Bernard Most
8. Action Book: Dinosaur Stomp! by Paul Strickland
9. Flannel story: Who Will Play With Little Dinosaur?
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Humpty Dumpty
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Dinosaurs lived long ago
  - Take-home activity: 3D dinosaur
  - Tell & draw: Fred the Dinosaur
12. Plus a stuffed dinosaur to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Dogs 1**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bertie Was a Watchdog by Rick Walton
2. Buster by Denise Fleming
3. Some Dogs Do by Jez Alborough
4. Spike in Trouble by Paulette Bogan

5. Whistle for Willie by Ezra Jack Keats
6. Go, Dog, Go by P. D. Eastman
7. Big book: Where's Spot? by Eric Hill
8. Action book: No, No, Jack! by Ron Hirsch
9. Flannel story: All the Lassies by Lisesel Moak Skorpen
10. Mother Goose rhyme book: Old Mother Hubbard by Colin & Jacqui Hawkin
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: My Little Dog, Buffy
  - Take-home activity: dog matching game
12. Plus a stuffed dog to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Dogs 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Angus and the Ducks by Marjorie Flack
2. Black Dog Gets Dressed by Liz Boyd
3. This Is the Dog by Sheryl McFarlane
4. Widget by Lyn Rossiter McFarland
5. Poochie-Poo by Helen Stephens
6. Doggies by Sandra Boynton
7. Big book: Night Noises by Mem Fox
8. Action Book: My Dog Truffle by Lyn Reiser
9. Magnet game: Doggy, Doggy, Where's Your Bone?
10. Traditional song: Bingo
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: My Puppy
  - Take-home activity: dog maze
12. Plus a stuffed dog to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Fall 1**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Fall Leaves, Fall! by Zoe Hall
2. Lily and Trooper's Fall by Jung-Hee Spetter
3. The Little Yellow Leaf by Carin Berger
4. Mouse's First Fall by Lauren Thompson
5. Oliver Finds His Way by Phyllis Root
6. Leaves by David Ezra Stein
7. Big book: Bear's Bargain by Frank Asch
8. Action Book: Jack, It's a Rainy Day by Rebecca Elgar
9. Flannel story: The Scarecrow  
(tell story with flannel, then do 2<sup>nd</sup> rhyme & have children do actions)
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Peter, Peter, Pumpkin Eater
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Little Leaves + 36 leaves
  - Take-home activity: fall leaves

12. Plus a scarecrow to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Fall 2**

Packet Components – 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. By the Light of the Harvest Moon by Harriet Ziefert
  2. Fall Mixed Up by Bob Raczka
  3. Fletcher and the Falling Leaves by Julia Rawlinson
  4. Leaf Jumpers by Carole Gerber
  5. Red Leaf, Yellow Leaf by Lois Ehlert
  6. Fall is Here by Frankie Jones
- Big book: ----
7. Action Book: Baby Loves Fall by Karen Katz
  8. Magnet story: Round Robin by Jack Kent
  9. Mother Goose rhyme: Simple Simon
  10. Activities Envelope – contents:
    - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
    - Theme rhyme: Two Little Apples
    - Take-home activity: apple tree
  11. Plus an apple to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Family 1**

Packet Components - 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. You're Just What I Need by Ruth Krauss
2. Bear's Busy Family by Stella Blackstone
3. There Was an Old Woman Who Lived in a Boot by Linda Smith
4. Tiff, Taff, and LuLu by Eva Montanari
5. My Side of the Car by Kate Feiffer
6. Up! by Susan Hughes
7. Big book: A Chair For My Mother by Vera B. Williams
8. Action Book: Where is Sammy's Smile? by Wendy Cheyette Lewis
9. Flannel story: A Kiss for Little Bear by Else Minarik
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Polly Put the Kettle On
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Fine Family
  - Take-home activity: My family, My home
  - Tell-and-draw: A Rainy Day

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## **Family 2**

Packet Components - 9 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Are We There Yet? by Dandi Daley Mackall
2. I Like It When... by Mary Murphy
3. Snuggle Mountain by Lindsay Lane
4. Noisy Nora by Rosemary Wells
5. Avocado Baby by John Burningham
6. Grandpa & Me by Karen Katz

