

MARS ROVER Storytime Activities:

Our storytime book was *Red Rover: curiosity of Mars* by Richard Ho.

Picture books about space:

- Astro-Girl* by Ken Wilson-Max
- Astronaut* by Lucy M. George
- Big Beyond: the story of space travel* by James Carter
- Curious George Gets a Medal* by Margaret Rey
- Dinosaur Rocket* by Penny Dale
- Earth! My first 4.54 billion years* by Stacy McAnulty
- I Want to be an Astronaut* by Byron Barton
- Interstellar Cinderella* by Deborah Underwood
- Mission to Mars* by Wendy Wax
- The Moon Over Star* by Diana Hutts Aston
- Papa Put a Man on the Moon* by Kristie Dempsey
- A Place for Pluto* by Stef Wade
- The Space Walk* by Brian Biggs
- Sun! One in a billion* by Stacy McAnulty
- Zoo Zoom!* By Candace Ryan



Activities:

-SPACE WREATH supplies needed are a paper plate, white paper, black paint, crayons, scissors, and glue. Cut out the middle of a paper plate to make a wreath. Paint your wreath black and let it dry. Cut out star and planet shapes from white paper and color them. Glue the stars on planets onto your wreath.

-ROVER PICTURES: The rovers take pictures of what they see on Mars. Draw pictures of what you think the rovers will see as they continue to explore Mars.

Online:

- Learn more Perseverance, the 2020 rover: <https://spaceplace.nasa.gov/mars-2020/en/>
- Play "Rover Maker" with *Ready Jet Go!*: <https://pbskids.org/readyjetgo/games/rover-maker>
- Read along with Brightly Storytime | *Rocket Says Look Up!*: <https://youtu.be/-qOiSUyuee8>
- Learn more about space and have fun with games, crafts, and other activities: <https://www.nasa.gov/kidsclub/index.html>
- Mars Planet Facts Song: <https://youtu.be/ZfBpbRULkOA>