

Babies and Books Social Story

This is my library: The Southeast Branch Library.



I visit the library with my grown-up. Today, I am going to Babies and Books Story Time in the Story Room.



When I walk into the Story Room, I can get a colorful circle from the stack to sit on. I can also sit on the green benches or colorful stools if I want.



I can say hi and wave to my friends while I wait for Babies and Books to begin. I will know Babies and Books is beginning when Ms. Ashley starts singing the “Hello Friends” song.



Some people may be late and come in after we start, and that is okay.

During Babies and Books, we will talk about the rules, sing songs, read two books, and learn colors and sign language.

Baby Preslie, the baby doll, will join us for some songs in Babies and Books!



I can sing along, move my body, or dance to the songs if I feel like it. I will try my best to stay behind the colorful line in the Story Room to make sure I give Ms. Ashley enough space to move around too.



I will try to sit quietly and listen while Ms. Ashley reads the books.

Sometimes, a lot of people come to Babies and Books. If I need a break or it gets too loud for me, I can tell my grown-up, and we can go to the main part of the Children's Department.



If I need to go to the bathroom, I can quietly ask my grown-up, and we can go to the family bathroom in the Children's Department.



After we sing the “Goodbye Song”, Ms. Ashley will get out the stuffed animals, musical instruments, board books, and scarves.



I can play with my friends and my grown-up using these things. Ms. Ashley will turn on some quiet music while I play. When I am done playing, I will put away my toys in the plastic bins and say bye to my friends.

I will leave the Story Room with my grown-up and remember to walk and use my inside voice in the library. My grown-up and I may pick out some books to borrow from the library or play at the Lego table or computers.



If I have a question or want to find a book, I can ask the librarian at the desk for help.



When my grown-up and I are done at the library, we will leave.