

Dumbarton

Storytime Calendar 2009

2009 Storytime Schedule

Mother Goose	Wednesday	9:30 a.m.
Toddler	Thursday	9:30 a.m.
Preschool	Thursday	10:30 a.m.

January

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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

February

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March

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April

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June

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July

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October

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November

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29	30					

December

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*Election day is Nov. 3. No storytimes at DU, FA, or GA.



Session I: Jan. 5–Feb. 14
 Session II: Mar. 2–Apr. 11
 Session III: Apr. 27–May 30

Session IV: Jun. 22–Aug. 8
 Session V: Aug. 31–Oct. 10
 Session VI: Oct. 26–Dec. 12



Holiday—library closed.



Lapsit Lambs: Birth–Pre-walkers; Mother Goose: 6–24 mos.;
 Toddler: 24–36 mos.; Preschool: 3–5 yrs.

Choosing the right storytime for your child

Storytimes are planned specifically for each age group. Your child will get the most from attending the storytime that is designed for his or her developmental level.

Lapsit Lambs: Birth to pre-walkers

Mother Goose: 6 to 24 months

Toddler Time: 24 to 36 months

Preschool: 3 to 5 years

(may be unaccompanied, but caregiver participation is recommended)

Every Child Ready to Read

Our storytimes are designed to help young children acquire the skills they need to start school ready to learn. We emphasize these six pre-literacy skills at storytime and use research-based best practices to help children learn them through fun activities.

Narrative skills – being able to describe things and events and tell stories.

Vocabulary – knowing the names of things.

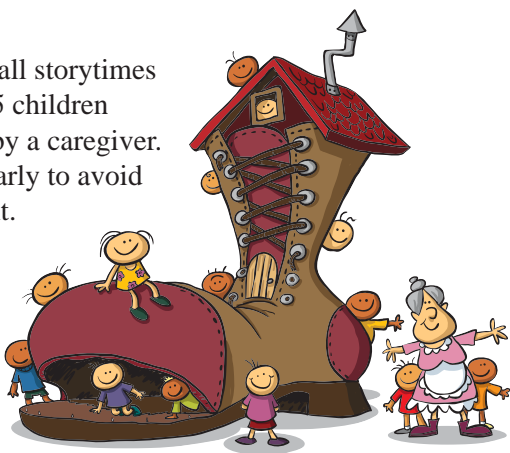
Phonological awareness – being able to hear and play with the smaller sounds in words.

Print awareness – noticing print and how it works, knowing about books and following words on a page.

Letter knowledge – knowing letters have names and sounds, and being able to recognize upper and lower case.

Print motivation – being interested in and enjoying books.

Attendance at all storytimes is limited to 25 children accompanied by a caregiver. Please come early to avoid disappointment.



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