

Word Clouds



Preschool Storytime; "In The Cloud"

March 14, 2013, 10:30-11 a.m.

Library Materials to borrow:

O'Keeffe, Gwenn Schurgin. *CyberSafe : protecting and empowering kids in the digital world of texting, gaming, and social media.*

Elk Grove Village, Ill. : American Academy of Pediatrics, c2011.

Presents a guide that helps children and parents navigate through today's digital technologies, products, terminology, and services; and offers advice on protecting children from online dangers such as cyberbullying and sexual predators.

Parent Coll.J004.678 OKE (Lower Floor)

The safe side. Internet safety [DVD]

New York : Sony Wonder, c2006., 42 min.

Reel Creative Productions. Special features: Two music videos; Bloopers reel; Parents section. DVD; full screen and widescreen presentations; region 1; Dolby digital. English dialogue with optional Spanish subtitles; closed-captioned.

Summary: Join Safe Side Superchick as she finds herself in laugh-out-loud situations that spoof Lizzie McGuire, The Crocodile Hunter, and Fear Factor.

DVD 004.678 SAF (Main Floor)

Visit these Library Webpages:

Longview Public Library Main Page:

<http://www.longviewlibrary.org/>

The above page has links to your account, the catalog, databases, "Ask a Librarian", E-books and MORE!

Kids Page:

<http://www.longviewlibrary.org/kids.php>

Includes THIS *handout!*

Fun Sites for Kids Page:

<http://www.longviewlibrary.org/kidlinks.php>

Kids Booklists Page:

<http://www.longviewlibrary.org/booklists-kids.php>

Visit these Internet sites useful for families and caregivers of preschool children:

PBS "ABC's of Child Development":

<http://www.pbs.org/wholechild/abc/index.html>

An easy-to-use website full of useful information as well as expected developmental milestones in the areas of physical, social/emotional, cognitive, and communication.

The National Network for Child Care

<http://www.nncc.org/>

Check out the "Articles and Resources" for thousands of research-based and reviewed articles.

The Foundation for Early Learning

<http://www.earlylearning.org/>

This Washington State organization supports "best practices that support early learning and school-readiness for all children, birth through age five." See the Resources page!

Early Connections; technology in early childhood education

<http://www.netc.org/earlyconnections/>

Click on any link on the homepage, and then choose "Preschool"

Visit these fun and educational Internet sites for preschool children:

Cbeebies

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/>

The BBC British television children's website with child friendly links.

The Literacy Center

<http://www.literacycenter.net/>

Interactive exercises teach shapes, words, letters, numbers, and colors in English, Spanish, French, or German.

Between the Lions

<http://pbskids.org/lions/>

Like all PBS Kids sites, this is VERY kid friendly, with lots to explore.

Scholastic for Parents

<http://www.scholastic.com/parents/>

Put your child's age in the "Age by Age QuickFind" and select a topic such as "Activities that Inspire Creativity"

Chateau Meddybemps

<http://www.meddybemps.com/index.html>

Click on "Beantime Stories" or "Fun & Games"

National Geographic Kids videos

<http://video.nationalgeographic.com/video/kids/>

Just one of many kid-friendly pages at this site.

Reading is Fundamental; Leading to Reading

<http://www.rif.org/kids/leadingtoreading/en/leadingtoreading.htm>

"Read, Sing, Doodle, Play, Explore!"

Wonderopolis

<http://wonderopolis.org/>

A "wonder of the day" and supporting activities by the National Center for Family Literacy.

Hector's World

<http://www.hectorsworld.com/island/index.html>

This undersea world where children 2-9 can learn and play includes a Parents Page with information on digital citizenship and virtual worlds.

I Keep Safe

<http://www.ikeepsafe.org/>

Internet safety site, with pages for all ages.



Every Child Ready to Read

<http://everychildreadytoread.org/>

You are your child's 1st teacher. Learn how talking, singing, reading writing and playing support early literacy and make a life-long difference!

Great Websites for Kids

<http://gws.ala.org/>

A fun site of the American Library Association for browsing; launch hundreds of wonderful sites for children of all ages.

Apps blog

<http://momswithapps.com/>

There is a whole world of apps for children; this blog collects and reviews apps for smartphones and notepads.

