

Enjoy a family book club right from the comfort of your own home. Download the book and read it together. We will provide activities and additional reading to encourage your discussion. Happy reading!

Read: Wiggle and Waggle by Caroline Arnold

Download it from Hoopla or check it out from RHPL.

BEFORE reading Wiggle and Waggle, show children the book.

Ask them these questions about the cover:

- What are Wiggle and Waggle?
- What do you think the story is about?
- Are Wiggle and Waggle friends? How do you know?
- Where does the story take place? Ask what they know about worms.

Things to do:

1. Go out into your yard & dig in the dirt to find some worms. Put them in a see through jar with some soil and leaves. Watch what the worms do. Be sure to put the worms back onto the soil after a while so they can live & do their jobs.
2. Hold the worms on the palm of your hand to watch them wiggle. Be prepared! They have little “hairs” on their bodies to help them move. They tickle! Wash your hands!
3. Make some “worms” out of chenille stems and act out the song Wiggle & Waggle sang together in the book. Make up your own music or check out the notes at the website below.
4. If you had a friend like Wiggle or Waggle, what are some of the things you could do together?
5. More activities are available from the publisher’s (Charlesbridge.com) website.

<https://cdn.shopify.com/s/files/1/0750/0101/files/wiggle-and-waggle-activities.pdf?15692830517660809928>

Other worm books to enjoy from Hoopla:

Hungry for Worms by Robert Rosen

Worm Wrangler by Libby Cobb

This is a Book to Read With a Worm by Jodi Wheeler-Toppen (includes activities)

Diary of a Worm by Doreen Cronin

Worms by Nessa Black

Worms by Robin Nelson

When in the library is open you can find more true facts books about worms at the call numbers of Y592.3, Y592.64, & 639.75.

6-26-20 Miss Sue