

"ONE WORLD, MANY STORIES"

North Carolina Summer Reading Program-2011

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My programs are usually 45 minutes to one hour in length. I can shorten or lengthen the time depending on your needs. *Music, Minds, and Motion* integrates life skills, cultural heritage, creativity, and intellectual development through the enjoyment and understanding of various musical styles and read-aloud and picture books.

Pre-school programs can also include:

- singing traditional songs (I accompany myself on guitar or keyboard)
- playing musical instruments (depending on the size of the group, I can provide rhythm instruments for the children to play)
- learning new songs
- combining stories and books with songs
- dancing/moving to music.

K-8 programs can also include:

- the five elements of the pre-school program
- performance (with group participation) of traditional and original songs about cultural heritage, our relation to the environment, and other topics—both humorous and serious
- demonstration through reading, performance, and dramatization of how emotions, language, and stories work together to create a song
- demonstration of a variety of musical instruments (depending on the size of the group, I can provide instruments for group participation)

Sample Program for *Music, Minds, and Motion*

The song and book titles listed below have a direct connection to this summer's theme. You may choose from this list or check my resource page for other titles.

1. C-H-I-C-K-E-N (group participation)
2. Old McDonald
3. The Green Grass Grew All Around
4. If You're Happy and You Know It (group participation)
5. Hole In the Bucket (group participation)
6. Over In the Meadow
7. Old Blue
8. I've been Working on the Railroad

9. Frog Went a Courtin'
10. You Are My Sunshine
11. ABC/Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star (for the little ones)
12. Mary Had a Little Lamb
13. Chicken Lips and Lizard Hips (group participation)
14. There was an Old Lady (with puppets)
15. I Wish I was a Mole in the Ground
16. Hokey Pokey (group movement)
17. Miss Mary Mack (acappella w/clapping)
18. What Will You Wear Jenny Jenkins?
19. The Itsy Bitsy Spider (group movement)
20. The Grand Old Duke of York (group movement)

The Lizard and the Sun: La Lagartija y el Sol, Alma Flor Ada, Felipe Dávalos
Wiley and the Hairy Man, Molly Garrett Bang
Dem Bones, Bob Barner (traditional song)
No Mirrors in My Nana's House, Ysaye M. Barnwell (with song)
My Grandma Lived in Gooligulch, Graeme Base
Jungle Drums, Graeme Base
Yellow Submarine, The Beatles (with song)
Honey...Honey...Lion!: A Story From Africa, Jan Brett
Island in the Sun, Harry Belafonte and Lord Burgess (with song)
What A Wonderful World, Illustrations by Ashley Bryan (words and music by Weiss and Thiele)
(with song)
Cumbayah, Illustrations by Floyd Cooper (traditional song)
Wynken, Blynken, and Nod, Eugene W. Field (with song)
Little Inchkin, Fiona French
A STORY A STORY: An African Tale, Retold by Gail E. Haley
There Once Was a Man Named Michael Finnegan, Mary Ann Hoberman and Nadine Bernard
Westcott (with song)
My Great-Aunt Arizona, Gloria Houston, Susan Condie Lamb
Love Can Build A Bridge, Naomi Judd (with song)
I Was Born About 10,000 Years Ago, Steven Kellogg (with song)
Hush Little Alien, Daniel Kirk (a twist on the traditional song "Hush Little Baby")
Wood Hoopoe Willie, Virginia Kroll and Katherine Roundtree
John Henry, Julius Lester, Jerry Pinkney (with song)
Anansi The Spider: A Tale From the Ashanti, Gerald McDermott
Seven Spools of Thread, Angela Shelf Medearis
We All Sing With the Same Voice, Philip J. Miller and Sheppard M. Greene (with song)
Zen Shorts, Jon J Muth
Coat of Many Colors, Dolly Parton (with song)
The Bremen Town Musicians, Rabbit Ears
Earthsong, Sally Rogers
When I Was Young in the Mountains, Cynthia Rylant, Diane Goode
Dancing the Ring Shout, Kim Siegelson
Mee Maw's Memory Quilt, Jane Wilson and Michael Hass

The Bunyans, Audrey Wood, David Shannon

The titles below are very appropriate for this summer's theme, and I am happy to include any of these stories and picture books.

A Twist on Fairy Tales, Fables, Nursery Rhymes, and Other Stories:

Goldilocks and the Three Bears as told by Pam Tillis, Jane Chambless Wright (with CD)
Smoky Mountain Rose: An Appalachian Cinderella, Alan Schroeder, Brad Sneed
The Matzo Ball Boy, Lisa Shulman, Rosanne Litzinger
The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig, Eugene Trivizas, Helen Oxenberry
The Stinky Cheese Man and other Fairly Stupid Tales, Jon Scieszka, Lane Smith (Caldecott Medal)
The True Story of the Three Little Pigs! By A. Wolf, Jon Scieszka, Lane Smith
The Three Silly Billies, Margie Palatini, Barry Moser
Gingerbread Baby, Jan Brett
Armadilly Chili, Helen Ketteman, Will Terry
Petite Rouge: A Cajun Red Riding Hood, Mike Artell, Jim Harris
The Three Pigs, David Wiesner (Caldecott Medal)
The Pot That Juan Built, Nancy Andrews-Goebel, David Diaz
Wolf! Wolf!, John Rocco
Bruh Rabbit and the Tar Baby Girl, Virginia Hamilton, Paintings by James E. Ransome
Fairytales News, Colin and Jacqui Hawkins
The Book That Jack Wrote, Jon Scieszka, Paintings by Daniel Adel
My Lucky Day, Keiko Kasza
The Dog Who Cried Wolf, Keiko Kasza
Rufferella, Vanessa Gill-Brown, Mandy Stanley
Dinorella: A Prehistoric Fairy Tale, Pamela Duncan Edwards, Henry Cole
Bigfoot Cinderrrrrella, Tony Johnston, James Warhola
CinderHazel!: The Cinderella of Halloween, Deborah Nourse Lattimore
Yo, Hungry Wolf!: A Nursery Rap, David Vozar, Betsy Lewin
Liza Lou and the Yeller Belly Swamp, Mercer Mayer
A Frog in the Bog, Karma Wilson, Joan Rankin
Cajun Night Before Christmas, "Trosclair," Edited by Howard Jacobs, James Rice
You Read to Me, I'll Read to You: Very Short Fairy Tales to Read Together, Mary Ann Hoberman, Michael Emberley
Ashpet: An Appalachian Tale, Retold by Joanne Compton, Kenn Compton
This is the Teacher, Rhonda Gowler Greene, Mike Lester
Manana, Iguana, Ann Whitford Paul, Ethan Lon