7. Big book: Peter's Chair by Ezra Jack Keats
8. Action Book: Snappy Little Families by Dugald Steer  
Flannel story: ----  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
9. Activities Envelope – contents:  
8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes  
Theme rhyme: Family fingerplay  
Take-home activity: Draw my busy family

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### **Farm 1**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Old MacDonald Had a Woodshop by Lisa Shulman
2. Serious Farm by Tim Egan
3. Cock A Moo Moo by Juliet Dallas-Corte
4. Farm Flu by Teresa Bateman
5. The Flea's Sneeze by Lynn Downey
6. Little Blue Truck by Alice Schertle
7. Big book: Planting a Rainbow by Lois Ehlert
8. Action Book: Fun on the Farm by Helen Rowe
9. Action story: The Cow in the Ditch
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Little Boy Blue
11. Activities Envelope – contents:  
8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes  
Theme rhyme: Dig a Hole  
Take-home activity: Make a cow
12. Plus a stuffed cow (it moos) to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Farm 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Horse in the Pigpen by Linda Williams
2. Book! Book! Book! by Deborah Bruss
3. Oh, Look! by Patricia Polacco
4. Carrot in My Pocket by Kitson Flynn
5. Punk Farm by Jarrett J. Krosoczka
6. Barnyard Dance by Sandra Boynton
7. Big book: Farmer Duck by Martin Waddell
8. Action Book: Funny Farm by Keith Faulkner
9. Magnet story: The Enormous Turnip by Alex Tolstoy
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Baa, Baa, Black Sheep
11. Activities Envelope – contents:  
8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes  
Theme rhyme: Old MacDonald  
Take-home activity: Animal masks
12. Plus a stuffed sheep to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Fathers**

Packet Components - 10 items – *do not check out individual items*



Books:

1. My Daddy and Me by Jerry Spinelli
2. Night Worker by Katie Banks
3. One Day, Daddy by Frances Thomas
4. What Dads Can't Do by Douglas Wood
5. With a Little Help From Daddy by Dan Andreasen
6. Me Tall, You Small by Lilli L'Arronge
7. Big book: Guess How Much I Love You by Sam McBratney
8. Action Book: Daddy & Me by Karen Katz
9. Flannel story: My Father is Lost  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
10. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Daddy's Steps
  - Tell & draw: The Big Fish
  - Take-home activity: Father's Day cootie catcher

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**Food 1**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Eat! Cried Little Pig by Jonathan London
2. The Hungry Thing by Jan Slepian and Ann Seidler
3. The Incredible Book Eating Boy by Oliver Jeffers
4. The Little Red Hen Makes a Pizza by Philemon Sturges
5. Please DO Feed the Bears by Phyllis Reynolds Naylor
6. Picky Eaters by Ellen Jackson
7. Big book: Growing Vegetable Soup by Lois Ehlert
8. Action Book: Eat Your Dinner, Please by Leslie McGuire
9. Flip story: Close Your Mouth, Dear by Alike
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Pease Porridge Hot
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Peas in a Pod
  - Take-home activity: Fruits and Vegetables
12. Plus a pizza puzzle to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

**Food 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bear Wants More by Karma Wilson
2. Crunch Munch by Jonathan London
3. Polly's Picnic by Richard Hamilton
4. Too Many Pears! by Jackie French
5. Dragons Love Tacos by Adam Rubin
6. Stanley's Store by William Bee
7. Big book: The Doorbell Rang by Pat Hutchins
8. Action Book: What's for Lunch? by Ann Garret
9. Flannel story: It Looked Liked Spilt Milk by Charles G. Shaw
10. Mother Goose rhyme: The Muffin Man

11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Two Little Apples
  - Take-home activity: make an ice cream cone
12. Plus a stuffed taco to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Forest**

