

# Fabulous Fall Town Hall

Down the street the gingerbread man. He ran past the  
apartment. The dog wagged his tail. Slow down, Gingerbread  
man. I want to talk to you. The dog barked. And he started  
crying like the gingerbread man.

But the gingerbread man ran faster.

"I'll run and run as fast as I can.  
I won't reach you. I'm the gingerbread man!"  
And from the window, I ran from the man.  
It ran from you. See if I can!"

October 16, 2020



# Welcome!

Using the Chat box, tell us your name and where you are from! What podcasts are you listening to?

The Chat Box is at the bottom of the Zoom tool bar :)

Hi everyone!  
Tymisha from RAR  
National in PA

# Agenda for Today's Town Hall

## Engaging Immigrant and Refugee Families

- Affiliate Examples
  - Jennifer Robinson, Pajaro Valley Unified School District RAR
  - Kiisha Smith, United Way of Greater Atlanta
  - Amanda Moon, Calhoun Intermediate School District
- Open Discussion-Sharing Session



# **Serving Migrant Families**

Jennifer Robinson, Pajaro Valley Unified School District  
RAR



**Migrant Season- May- October. PVUSD  
RAR served 741 migrant children in 2019.**



# RAR in Migrant Centers- 300 children & 441 in Family child care homes





# Encouraging Mixteco families to explore books with native languages



# Creating routines of book sharing





# April Distributions at Agency Meetings and mini RAR Refresher Training. \$15 per child for refreshers.



# Orienting families in May at Centers





# Library Events with Migrant Celebrations at the Library





# Refugee Village

Kiisha Smith, United Way of Greater Atlanta







# Mobile Library

10/19/2020



# Calhoun County's Practices for Engaging Immigrant and Refugee Families

Amanda Moon, Calhoun Intermediate School District

## RAR- Early Childhood Connections Partnership

- Family Coaches who speak the language
  - RAR built into Home Visiting program
- Community Partners to translate books and paperwork
- RAR is mandated into the state funded preschool program (GSRP)
  - With higher percentage of foreign language speakers RAR utilizes translated and wordless books into classroom sets

## Mindful Practices in Translations

- Confirm that books translate well
- Damaged books are donated to families, churches, and other community org.
- Allow space for families to talk about the books in a picture walk fashion
- RAR National allows some books to be purchased in bulk to translate



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*A Fun Way to Support Early Literacy through Reading  
Routines and Home-School Connections!*

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The First 100  
Implementer  
Toolkits  
ordered will get  
a RAR Swag  
Bag!

## Individual Family Pack

- Ages 3-Prek
- School Age

**\$55 per Family Pack!**

## Classroom Pack

- Implementer Toolkit
- Family Pack (up to 25)
  - Ages 3-PreK
  - School Age

**25%  
Off**

**\$200-\$1250  
per  
Classroom!**

# Fabulous Fall Classroom Pack!

- *For Families...*
- **Components:**
- Six Bilingual Storybooks
- Bilingual Family Guide
- Response Journal
- RAR Fall Webpage:
  - Virtual Storytimes & Recorded Read Alouds
  - Shared Reading Videos
  - Virtual Field Trips
  - Downloadable extension activities



