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Babies in the Library at White City Branch Library

Jackson County Library Services is pleased to announce the continuation of the popular "Babies in the Library" program—in both English and Spanish—at the White City Branch Library, 3143 Avenue C.

This new eight-week session will start on Thursday, June 18, and continue each Thursday through August 6. At 12 noon the Babies program will be held in English, and then repeated at 1 p.m. for Spanish-speaking attendees.

These programs are for prewalking babies (0-12 months) accompanied by a caring adult. Siblings are welcome, as are moms, dads, grandparents, caregivers, etc. Each session of "Babies in the Library" will focus on a different early literacy skill such as rhyming, repetition, reading aloud, and oral language. All of these skills are taught within a thirty-minute storytime of songs, bounces, and reading, followed by a half-hour of play and chat time.

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For more information about "Babies in the Library" or to preregister, contact Margie Cicerrella, Project Coordinator, at 774-6995, or the White City Branch Library at 864-8880.



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