Packet Components – 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. At the Edge of the Woods by Cynthia Cotten
  2. Big Bear Ball by Joanne Ryder
  3. Good Job, Little Bear by Martin Waddell
  4. Leaf Man by Lois Ehlert
  5. Stella Fairy of the Forest by Marie-Louise Gay
  6. Little Bear's Little Boat by Eve Bunting
  7. Big book: The Little Mouse, The Red Ripe Strawberry, and the Big Hungry Bear by Don and Audrey Wood
  8. Action Book: Tap! Tap! Tap! by Keith Faulkner
- Flannel story: ----
9. Mother Goose Rhyme: Little Robin Redbreast
  10. Activities Envelope – contents:
    - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
    - Theme rhyme: Little Gray Squirrel
    - Take-home activity: Forest Friends puzzle
  11. Plus a stuffed squirrel to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Friends**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Ben Rides On by Matt Davies
2. Hi, Harry! by Martin Waddell
3. My Friend Rabbit by Eric Rohmann
4. How Kind! by Mary Murphy
5. Here Come Poppy and Max by Lindsey Gardiner
6. My Friend Bear by Jez Alborough
7. Big book: Effie by Beverley Allinson
8. Action Book: Making Friends by Jess Stockham
9. Flannel story: Lucy's Robot Friend
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Hickety, Pickety, My Black Hen
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhymes: Ten Little Friends
  - Take-home activity: Friends mini-book
12. Plus folding felt friends to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### **Frogs**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. City Dog, Country Frog by Mo Willems

2. A Frog in the Bog by Karma Wilson
3. A Frog Thing by Eric Drachman
4. Hop Jump by Ellen Stoll Walsh
5. In the Small, Small Pond by Denise Fleming
6. Where is Frog? by Max Velthuijs
7. Big book: Jump, Frog, Jump! by Robert Kalan
8. Action Book: The Wide-Mouthed Frog by Keith Faulkner
9. Flannel Story: Five Green and Speckled Frogs
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Jack Be Nimble
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Little Frog
  - Take-home activity: Five green and speckled frogs
12. Plus a stuffed frog to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Jungle**

Packet Components – 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Copy Crocs by David Bedford
  2. If I Were a Lion by Sarah Weeks
  3. That's Good, That's Bad by Margery Cuyler
  4. Can You Cuddle Like a Koala? by John Butler
  5. What Time is it Mr. Crocodile by Judy Sierra
  6. The Jelly Bean Tree by Toni Yuly
  7. Big book: Who's the Beast? by Keith Baker
  8. Action Book: Jazzy in the Jungle by Lucy Cousins
  9. Flannel story: Cornelius by Leo Lionni
- Mother Goose rhyme: ----
10. Activities Envelope – contents:
    - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
    - Theme rhymes: Down in the Jungle
    - Take-home activity: Jungle animal mini book
  11. Plus a tiger to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Me, Me, Me**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Clarabella's Teeth by An Vrombaut
2. Francine's Day by Anna Alter
3. I Call My Hand Gentle by Amanda Haan
4. I Can Do It Too! by Karen Baicker
5. Busy Fingers by C. W. Bowie
6. No! by Tracey Corderoy
7. Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day by Judith Voirst
8. Big book: From Head to Toe by Eric Carle
9. Action Book: Mommy's Little Monkey by Keith Faulkner
10. Flannel story: Mommy Doesn't Know My Name by Suzanne Williams
11. Mother Goose rhyme: Little Jack Horner
12. Activities Envelope – contents:

8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes  
Theme rhymes: I Am Your Shadow  
Take-home activity: Matching five senses

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### Mice

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. All in One Hour by Susan Stevens Crummel
2. Big Squeak, Little Squeak by Robert Krauss
3. Mouse Mess by Linnea Riley
4. Frederick by Leo Lionni
5. Mouse by Mouse by Julia Noonan
6. Mouse Says Sorry by Michael Dahl
7. Big book: Ten Little Mice by Joyce Dunbar
8. Action Book: The Birthday Cake by Ron van der Meer
9. Flannel story: Once a Mouse by Marcia Brown
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Hickory, Dickory, Dock
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Action rhymes: The Quiet Mouse
  - Take-home activity: Mouse path tracing
12. Plus a stuffed mouse to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### Monsters

