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**Ready for Learning—  
Virtual or Face to Face!**

**Teaching Early Childhood**



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# How to Use This Guide

This interactive guide has information and tools for young children, families, and educators.



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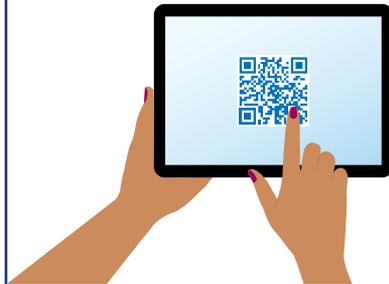
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# Ready to Learn

## Face to Face and Virtually!



### For Children

#### Virtual Learning Etiquette Videos

##### [Sesame Street: Practice Social Distancing with Abby and Rudy](#)

Join Abby and Rudy and they practice social distancing from home.



##### [All Are Welcome](#)

Written by: **Alexandra Penfold**  
and **Suzanne Kaufman**

Discover a school where everyone is loved and appreciated!



##### [Virtual Class Rules](#)



##### [Digital Learning and Proper Etiquette](#)



# Ready to Learn

Face to Face and Virtually!



## For Families

### ONLINE Classroom Rules



Tips to ensure your child get the best virtual experience



### Face-to Face Learning (Check List)

Is my family ready for face-to-face learning?



Use this checklist to help you prepare.



## For Educators

### MiAEYC COVID-19 Child Care Resources

Free virtual webinars, articles, and resources!



### Wayne RESA's Early Childhood and GSRP PADLET



Check out the Wayne RESA GSRP Padlet! It is an online virtual "bulletin" board

where educators and families can access resources.



# Literacy and Math

Helping children engage with language and numbers



## For Children

### [Chicka Chicka 123](#)

Written by: Bill Martin, Jr.,  
and Michael Sampson

Illustrated by:

Lois Ehlert

Simple rhymes for  
teaching numbers  
and counting!

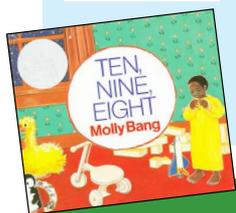


### [Ten, Nine, Eight](#)

By: Molly Bang



Countdown from  
ten to one—  
prepare your little  
one for bed with  
this delightful  
counting book.



## For Families

### [10 Things You Can Do to Raise a Reader!](#)



### [Small Numbers Matter](#)

Here are three  
books that can  
spark talk  
about small  
number sets.



Includes printable At-Home  
Activity Cards.



## For Educators



[Erikson Institute  
Early Math  
Collaborative  
Resources for  
PreK](#)



# Mindfulness

## Slowing down and being present



### For Children

#### Learn to Belly Breathe with Rosita!

Rosita knows it can be frustrating staying inside all the time because she feels the same way too!

Luckily, her mommy taught her how belly breathing can help calm her emotions. Take a deep breath and learn to belly breathe with Rosita!



### For Families

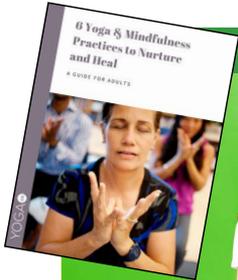


#### Yoga and Mindfulness Tools for Youth

*Six Trauma-Sensitive  
Yoga and Mindfulness Tools  
to Support Youth*



### For Educators



#### Yoga and Mindfulness to Heal

*Six Yoga and Mindfulness Practices  
to Nurture and Heal*



# Health

Keeping children safe and strong



**For Children**

**Coronavirus Social Stories**

*Parental Assistance Necessary*

[My Coronavirus Story](#)



[Wearing  
a Mask  
to School  
\(English\)](#)



[Wearing  
a Mask  
to School  
\(Spanish\)](#)



[Wearing  
a Mask  
to School  
\(Arabic\)](#)



# Health

## Keeping children safe and strong



### For Families

#### Family Fun at Mealtime



Enjoy this interactive placemat during meal time. It includes activities

for children and families.

#### Healthy at Home: A Toolkit for Supporting Families Impacted by COVID-19

ReadyRosie developed this free toolkit as a resource to support families.



Check out the preschool videos!

#### Oh, Nooo!

#### I'm SICK!

10 tips to manage your coronavirus symptoms at home



### For Educators

#### Talking to Kids about the Coronavirus Crisis



How to talk to children about the impacts of coronavirus.



#### Michigan Department of Education

Early Childhood  
online instructional  
resources for ages  
0-5



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# Additional Resources

## Great Start Wayne Collaborative

Great Start Wayne provides resources and information to Wayne County families about child development and early childhood.



## Great Start Readiness Program (GSRP)

GSRP is a Michigan state-funded preschool program for four-year-old children.



## Talking Is Teaching

Learning begins at birth! When you talk, read, and sing with your child—even before they can use words—you're building their brain and helping to prepare them.



## Great Start Readiness Program—Wayne RESA



**GSRP—  
Wayne RESA**



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