



THE LONE STAR LIBRARIAN

A monthly publication for librarians in the Lonestar state

Connect Your Library With The Global Read Aloud



Welcome, Friends! For those of you who don't know me, my name is J'aime Garcia and I am the owner of Literacy For Texas.

What's Literacy for Texas?

Literacy for Texas is your one-stop shop for everything libraries in Texas ESCs 4, 5, & 6. We have access to top publishers, student-led purchasing programs, consulting and materials for makerspaces, weeding/genre services, and more!

This month we are excited to bring you a newsletter dedicated to the importance of connecting students to the world.

The Global Read Aloud gives you and your students the chance to connect with people around the world and for students to see first hand how important connection is.

Let's start connecting,

J'aime Garcia & Literacy For Texas

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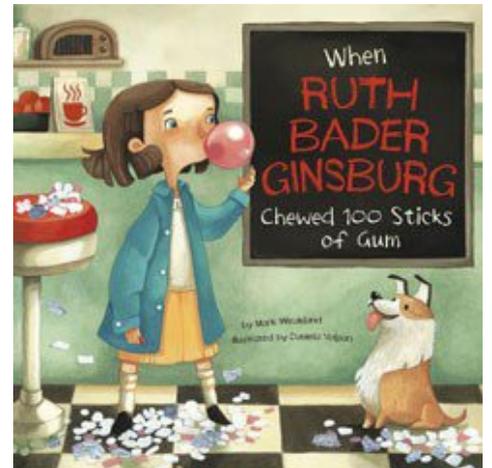
Monthly Recommendations from Capstone and ABDO Publishers

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When Ruth Bader Ginsburg Chewed 100 Sticks of Gum

by Mark Weakland
Illustrated by Daniela Volpari

Ruth Bader Ginsburg was the second woman justice to serve on the Supreme Court. But do you know what she was like as a child? This playful story will help young readers connect with a historic figure.



 **ABDO**
A FAMILY OF EDUCATIONAL PUBLISHERS

My Little Pony Leveled Readers

by Jennifer Fox & Meghan McCarthy

Join all your favorite ponies from Ponyville as they learn about friendship, perform a holiday pageant, explore a comic book, and more! Each story is based on an episode of the hit TV show!

THE SCOOP

Let us help you stretch your budget with Capstone Reward Points!

Spend \$1,000 and get \$100 back!
Or spend \$2,500 and get \$625 back!

Contact us today to learn how to purchase direct to get these offers.

"There is no substitute for books in the life of a child."

- Mary Ellen Chase

CELEBRATE THE GLOBAL READ ALOUD



What's The Global Read Aloud?

This project was created in 2010 with a simple goal in mind; one book to connect the world. From its humble beginnings, the GRA has grown to make a truly global connection with more than 4,000,000 students having participated!

Pro Tip: The Global Read Aloud kicks off today, October 1st, 2018. When sharing be sure to use #GRA18!

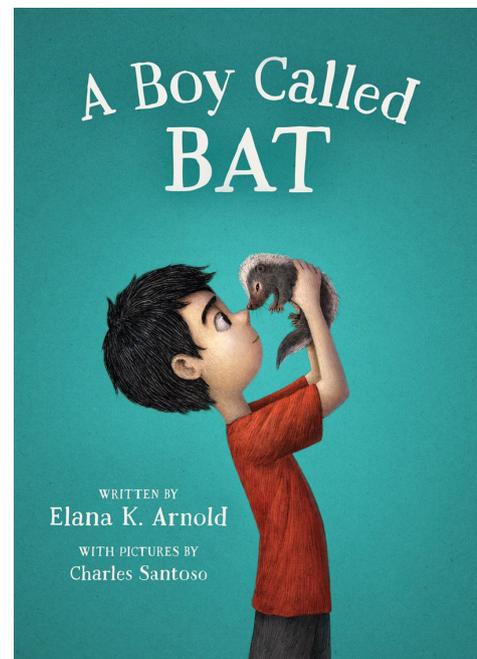
Connect With Author Elana K. Arnold

Elana has an awesome offer for everyone participating in The Global Read Aloud!

Her tweet reads...

Hi, Friends! #GRA18 is almost here! A BOY CALLED BAT is a selection this year, and I'll be doing weekly video blogs! Please tweet students' questions to me along with their name/school name, and I'll answer.

Ask your questions [here!](#)



How are you going to connect for The Global Read Aloud?

Share with us on Twitter, @LiteracyForTX, and be sure to use #LoneStarLibs

THANK

YOU!

**We hope that you enjoyed this issue of
The Lone Star Librarian.**

Want To Connect In Person?

**The Literacy for Texas team is available to
meet with you in person, or over the
phone, Skype, email, & text!**



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