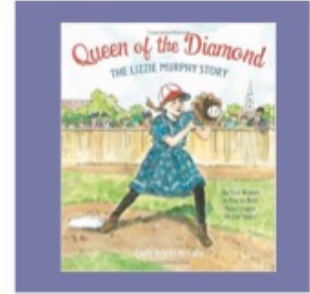
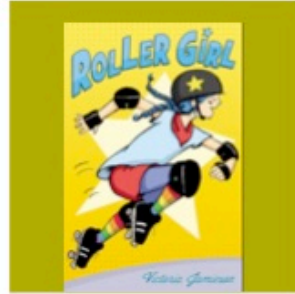




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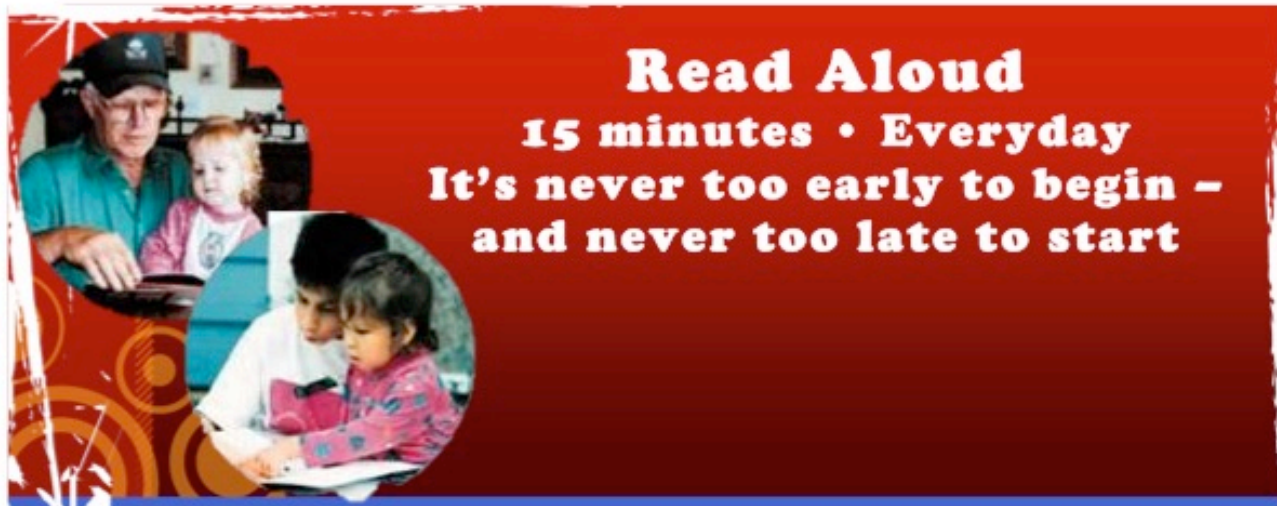
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- 2) Provide books to read aloud at home -- (Read With Me Everyday Program explained with resources at <http://bit.ly/readwithme2>). (BAGS – Eric Carle <http://bit.ly/bags-carle>).
- 3) Make your house a “book house.”
- 4) Include a book on every gift-giving occasion.
- 5) Move out of our classrooms and living rooms to spread the joy of reading everywhere we can.