

Creating Readers: Over 1000 Games, Activities, Tongue Twisters, Fingerplays, Songs, and Stories to Get Children Excited about Reading, Pamela Byrne Schiller, Gryphon House, 2001, 0876592582, 9780876592588, 447 pages. Combining the language experience approach and phonics instruction, this guide provides parents and early childhood teachers a comprehensive resource for developing a strong foundation for pre-readers. The guide offers over 1,000 activities, games, fingerplays, songs, tongue-twisters, poems, and stories for the letters of the alphabet to develop a child's desire to read as well as the skills needed to begin reading. Following the introduction outlining basic principles of emergent literacy and realistic expectations for ages birth to 3 years, 3 to 4 years, and 5 years of age, the chapters of the book are as follows: (1) "Getting Ready," including listening games, language activities, and tips for reading aloud to children; (2) "Comprehending Stories," including enacting and dramatizing stories, using questions to enhance comprehension, and developing higher level thinking; (3) "Developing Oral Language," including extending and enriching vocabulary, and matching words to thoughts and actions; (4) "Understanding the Functions of Print," including understanding spatial orientation and recognizing part/whole relationships; and (5) "Acquiring Reading Skills," including recognizing sight words and developing phonological awareness. The guide's appendix includes assessment lists, patterns, sequence cards, recipes, games, and a glossary. (HTH).

The Instant Curriculum Over 750 Developmentally Appropriate Learning Activities for Busy Teachers of Young Children, Pamela Byrne Schiller, Joan Rossano, 2005, Education, 376 pages. "Resource book for teachers in early childhood education, providing over 750 activities to use in the classroom"--Provided by publisher..

Bugs, Bugs! 21 Songs and Over 250 Activities for Young Children, Pamela Byrne Schiller, 2006, Education, 128 pages. Best-selling author brings music and learning together with songs to sing, dance, and explore children's imaginations..

The mitten a Ukrainian folktale, Jan Brett, 1990, Social Science, 32 pages. Several animals sleep snugly in Nicki's lost mitten until the bear sneezes..

Mommy, Teach Me to Read! A Complete and Easy-to Use Home Reading Program, Barbara Curtis, 2007, Education, 166 pages. Presents a reading program that includes activities for parents to use to teach their children to read..

Story Stretchers for Infants, Toddlers, and Twos Experiences, Activities, and Games for Popular Children's Books, Shirley C. Raines, Karen Miller, Leah Curry-Rood, 2002, Education, 240 pages. S-t-r-e-t-c-h the magic of 80 popular children's books with 240 fun-filled learning activities..

Genesis Beach, Susan Whitfield, May 31, 2011, , 196 pages. SBI Intern Logan Hunter tracks a murderer at Genesis Beach. When the lifeless body of millionaire Rick Teater is discovered, ready or not, Logan is thrust into a high-profile

School Days 28 Songs and Over 300 Activities for Young Children, Pamela Byrne Schiller, 2006,

Education, 128 pages. Best-selling author brings music and learning together with songs to sing, dance, and explore children's imaginations..

The Complete Resource Book An Early Childhood Curriculum: Over 2000 Activities and Ideas!, Pamela Byrne Schiller, Pam Schiller, Kay Hastings, 1998, Education, 463 pages. A versatile sourcebook for planning classroom activities all year round..

Tongue Twisters to Teach Phonemic Awareness and Phonics Beginning Consonants and Vowels (K-2), Joyce Kohfeldt, 2000, , 80 pages. Uses tongue twisters and skill-building activities to teach students about consonants and vowels..

Art Across the Alphabet Over 100 Art Experiences that Enrich Early Literacy, Kelly Justus Campbell, 2003, Education, 160 pages. With more than 100 art-centered activities, children ages three to six learn how to reinforce letter recognition, build pre-reading skills, and associate reading with fun

Tell it Again! 2 Easy-to-tell Stories with Activities for Young Children, Rebecca T. Isbell, Shirley C. Raines, 2000, Education, 204 pages. 17 more stories to tell with tips and activities to delight young children..

The Learning Power of Laughter Over 3000 Playful Games, Activities, and Ideas that Promote Learning with Young Children, Jackie Silberg, 2004, Education, 136 pages. How to use the power of laughter in a classroom of young children..

Everything for Winter A Complete Activity Book for Teachers of Young Children: Activities for December, January, and February, Kathy Charner, 1997, Education, 270 pages. Reenergize winter classrooms with these fun-filled activities for December, January, and February..

The Complete Resource Book for Toddlers and Twos Over 2000 Experiences and Ideas!, Pamela Byrne Schiller, 2003, Education, 640 pages. A complete curriculum for toddlers and twos by one of Gryphon House's best-selling authors..

Me, My Family and Friends 26 Songs and Over 300 Activities for Young Children, Pam Schiller, 2006, Education, 128 pages. Offers songs and activities that teach children about family, friends and feelings..