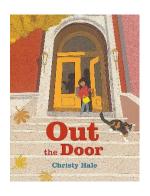
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STORYTIME!

Books We Shared Today



I Love All of Me by Lorie Ann Grover



Out the Door by Christy Hale

Summer Reading Extravaganza!

Celebrate the summer! Join us on **Sunday**, **August 13 from noon – 5 pm** at Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh's Summer Reading Extravaganza, a family-friendly outdoor festival for all ages. Grab your friends and head to the Library in Oakland for music, crafts, games, activities, storytelling, food trucks, and so much more!

Reading Readiness Tips:

In this book, we see all the steps involved in going to school in the morning. Helping children sequence the order in which things take place builds comprehension and develops Narrative Skills. By reading stories with a clear sequence of events and recalling what happens "first, second, third, etc", you're helping prepare children for learning to read and write, and to identify story elements such as character, setting, and plot. As you're reading, encourage kids to predict what will happen next in the story and why they think that. Try asking questions like "where do you think the character is going?," "what makes you think that?" or "what do you think will happen next?"

The Waves at the Beach Tune: Wheels on the Bus

The waves at the beach go UP and DOWN
UP and DOWN, UP and DOWN
The waves at the beach go UP and DOWN
all day long!

Other verses:

Crabs at the beach go SNAP SNAP SNAP Clams at the beach go OPEN and SHUT Birds at the beach go SWOOP and DIVE