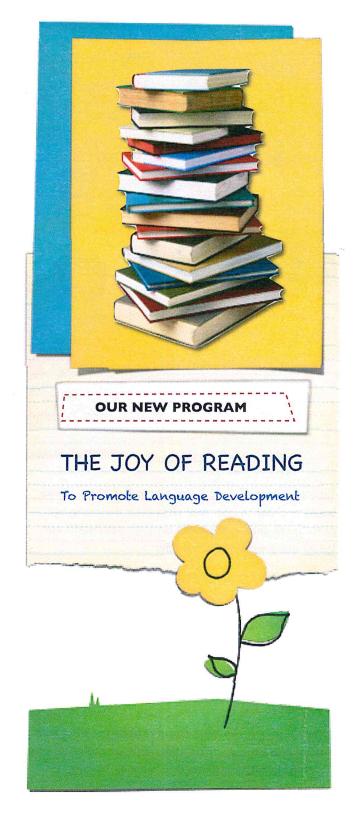
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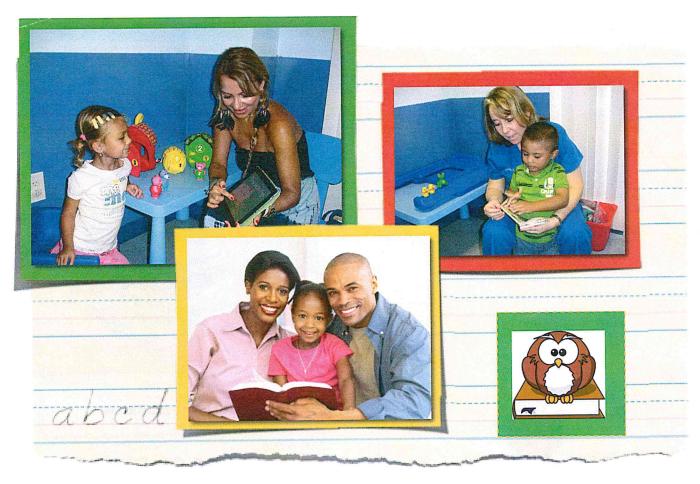
We invite you to participate in our new program by reading with your child at home. Here at Bi-County, we are convinced that books are an indispensable tool to encourage language development. We will have readings that will help you to Junderstand how language skills are acquired. You will also learn techniques that will help you to stimulate the development of those skills through reading. Please join us in our new adventure!





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Take advantage of the opportunity to learn how to use books in order to help your child meet their language goals. Speak with your speech language pathologist and follow our program that will offer:

- Lists of books recommended for your child based on his/ her age.
- Lists of books recommended based on holidays, seasons, and special occasions.
- The opportunity to attend demonstrations on how to read with your child and have them develop a love for reading.
- Training to get the most out of reading any story and using it to master any language goals: such as vocabulary, grammar, imitation of words or sounds, reading

# "Children are made readers on the laps of their parents"

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comprehension, practice of specific phonemes in context, reasoning, sequencing, use of verbs, ability to answer question, etc.

- Recommended readings for you, that will help you to understand the importance of reading starting at a young age.
- An atmosphere that promotes conversations about stories that have been read.
- Activities that go beyond reading a story and enrich your child's language skills.

# PROMOTING READING AT HOME

Reading helps us develop the ability to listen, and offers us the opportunity to talk to our children and promote their language skills.

# DEVELOPING A LOVE FOR READING USING BOOKS WITH ILLUSTRATIONS

These kinds of books are recommended for younger children. In these books, the focus is not necessarily based on the text, but on the illustrations, which we can use to talk to our kids about what is happening in the story with simple sentences.

## USING IMAGES TO TEACH NEW VOCABULARY

Through the stories, we can expose our children to new vocabulary that we don't use in everyday conversation. These include vehicles, jungle animals, farm animals, tools, words relating to extreme climate, etc.

### ASKING QUESTIONS



Reading together is a magical way to spend time with our children. We can use the story to have a conversation. Asking them questions will help them to improve their expressive language skills. By doing this, we can identify their likes and dislikes, and measure their reading comprehension, attention, and memory.

## VISITING THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Because no pockets run deep enough to buy the amount of books necessary, we invite you to visit your closest public library. There, you can take advantage of all of the resources that they have to offer.