

# COLUMBUS METROPOLITAN LIBRARY SUPPORT FOR KINDERGARTEN READINESS

CML supports the efforts of parents, caregivers and early childhood educators in Franklin County with resources, services and programs.

## PROGRAMS

### Storytimes

Storytimes are grounded in four emerging literacy skills with emphasis on helping parents and caregivers understand their part.

### Ready for Kindergarten Classes

Our staff present hands-on kindergarten readiness activities for 3, 4 and 5 year olds and their parents and caregivers in a classroom-like space.

### Ready for Kindergarten Specialists

Specialized staff engage individually with parents and caregivers in early literacy conversations and kindergarten readiness activities.

### Kindergarten Success Camp

Eight-session summer camps provide a school transition experience for incoming kindergartners and their parents and caregivers.

### Ready for Kindergarten Areas

These areas provide a special space for children, with their parents and caregivers, to experience literacy and be better prepared for kindergarten.

### Play to Learn

We offer intentional child-led, play-based activities with staff in our Children's areas.

### Outreach Ready for Kindergarten Classes

Our specialist offers a series of six classes at preschools and daycares focusing on kindergarten readiness skills.

