



Children & Libraries en Español

Spanish and Bilingual Programming Template

Name of Library: Mission Branch Library, San Francisco Public Library

City/State: San Francisco, CA

Title of Program: Bilingual Toddler Tales, Bilingual Baby Rhyme Time

Type of Program: ongoing

If ongoing, how often is the program presented?: 2x weekly (toddlers) 1x weekly (baby)

Theme of program: Interactive rhymes, songs, action for toddlers in Spa/Eng, for babies, developmental information for adults with songs/rhymes/ action games for infants

Age group targeted: Infants/Toddlers (0-2)

Length of Program: 30 min (toddler), 30 for baby

Staffing Required: Librarians (2)

Level of fluency in Spanish required to present the program:

Advanced - conversationally fluent in Spanish

If you answered "none" or "some" to the previous question, what key phrases in Spanish would a non-speaker benefit from knowing before presenting this program? :

Books used in the program: Very simple titles for toddlers, board books for babies

Other materials needed: instruments, felt pieces, big books (toddlers) scarves, board books (babies)

Approximate preparation time needed: 20 min

Contact or Acknowledgement (optional): email at rmacneilly@sfpl.org with more questions

Additionally, you might want to describe further your program and how it is implemented: Hugely popular, about 150-200 in attendance at each event.(toddler) 50-70 (baby)