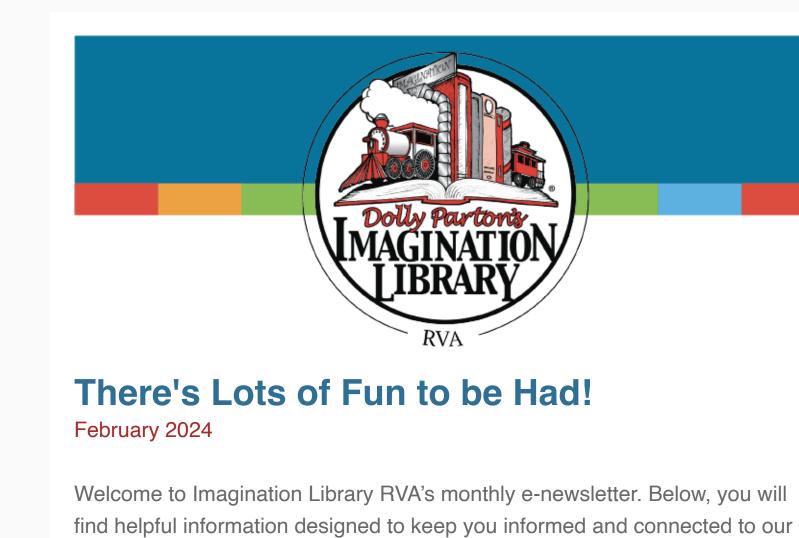
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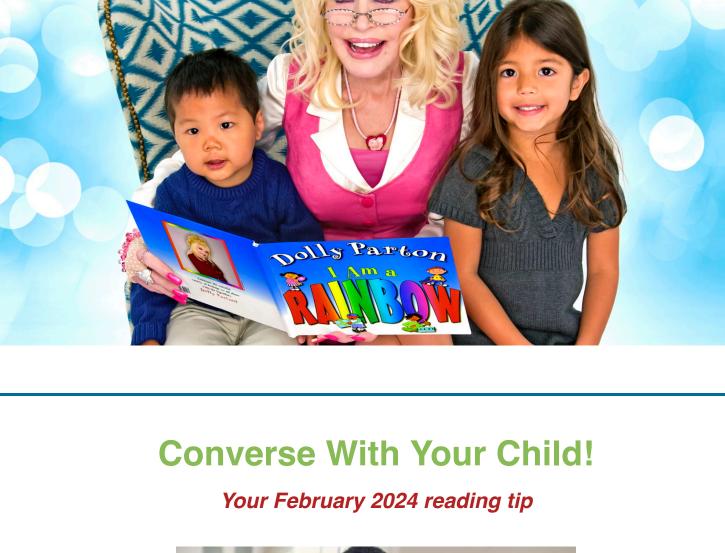
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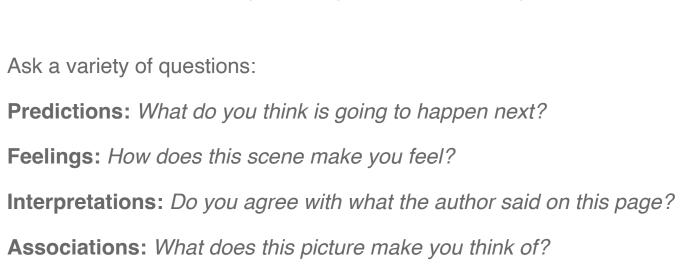
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community's ongoing work to promote literacy.

We are thrilled to have you as part of our growing family of readers! You can also visit us at www.lmaginationLlbraryRVA.org.





Sometimes your child won't want you to ask any questions. They'll just want

## • Toddler Time, Maymont Nature Center, 10:00am - 11:00am, \$

• Tutus & Ties on Tuesday, Children's Museum of Richmond Downtown, 2:00pm -2:30pm free with museum admission Feb. 9 • Ballet and Bookworms, Clover Hill Library, 2:00pm - 2:30pm, free Feb. 13 • Baby Artsplay, Children's Museum of Richmond Downtown, 3:30pm - 4:30pm, free Have a community event you would like us to include? **Email us! Imagination Library RVA News** 



We Love Our Local Libraries!

## **Celebrate Black History Month at the Library!** Your local branch of the Richmond Public Library (RPL) can help you celebrate

Main Library's Beth Morris Suggests Books for Young Reader



system is fine free. As long as you return your books, you will never be charged a fine. Does one of Beth's selections look interesting to you? Click here for a downloadable list of her suggested titles.

Your February 2024 "Focus on the Basics" Tip



Searching for shapes can transform a picture book into an extraordinary adventure. By encouraging your child to seek out shapes within the illustrations,

### you can enhance their spatial awareness and develop a keen eye for detail. Start by pointing out shapes then, as they grow, see if your child can find and

To learn more ways to Count, Group, and Compare, click here. Early childhood organizations all around the City of Richmond have joined The Basics movement, a strategy for whole communities to support vibrant learning and brain development among infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Fun, simple,

and powerful, starting at birth, The Basics are five science-based parenting and

caregiving principles that support social, emotional, and cognitive development. Each month Read to Them will highlight tips and strategies that will assist you in creating a sturdy foundation for school readiness for our youngest citizens.

Celebrating 2,550 Sign-ups! Sign up your child ages 0-5 living in the City of Richmond for FREE BOOKS through the mail today!



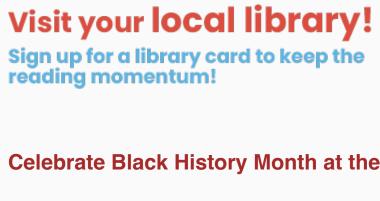
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# When you read a book together, it gives you something to talk about.

you to keep reading, and that's a good thing!

### Feb. 3 • Happy Birthday Elmo!, Deep Run Park Recreation Center, 10:00am - 11:00am, free • ChinaFest: Year of the Wood Dragon, Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, 10:00am -

Feb. 6



Is your reader eager to get

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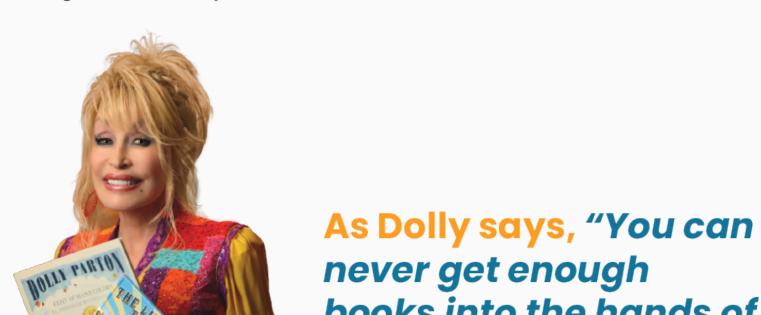


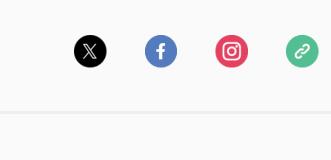
Try Looking for and Identifying Shapes When You Read This Month!

This month, we are highlighting the importance of Counting, Grouping, and Comparing.

name the shapes around them.

## **Current Number of RVA Readers...**





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Don't ask all these questions all the time. Pay attention to what feels right.

4:30pm, free

**Upcoming Community Partner Events** Feb. 2

• Bilingual Story Time, Children's Museum of Chesterfield, free with museum

• Celebrate Chinese New Year at CMoR Chesterfield, Children's Museum of

## Richmond Chesterfield, 10:30am - 11:30am, free Feb. 5