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Have You Seen My Monster by Steve Light
2. I Need My Monster by Amanda Noll
3. There's a Nightmare in My Closet by Mercer Mayer
4. Jeremy Draws a Monster by Peter McCarty
5. Monstergarten by Daniel J. Mahoney
6. Leonardo the Terrible Monster by Mo Willems
7. Five Stinky Socks by Jim Benton
8. Big book: Meanies in the House by Joy Cowley
9. Action Book: The Monster Who Loved Books by Keith Faulkner
10. Flannel/magnet story: Go Away, Big Green Monster by Ed Emberley  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – finger plays & exercise/stretch poems
  - Theme rhyme: If You Ever See a Monster
  - Take-home activity: Monster matching
12. Plus a stuffed monster to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

### Mothers

Packet Components - 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Honk by Chris L. Demarest
2. A Mother for Choco by Keiko Kasza
3. My Monster Mama Loves Me So by Laura Leuck

4. When Mama Comes Home Tonight by Eileen Spinelli
5. Where is My Mommy? by Julie Downing
6. Mommy Hugs by Anne Gutman & Georg Hallensleben
7. Big book: Is Your Mama a Llama? by Deborah Guarino
8. Action Book: Special Delivery by Brigitte Weninger
9. Flannel story: Mother, Mother, I Want Another by Maria Polushkin
10. Mother Goose rhyme: The Queen of Hearts
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhymes: Dear Mother
  - Take-home activity: Bear mother and child puppets

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## Ocean

Packet Components – 13 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bertie and Small and the Brave Sea Journey by Vanessa Caban
2. Little Rabbit and the Sea by Gavin, Bishop
3. One Lonely Sea Horse by Saxton Freyman
4. One Nighttime Sea by Deborah Rose
5. Scuba Bunnies by Linda Ashman
6. Sea, Sand, Me! by Patricia Hubbell
7. Hooray for Fish by Lucy Cousins
8. Big book: A House for Hermit Crab by Eric Carle
9. Action Book: Pop Up Sea by Patrick Watson
10. Magnet story: Famous Seaweed Soup by Antionette Truglio Martin
11. Mother Goose rhyme: Rub-a-dub Dub
12. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: A Little Fish Went Out One Day
  - Take-home activity: Counting seashells
  - Tell and Draw: Sarah Seahorse’s Adventure
13. Plus a stuffed dolphin to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## Pets

Packet Components - 13 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Emma’s Pet by David McPhail
2. I Want a Pet by Lauren Child
3. Pet Show by Ezra Jack Keats
4. Julia Wants a Pet by Barbro Lindgren & Eva Eriksson
5. Children Make Terrible Pets by Peter Brown
6. Strickly No Elephants by Lisa Mantchev
7. Peek-a-boo Sliders – Pets by Nathalie Choux, ill.
8. Big book: I Was Walking Down the Road by Sarah E Barchas
9. Action Book: Where Are Mary’s Pets? by Clive Scruton
10. Magnet story: My Very Own Pet
11. Mother Goose rhyme: Mary Had a Little Lamb
12. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes

Theme rhymes: My Turtle

Take-home activity: Which pet is mine?

13. Plus a puppy puppet to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Pigs**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. A Mud Pie for Mother by Scott Beck
2. My Lucky Day by Keiko Kazza
3. Pigs Aplenty Pigs Galore by David McPhail
4. Ten Dirty Pigs, Ten Clean Pigs by Carol Roth
5. A Pig Parade is a Terrible Idea by Michael Ian Black
6. How Big is a Pig by Clare Beaton
7. Big book: The Cow That Went Oink by Bernard Most
8. Action Book: The Long Nosed Pig by Keith Faulkner
9. Flannel story: The Three Little Pigs traditional story
10. Mother Goose rhyme: To Market, To Market
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Two Mother Pigs
  - Take-home activity: Pig nose mask
  - Tell and Draw: The Snowstorm
12. Plus a pig puppet to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Play**

