

About

# LIL' BOOKWORMS

# STORY TIME & CRAFT



BPL's Lil' Bookworm Story Times are designed for children ages 3-5 years old, though all ages are welcome. The programs typically run about a half an hour. Join Miss Bri this fall on Monday mornings at 10:30 am and Thursday evenings at 5:00 pm for some reading, crafts, and fun!



## Early childhood literacy is important!

Children who are read to regularly exhibit higher activation in areas of the brain that support mental imagery and comprehension of narratives — key skills needed for independent reading comprehension. Story Times incorporate the early literacy skills that children must master before they can learn to read. Library programs have significant positive impacts on early development and help equip children with lifelong learning and literacy skills that help prepare them for school and beyond.



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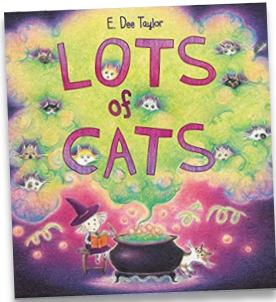
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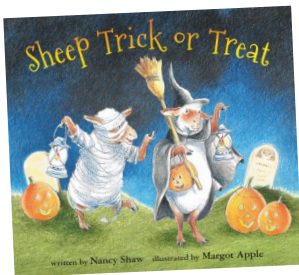
**Mon., Oct. 17 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Oct. 20 at 5:00 PM**



A lonely witch looking for friends gets *Lots of Cats* in this week's story by E. Dee Taylor. We'll make our black cat friend to take home.



**Mon., Oct. 24 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Oct. 27 at 5:00 PM**

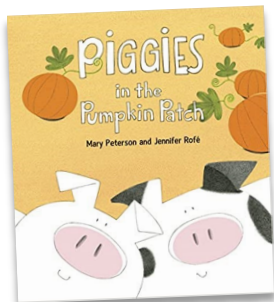


First we'll read about *Sheep Trick or Treat*, then we'll do our own trick or treating after we decorate our own trick or treat bags. **Wear a**

**costume to Story Time!**



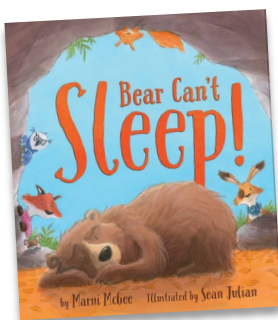
**Mon., Oct. 31 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Nov. 3 at 5:00 PM**



Happy Halloween! We'll read *Piggies in the Pumpkin Patch* by Mary Peterson, then we'll paint a real mini pumpkin!



**Mon., Nov. 7 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Nov. 10 at 5:00 PM**

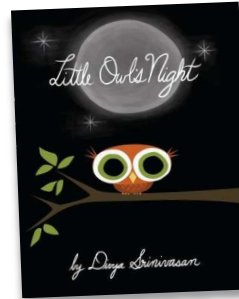


Winter's not here yet, so it's not quite hibernation season and *Bear can't Sleep!* We'll read the story by Karma Wilson and make a bear craft.

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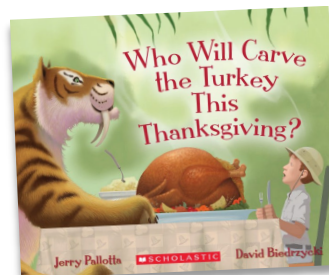
**Mon., Nov. 14 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Nov. 17 at 5:00 PM**



Who-whoooo is ready to make an autumn owl craft? We'll we read *Little Owl's Night* by Divya Srinivasan.



**Mon., Nov. 21 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Nov. 24 at 5:00 PM**

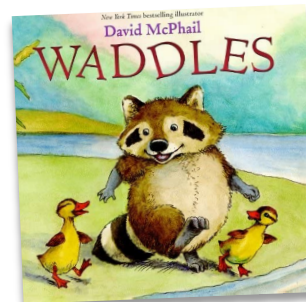


*Who will carve the turkey this Thanksgiving?* It's not just a good question, it's a story by Jerry Pallotta that we will read, then

we'll make a pumpkin pie slice craft.



**Mon., Nov. 28 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Dec. 1 at 5:00 PM**



We will learn about friendship reading *Waddles* by Davis McPhail and make a raccoon popsicle stick craft.



**Mon., Dec. 5 at 10:30 AM and  
Thurs., Dec. 8 at 5:00 PM**



For our last Story Time of 2022, we will read *Five Busy Elves* by Patricia Hegarty and decorate our own Christmas cookies!