# Fabulous Fall Classroom Pack!

- *For Implementers, Teachers, Home Visitors...*

## Components:

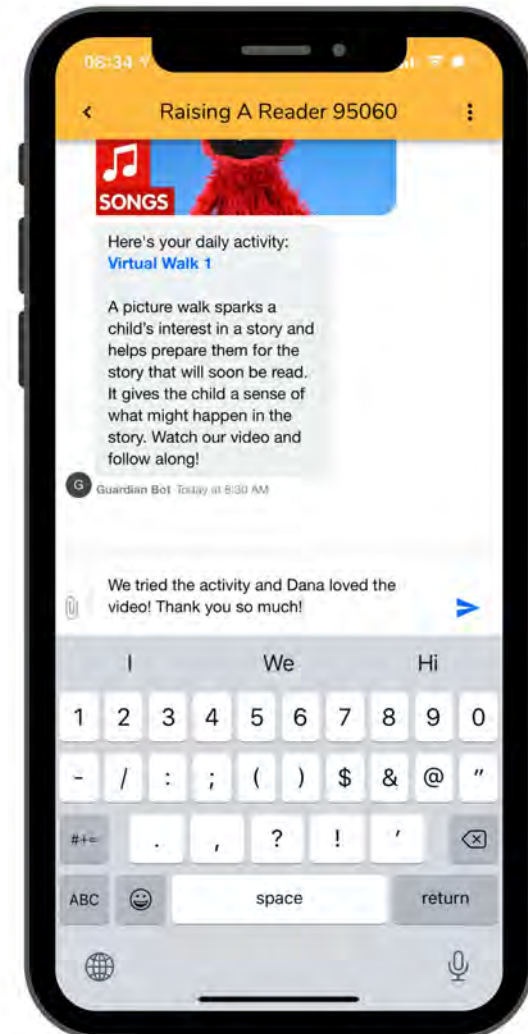
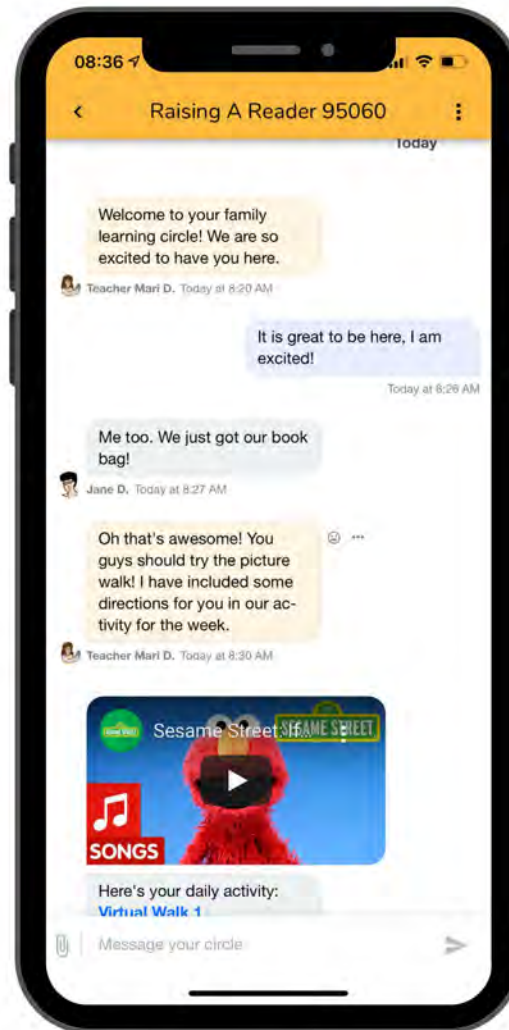
- Six Bilingual Storybooks
- Bilingual Family Guide
- Cell Phone Stand
- One Puppet
- Downloadable Implementer Guide
- *Exclusive* Online & On-Demand Training
- **Raising A Reader Family Learning Circle!**





## Raising A Reader's Family Learning Circles

- Provides educators an easy way to engage families with Fabulous Fall content
- Allows families to connect with each other to promote peer-to-peer learning and reduce family isolation
- Provides educators a platform to communicate with families real-time in 13 different languages

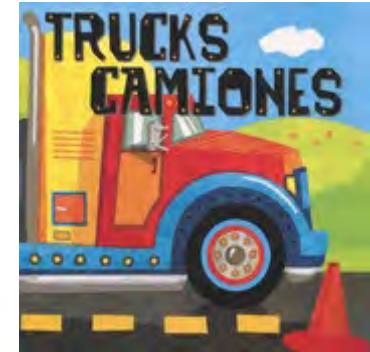


# Infant and Toddler Kits NOW AVAILABLE!

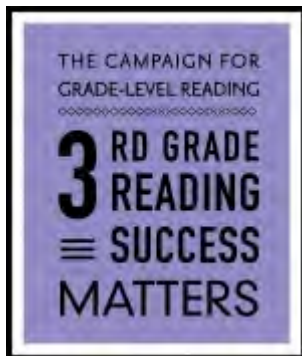
- Six Bilingual Board Books
- 1 High Quality Puppet
- Bilingual Tip Sheet
- Special Section on Fab Fall Webpage!

**\$32/each!**

**Shipping Included**



# Resources and Announcements



12:00 PM PT | 3:00 PM ET

[Register here](#)

**October 20, 2020 @ 3p.m. ET**

**Transforming Well-Being Through Social & Emotional Development**

Presenters: Craig Bailey of Yale Center for Emotional Intelligence; Maryetta Callier-Wells of Self Enhancement, Inc.; Mia Doces of Committee for Children; Dr. Neal M. Horen of Center for Child and Human Development; Iheoma Iruka of University of North Carolina Chapel Hill; Melissa Schlenger of Collaborative for Academic, Social, and Emotional Learning (CASEL); and Dr. David Willis of Center for the Study of Social Policy.

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Learning  
Tuesdays





5:30 PM PT | 8:30 PM ET

[Register here](#)

## **Using Books to Engage Young Children in Talk about Race & Justice**

**October 22, 2020 | 8:30 pm ET**

If we are serious about raising inclusive, empathetic children who are able to think critically and compassionately about race and racial justice, the conversations have to start early. Our guests Aija Simmons, Sara Rizik-Baer, and Savitha Moorthy describe Mirrors, Windows, and Glass Doors\*, a community-focused effort from Tandem, Partners in Early Learning that uses children's books as a departure point for expanding the capacity of families with children under 5 to engage in critical conversations about diversity, equity, inclusion, and justice.

# Coming Soon! Town Hall Topics

- Fundraising and Grant Writing in the time of COVID
- What else would **YOU** like to see at a Town Hall?



# Sharing Session/Discussion

