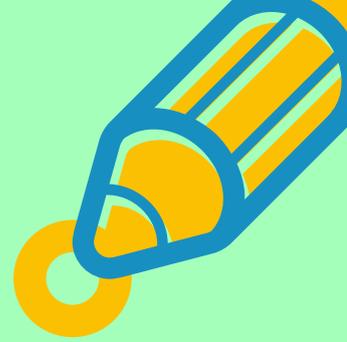




VIRTUAL STORYTIME

@ the DeSoto Public Library



JULY 2ND, 2020

Travel around the world with Library Adventurer Otis... without leaving the safety of your own home! Each week Otis will discover a new place and learn about the people through their stories. This week Otis will travel to Europe and read traditional Fairy and Folktales!

BOOKS SHARED

- Cinderella. Sarah Thompson. Amazon Children's Publishing. 2012.
- The Frog Prince. Eric Blair. Picture Window Books. 2011.



EXTENDED ACTIVITY

Find a map of the world and introduce your young one to different places. In addition to these stories from Europe, explore together the history, language, and food of one or more countries. Learning about other cultures can bring your family together, while appreciating people and places far away!

Since many European fairy and folktales revolve around royalty, you can enhance the stories by making simple crowns from pipe cleaners and beads. Let your child create his or her own story about kings, queens, princes, and princesses!



WE'VE GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN OUR HANDS

tune of "He's Got the Whole World in his Hands"

We've got the whole world in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got you and me brother in our hands
We've got you and me brother in our hands
We've got you and me brother in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got you and me sister in our hands
We've got you and me sister in our hands
We've got you and me sister in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got of our stories in our hands
We've got all of our stories in our hands
We've got all of our stories in our hands
We've got the whole world in our hands.



IT'S A SMALL, SMALL WORLD traditional tune

It's a world of laughter, a world of tears
It's a world of hopes and a world of fears
There's so much that we share
That it's time we're aware

It's a small world after all
It's a small, small world