Packet Components - 13 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Follow the Leader by Emma Chichester Clark
2. What Shall We Do, Blue Kangaroo by Emma Chichester Clark
3. Harry's Box by Angela McAllister
4. Someone Bigger by Jonathan Emmett
5. Box by Min Flyte
6. Yesterday, I Played in the Rain by Robin Adolphs
7. Big book: The Surprise Party by Pat Hutchins
8. Action Book: Where's Sam? by Yves Got
9. Action Book: YoYo Goes to the Park by Jeannette Row
10. Flannel story: Play With Me by Marie Hall Ets
11. Mother Goose rhyme: One, Two, Buckle My Shoe
12. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: Bare feet
  - Take-home activity: Ball Patterns
13. Plus a flying disk to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Spring 1**

Packet Components – 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Flora's Surprise by Debi Gliori
2. It's Spring by Jimmy Pickering

3. My Spring Robin by Anne Rockwell
4. Splish, Splash, Spring by Jan Carr
5. And Then It's Spring by Julie Fogliano
6. The Little Gardener by Jan Gerardi
7. Big book: The Carrot Seed by Ruth Krauss
8. Action Books: Caterpillar Spring Butterfly Summer by Susan Hood
9. Magnet story: Six Busy Bears
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Mary, Mary, Quite Contrary
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Action rhymes: Suns in the Sky
  - Take-home activity: Flower garden cards
12. Plus a bunch of daffodils to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Spring 2**

Packet Components – 11 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Cold Little Duck, Duck, Duck by Lisa Peters
2. Color Wonder: Hooray for Spring by Chieu Anh Urban
3. It's Spring by Samantha Berger
4. The Wind Blew by Pat Hutchins
5. Mouse's First Spring by Lauren Thompson
6. Spring is here by Will Hillenbrand
7. Big book: Bringing the Rain To Kapiti Plain by Verna Aardema
8. Action Books: An Adventure with Bobby Bear by Maurice Pledger  
Flannel/Magnet story: ----
9. Mother Goose rhyme: Rain, Rain, Go Away
10. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards - fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: The Rain
  - Take-home activity: Make a mini kite
11. Plus a small kite to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Summer 1**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Fireflies by Julie Brinckloe
2. The Watermelon Seed by Greg Pizzoli
3. Jasper's Beanstalk by Nick Butterworth & Mick Inkpen
4. Are We There Yet? by Dan Santat
5. Zen Ties by Jon J. Muth
6. I See Summer by Charles Ghigna
7. The Bear Ate Your Sandwich by Julia Sarcone-Roach
8. Big book: Peanut Butter and Jelly ill. by Nadine Bernard Westcott
9. Action Book: In the Butterfly Garden by Philippe Ug
10. Flannel story: Let's Go Out on a Summer Night  
Mother Goose Rhyme Time: ----
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – finger plays & exercise/stretch poems

Theme rhyme: Summer Day

Take-home activity: Beginning letters

12. Plus a bunch of sunflowers to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Summer 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

13. The Summer Nick Taught His Cats to Read by Curtic Manley & Kate Berube
14. How I Spent My Summer Vacation by Mark Teague
15. We're Going On a Picnic by Pat Hutchins
16. One Hot Summer Day by Nina Crews
17. The Whale in My Swimming Pool by Joyce Wan
18. Roller Coaster by Marla Frazee
19. Camp Rex by Molly Idle
20. Big book: Miss Mary Mack by Mary Ann Hoberman
21. Action Book: Splish, Splash, Dog Bash by Anne & George White
22. Flannel/magnet story: Where Are You, Ladybug?  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
23. Activities Envelope – contents:  
8 colored cards – finger plays & exercise/stretch poems  
Theme rhyme: Oh, Mr, Sun  
Take-home activity: Summer-same or different
24. Plus an inflatable beach ball to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Things That Go 1**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Emergency by Margaret Mayo
2. Fire Truck by Peter Sis
3. The Little Engine That Could by Watty Piper
4. Subway by Anastasia Suen
5. Trucks; Whizz! Zoom! Rumble! by Patricia Hubbell
6. Trashy Town by Andrea Zimmerman & David Clemesha
7. Big book: The Wheels on the Bus
8. Action Book: Here Come Our Firefighters by Chris Demarest
9. Flannel story: The Elephant Who Loved to Smash Small Cars  
by Jean Merrill and Ronni Solbert
10. Mother Goose rhyme: The Grand Old Duke of York
11. Activities Envelope – contents:  
8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes  
Theme rhyme: Let's Be Firefighters  
Take-home activity: How do we get there?  
Tell-and-draw: Jason's House
12. Plus a fire engine to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Things That Go 2**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Big Truck and Little Truck by Jan Carr



