

### **DIEEC Celebrates Children's Book Week**

The Delaware Institute for Excellence in Early Childhood (DIEEC) invites you to celebrate Children's Book Week, a nationwide literacy initiative sponsored by **Every Child a Reader**. This year's theme, "**An Ocean of Stories**," celebrates the powerful impact books have on young people by exploring the vast, collective "ocean" of stories we read, share, and tell.

# When is it?

November 3 to 7, 2025.

#### **How Does DIEEC Celebrate?**

During Children's Book Week, DIEEC sends guest readers to visit early childhood education programs across Delaware, bringing stories to life for young children through engaging read-alouds and book donations. This initiative is committed to inclusivity, fostering a love of books from an early age and ensuring every child has access to stories that resonate with them.

# Why Should Programs Participate?

This is a great opportunity for early childhood educators to enhance their program's literacy environment. By participating, you can provide children with enriching and inclusive reading experiences that inspire a lifelong love of learning.

# **How Do I Register?**

Register between **September 2 and 30** at **www.dieec.udel.edu/childrens-book-week** or by scanning the QR code below. If you sign up **by September 9, you'll be entered into our early bird raffle** for an extra bundle of books for your program.



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