

# McCreary County Early Childhood Council Collaboration



# **McCreary County Early Childhood Council School Readiness Palooza**



**McCreary County Early Childhood Council Member and Community Partners.**

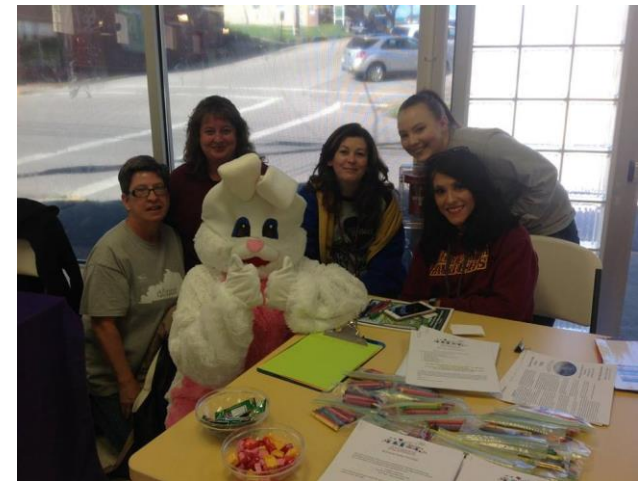


**School Readiness Bags  
Alphabet/Numbers  
Puzzles, Dry Erase Boards  
and Markers, Alphabet  
and Number Workbooks  
etc.**



# Early Childhood Palooza

## Vendors/Community Partners



# **Early Childhood Palooza**

## **Vendors/Community Partners**

- Kindergarten Teachers/Elementary Schools
- Preschool Teachers/State Funded Preschool Program
- Lake Cumberland Head Start
- Christian Schools with Pre-K and Kindergarten Programs
- Health Department /HANDS
- Childcare/Daycare Facilities
- Library/Children's Librarian
- STARS
- Extension Office
- Lions Club (Vision Screenings)
- Insurance Company's (Anthem, Humana etc.)
- Christian Appalachia Project Preschool and Infant Toddler Programs
- Pediatric or local Dental Office
- Pediatric or local Doctor Office
- Public School Family Resource Coordinator's

# Early Childhood Palooza

## Vendors/Community Partners

- Foster Care Agencies (NECCO, Benchmark, etc.)
- Applied Behavioral Advancement (Behavioral Analyst/counselors)
- Intrust Healthcare Counseling Services
- First Steps



# Milk and Cookies with Santa



**Free Books for all  
Children birth to 5**



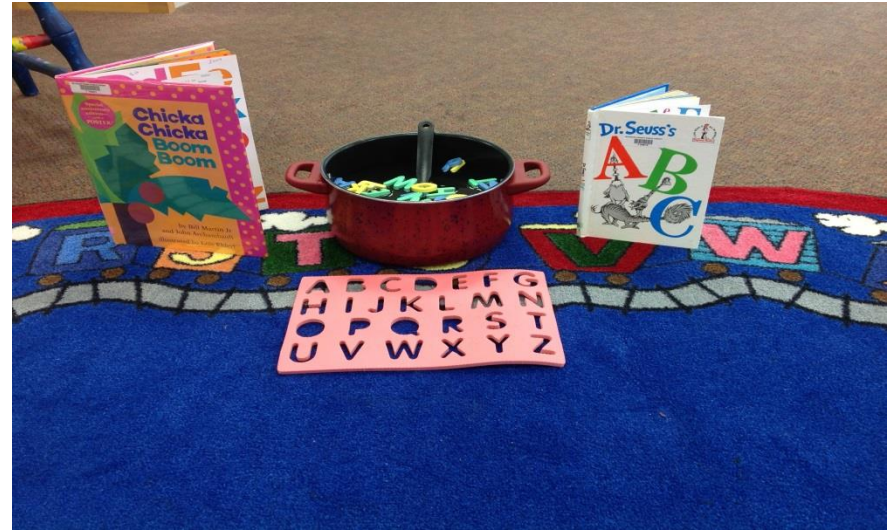
**School Readiness  
Activity Stations**

**Santa  
Visits**



**Story Time Programs**

# Preschool Story Hour at MCPL



# “How can Preschool Story Hour get my child ready for school?”

Content Covered:

