

Providence Public Library's Early Literacy Learning Center presents...

Getting Ready to Read **— a Parent Workshop**

Monday, June 27

6:30 - 8:30 PM

Free; please register in the Children's Room or call 455-8098 or 455-8025.

Providence Public Library

150 Empire Street

Barnard Room (3rd Floor)



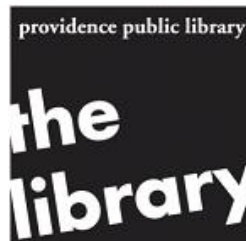
Workshop goal:

To help you raise reading-ready children who love books and learning by demonstrating how to use parenting strategies and reading strategies to read aloud effectively to young children.

The interactive workshop agenda includes:

- Research on the importance of reading aloud to infants, toddlers, and preschoolers
- Information about early literacy concepts and skills
- Criteria for selecting good children's picture books
- Recommended books to read aloud to young children

Susan Marx, BS Ed., MA and Barbara Kasok, BS Ed., authors of *Help Me Get Ready to Read — The Practical Guide for Reading Aloud to Children During their First Five Years*, present this **Early Literacy Workshop** designed for **ALL** caring adults who read aloud to children. They will demonstrate how to use parenting strategies and reading strategies to read aloud effectively to young children, encouraging a love of reading and learning with children from infancy through preschool.



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