



Perry Public Library Storytime



Frog Fables & Turtle Tales

Stories we shared:

The Wide Mouthed Frog: by Keith Faulkner
Toad: by Ruth Brown
Turtle Tale: by Frank Asch

I took my frog to the library: by Eric Kimmel
Red Eyed Tree Frog: by Joy Cowley
Turtle Spring: by Deborah Zagwyn

Other books you may enjoy sharing

Hop Jump: by Ellen Stoll Walsh
Froggy Gets Dressed: by Jonathan London
Time for Bed the Babysitter Said: by Peggy Anderson
Tricky Tortoise / Hadithi Mwenye
To the Tub / Peggy Anderson
Toad / Rught Brown
Turtle Day / Douglas Florian
Frogs in Clogs / Sheila Samton
Tuesday / David Weisner
Peach & Blue / Sarah Kilborne
Frog Alpahbet Book / Jerry Palotta
Frog Goes to Dinner / Mercer Mayer
M.C. Turtle and the Hip Hop Hare / David Vozar

Box Turtle at Long Pond: by William George
Franklin in the Dark: by Paulette Bourgeois

And still the turtle watched / Shelia MacGill- Callahan
One Frog too many / Mercer Mayer
In the Small Small Pond / Denise Flemming
Jump Frog Jump / Robert Kalan
I took my frog to the library / Eric Kimmel
Frog and Toad / Arnold Lobel
An extaordinary egg / Leo Lionni
Pondlarker / Fred Gwynne
Bently & Egg / William Joyce
Turtle Watch / George Ancona

Songs and rhymes to share:

Mr. Bullfrog

Here's Mister Bullfrog (make a fist)
Sitting on a rock (put fist on flat palm)
Into the water he jumps (jump fist up)
Kerplol! (clap once loudly)

Little Green Frog (pretend to be a frog)

A little green froggie am I am I
Hippity hippity hop
I can jump in the air so high!
Hippity hippity hop

Little Turtle

I have a little turtle (make a fist – stick out thumb)
He lives in a box (draw square in the air)
He swims in the puddles (pretend to swim)
And climbs on the rocks (pretend to climb)
He snapped at a mosquito (pinch with fingers in air)
He snapped at a flea
He snapped at a minnow
And he snapped at me!
He caught the mosquito (clap hands once)
He caught the flea
He caught the minnow
But he didn't catch me! (shake head "no")

This is my turtle

This is my turtle (make a fist)
She lives in a shell
She likes her home very well
She pokes her head out (stick out thumb)
When she wants to eat
And pulls it back in (tuck thumb in)
When she wants to sleep



Funny, funny froggie

Funny, funny froggie, hop, hop, hop
Funny, funny froggie, stop, stop, stop
Funny, funny froggie, don't run away!
Funny, funny froggie, stay and play!

Frog on a Log

There once was a green little frog, frog, frog,
Who sat in the woods on a log, log, log.
A screech owl sitting in a tree, tree, tree,
Came after the frog with a scree, scree, scree.
When the frog heard the owl in a flash, flash, flash,
He jumped in the pond with a splash, splash, splash!

Five Little Frogs Were Down at the Pond

Five little frogs were down at the pond down at the pond at play
Along came a hungry _____, And chased one frog away.
Four little frogs were down at the pond down at the pond at play.
Along came a wiggly _____, And chased one frog away.
Three little frogs were down at the pond down at the pond at play.
Along came a giant _____, And chased one frog away.
Two little frogs were down at the pond down at the pond at play.
Along came a purple _____, And chased one frog away.
One little frog was down at the pond down at the pond at play.
Along came a flying _____, And chased one frog away.
Then no little frogs were down at the pond - down at the pond at play.
Where do you think the little frogs went - when they all hopped away?