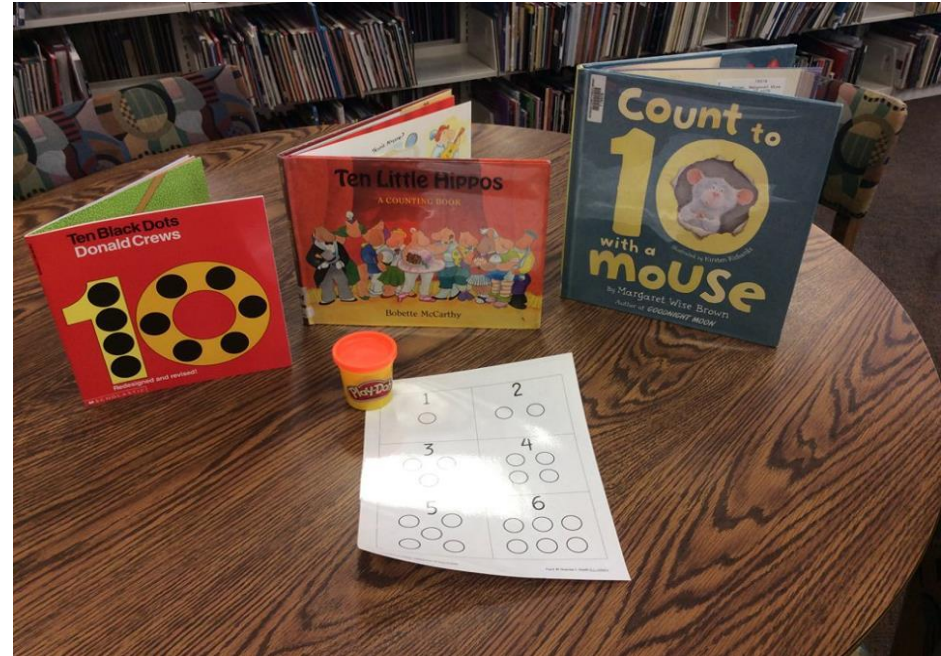
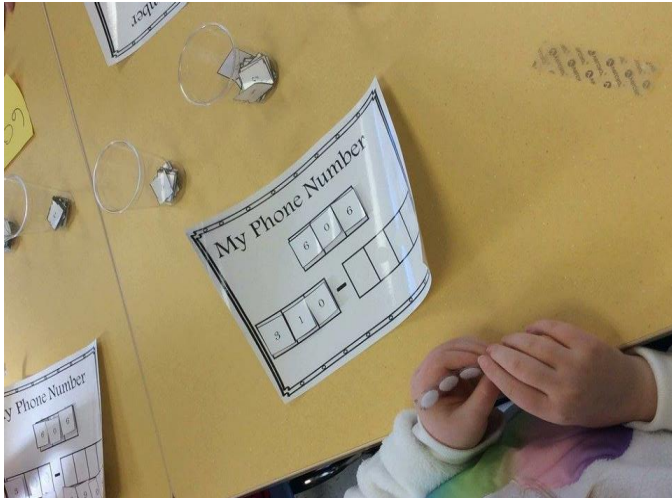
Every Subject we cover is related back to a book to promote Early Literacy and the love for reading and books.

- Personal Info (Phone #, Name, Address, etc.)
- Colors, Shapes, Numbers, Alphabet, body parts, Counting
- Fine Motor and Gross Motor Skills Practice





# Reinforcement at Home



**Every Preschool Story Hour Program gives the families a take home reinforcement to keep the skill we practiced that day going at home. Repetition is a proven tool that works.**

# The Future of McCreary County CECC

- We have decided we will no longer apply for grants or operate under the CECC name.
- No more officer positions will be held
- No more monthly meeting but we will meet quarterly and cover all the early childhood topics that are affecting or will affect our community in the next few months.

## Who comes to our meetings?

- Library Staff
- Public School FRC Staff
  - Preschool Staff
  - Head Start Staff
- Childcare/Daycare Staff
- Health Dept/Hands Staff
- CAP Eagle Child and Family Development Staff
  - First Steps Staff
- UK Training Coordinators
- STARS Quality Coordinators

"Every successful individual knows that his or her achievement depends on a community of persons working together."

- Paul Ryan