2. Dig, Dig, Digging by Margaret Mayo
3. Fire, Fire, Said Mrs. McGuire by Bill Martin, Jr.
4. My Fire Engine by Michael Rex
5. Preschool to the Rescue by Judy Sierra
6. Love is a Truck by Amy Novesky
7. Big book: Down by the Station traditional song
8. Action Book: Truck Jam by Paul Strickland
9. Magnet story: Street Sounds
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Cobbler, Cobbler
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: A Peanut on the Track
  - Take-home activity: Circle trains
  - Tell-and-draw: What’s So Important?
12. Plus a stuffed pick-up truck to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.  
(It makes noise and would be a good way to finish Street Sounds)

## Water

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Across the Stream by Mirra Ginsburg
2. The Bridge is Up by Babs Bell
3. Come Away From the Water, Shirley by John Burningham
4. Little Quack by Lauren Thompson
5. Splash! by Flora McDonnell
6. Wet by Carey Sookocheff
7. Big book: The Pig in the Pond by Martin Waddell
8. Action book: Robots, Watch Out, Water About by Philippe Ug
9. Flannel story: The Slippery Fish (song)
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Jack & Jill
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme Rhyme: Splashing in Puddles
  - Take-home activity: Crazy Counting Raindrops
  - Cut-and-tell: The Happy Raindrop
  - Tell-and-draw: Danny’s Winter Vacation
12. Plus a duck puppet to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## Winter 1

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. All You Need for a Snowman by Alice Schertle
2. Don’t Wake Up the Bear! by Marjorie Dennis Murray
3. Flannel Kisses by Linda Crotta Brennan
4. The Missing Mitten Mystery by Steven Kellogg
5. No Two Alike by Keith Baker
6. First Snow by Bomi Park
7. Big book: The Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats
8. Action book: Winter by David A. Carter

9. Magnet story: Snow Soup
10. Mother Goose rhyme: Hot Cross Buns
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhyme: I am a Snowman
  - Take-home activity: Build a snowman
  - Cut & Tell: The Disappearing Snowman
  - Tell & Draw: How Bear Lost His Tail
12. Plus a two red mittens to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Winter 2**

Packet Components - 10 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Bunny Slopes by Claudia Rueda
2. Froggy Gets Dressed by Jonathan London
3. Flip & Flop by Dawn Apperley
4. Moon Glowing by Elizabeth Partridge
5. Snow Music by Lynne Rae Perkins
6. Time to Sleep by Denise Fleming
7. Big book: The Jacket I wear in the Snow by Shirley Neitzel
8. Activity Book: Puzzled Penguin by Keith Faulkner  
Magnet story: ----  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
9. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – fingerplays & stretch rhymes
  - Theme rhymes: Snowflakes Falling Down (with 24 snowflakes)
  - Take-home activity: Dressing for Snow
10. Plus a snowflake to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.

## **Zoo**

Packet Components - 12 items – *do not check out individual items*

Books:

1. Zoo-Looking by Mem Fox
2. Escape fo Marvin the Ape by Caralyn & Mark Buehner
3. Animal Strike at the Zoo by Karma Wilson
4. Psst! by Adam Rex
5. When Lulu Went to the Zoo by Andy Ellis
6. Color Zoo by Lois Ehlert
7. Roar, Baby, Roar by Karen Katz
8. Big book: Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear? by Bill Martin, Jr.
9. Action Book: Zoo! By Lori C Froeb
10. Flannel/magnet story: Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell  
Mother Goose rhyme: ----
11. Activities Envelope – contents:
  - 8 colored cards – finger plays & exercise/stretch poems
  - Theme rhyme: The Zoo is Lots of Fun
  - Take-home activity: I Spy Zoo Animals
12. Plus a giraffe to put in the story house or story bag to introduce the story time.