

Remote Storytime Resources

If you cannot attend a storytime at the Library due to illness, or if the Library cancels storytime, here are some online resources you can use to have storytime at home!

[Reading Rockets Tips for Reading to Preschoolers](#)

Storytimes on the Web

[Storyline Online](#)

The SAG-AFTRA Foundation's award-winning and Daytime Emmy-nominated children's literacy website, Storyline Online, streams imaginatively produced videos featuring celebrated actors including Viola Davis, Allison Janney, Chris Pine, Wanda Sykes, Justin Theroux, and Betty White reading children's books alongside creatively produced illustrations, helping to inspire a love of reading in children.

Storyline Online is available 24 hours a day for children, parents, and educators worldwide. For each book, supplemental curriculum developed by a literacy specialist is provided, aiming to strengthen comprehension and verbal and written skills for English-language learners worldwide.

[Storytime From Space](#)

Picture books are shared by astronauts on the International Space Station. This project is administered by the Global Space Education Foundation.

[World Book Day - Storytime Online](#)

Watch a wonderful range of famous authors and stars reading children's books and short stories for kids of all ages. Storytime Online makes storytelling possible at any time of the day—a brilliant way to keep children entertained and a fun way to help develop their language skills.

Online Stories

Library subscription services - Log in with your library card number.

[Axis 360](#)

Search "picture books" to find books to share with young children.

[Media on Demand \(Libby App\)](#)

Check out picture books to read or try their Read Along ebooks to have books read aloud while you follow along.

[Hoopla](#)

Check out picture books on Hoopla and even try their Read Along feature to share books with your children.



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Early Literacy Activities like Songs, Fingerplays, and Rhymes

[Jack Hartmann Kids Music Channel](#)

These songs for kids and educational videos will help children learn counting, numbers, reading and language skills, nursery rhymes, science, physical fitness, dance and movement.

[Jbrary](#)

Two children's librarians looking to share storytime resources with the broader library and education community including songs and rhymes.

[Dr. Jean](#)

Dr. Feldman inspires teachers across the country with her engaging songs and creative activities that help make teaching and learning FUN!

[The Laurie Berkner Band](#)

Renowned children's musicians, The Laurie Berkner Band's youtube channel contains her songs and dance along videos.

[Sesame Street](#)

The official Sesame Street youtube channel includes many favorite educational songs performed by Elmo and friends!