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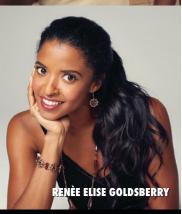
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READING INITIATIVE FOR TODDLERS TO TEENS

2024-2025 **READING LIST**







2024-2025 SEASON READING LIST

PAIRED WITH SHOWS IN THE CENTER'S 2024-2025 SEASON

AGES 6 & YOUNGER — SELECT 5 BOOKS

MUSIC IS IN EVERYTHING

by Ziggy Marley Ages Baby -7, Grades PreK-2 Pairina: Our Planet Live What can we do in the kitchen?

THE NOTE WHO FACED THE MUSIC

by Lindsay Bonilla

Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairing: Australian Chamber Orchestra How did the notes bring Half Note back?

SUGAR PIE LULLABY: THE SOUL OF MOTOWN IN A SONG OF LOVE

by Carole Boston Weatherford Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairing: Dionne Warwick If I were a carpenter, what would I do?

BROADWAY BIRD

by Alex Timbers Ages 4-6, Grades PreK-2 Pairing: Bachelors of Broadway What was Louisa's advice to Elephant?

ITZHAK: A BOY WHO LOVED THE VIOLIN

by Tracy Newman Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairing: Itzhak Perlman Why did some people doubt the boy would be able to play well?

SAM FRANCISCO, **KING OF THE DISCO**

by Sarah Tagholm Ages 4-7, Grades PreK-2 Pairing: Space Oddity (David Bowie Tribute) What did Buzzkill Bill try to do? Did he succeed?

I LOVE YOU MORE THAN **YOU'LL EVER KNOW**

by Leslie Odom Jr. Ages 3-6, Grades PreK-2 Pairing: Leslie Odom Jr. It hasn't always been easy, but it has always been what?

SALSA LULLABY

by Jen Arena Ages 3-7. Grades PreK-2 Pairing: Grupo Niche Why does the baby fall asleep?

IN MY LIFE

by John Lennon & Paul McCartney Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-2 Pairing: Yesterday and Today: The Interactive Beatles Experience As she rides her bike next to the water, what does the girl think about?

THE GOOD SONG: A STORY INSPIRED BY "SOMEWHERE OVER THE RAINBOW/WHAT A WONDERFUL WORLD"

by Alexandria Giardino Ages 5-7. Grades K-2 Pairina: Kalani Pe'a What did the boy and his Grandpa do every night after dinner?

AGES 6-10 — SELECT 5 BOOKS

ΜΥ ΡΙΔΝΟ

by Jen Fier Jasinski Ages 5-9, Grades 1-3 Pairing: Piano Guys & Lang Lang Do you think the girl gets nervous when she performs?

VIVALDI'S FOUR SEASONS

by Anna Harwell Celenza Ages 6-9, Grades 1-4 Pairing: Australian Chamber Orchestra For whom did Vivaldi compose The Four Seasons?

BORN TO SWING: LIL HARDIN ARMSTRONG'S LIFE IN JAZZ

by Mara Rockliff Ages 7-10, Grades 2-5 Pairing: Veronica Swift What did Lil Hardin do that no other women did at the time?

TAYLOR SWIFT (LITTLE PEOPLE, BIG DREAMS) by Maria Isabel Sanchez Vegara Ages 5-8, Grades 1-3

Pairing: Vitamin String Quartet: The Music of Taylor Swift What did the other kids think of country music and Taylor's boots?

HANA HASHIMOTO, SIXTH VIOLIN by Chieri Uegaki

Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairing: Itzhak Perlman & Damien Escobar What did Hana play on her violin for the talent show?

THE GIRL WHO HEARD THE MUSIC: **HOW ONE PIANIST AND 85,000 BOTTLES AND CANS BROUGHT NEW HOPE TO AN ISLAND**

by Marni Fogelson Ages 5-9, Grades K-4 Pairing: Our Planet From what is the music school built?

FINDING MY DANCE

What does Fance Shawl mimic?

JONI: THE LYRICAL LIFE OF JONI MITCHELL

by Selina Alko Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairina: The Evolution of Joni Mitchell How were painting and writing alike

for Joni? LULU THE BROADWAY MOUSE: THE SHOW MUST GO ON

by Jenna Gavigan Ages 8-12, Grades 3-7

Pairing: Renée Elise Goldsberry Why did Amanda act the way she did?

AGES 11 & OLDER — SELECT 2 BOOKS

KATHLEEN: THE CELTIC KNOT

by Siobhan Parkinson Ages 10-12, Grades 4-7 Pairing: The StepCrew In your opinion, what is the biagest struggle Kathleen faces?

SONG FOR A WHALE

by Lynne Kelly Ages 9-12, Grades 4-7 Pairing: Our Planet Why do you think helping Blue 55 was so important to Iris?

THE POET X

by Elizabeth Acevedo Ages 13-17, Grades 8+ Pairing: PsyWrn Simone Poet X's essays always change from 1st to final draft. Her final one remains the same from 1 st to final. Why do you think this is? *Mature topics/language

DUNGEONS AND DRAMA

by Kristy Boyce Ages 13-18, Grades 8+ Pairina: World Voice Day What character does Riley play in D&D?

GUITAR NOTES

by Mary Amato Ages 12+, Grades 7+ Pairing: Pure Prairie League Tripp and Lyla form the Thrum Society. What is thrumming? What makes you thrum?

DIVINE RIVALS

by Rebecca Ross

Ages 13-18, Grades 7+ Pairing: U.S. Army Field Band & Soldiers' Chorus What is your favorite letter in the book and why?

GALLANT

by V.E. Schwab Ages 13-19, Grades 8+ Pairing: Dana & Greg Newkirk's Haunted Objects Live How does the author use Olivia's mutism to further the plot?

HOUSE OF SALT AND SORROWS

by Erin A. Craig Ages 12-17, Grades 8-12 Pairing: GRIMMZ Fairy Tales Which sister claims she can see ghosts before Annaleigh?

THIS SAVAGE SONG

by V.E. Schwab

Ages 13-17, Grades 9-12 Pairing: Black Violin How did music add to the pace of the story and overall tone of the monsters? *dark urban fantasy; violence, macabre depictions

RHYTHM & MUSE

by India Hill Brown Ages 13-17, Grades 8-12 Pairing: Jerome Collins: Rewind -A Journey to Motown & Beyond Would you have told Dillie sooner?

LITTLE MAN by Dionne Warwick

Ages 6-9, Grades 1-4 Pairina: Dionne Warwick What were the father's three words of wisdom?

by Ria Thundercloud Ages 4-8, Grades PreK-3 Pairing: Passport series



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*Reading levels of books overlap. Please use your discretion as to your child's reading ability. You may select from more than one list.

