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Children's Round Table

TLA 2026 Conference Journey Map

School Librarian Journey Map

Children's Round Table

This journey is for the school librarian looking for ways to learn new ways to serve young readers. Some are choices for new school librarians and some for veterans looking to hone their craft. Be sure to read session descriptions to see if they are right for you.

About Children's Round Table:

Our goal is to promote and improve library service to children and young people, and to support those who serve them.

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School Librarian (CRT Highlights) Journey Map

Children's Round Table

Sunday, March 29, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Read-Aloud Rockstars: Fun, Funny, Award-Winning Books, a Texas 2x2 Book List Showcase

Sunday, March 29, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Power of Story: Highlighting the enduring impact of stories on both creators and audiences alike.

Monday, March 30, 2:30 - 3:30 PM

Speech Bubbles & Big Ideas: Comics Kids Love, A Little Mavericks Showcase

Monday, March 30, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

Tales and Tinker Time: Story-Inspired Maker Fun

Monday, March 30, 5:00 - 6:00 PM

The Ultimate Illustrator Sketch-Off! illustrators battle it out with live drawing challenges

Tuesday, March 31, 8:00 - 9:00 AM

Stronger Together: School & Public Libraries Cultivating Community Through Literacy

Tuesday, March 31, 8:00 - 9:00 AM

The Library Without Walls: Cultivating Community Connections

Tuesday, March 31, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Curating to Co-Teaching: Taking Teacher Partnerships to the Next Level

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Sunday, March 29, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Creative, Fun Ways to Ignite Reading and Learning Through STEM

Sunday, March 29, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Storyfest: Organizing a Community-Wide Literacy Event

Monday, March 30, 10:00 - 11:00 AM

Ditchin' the Dewey

Monday, March 30, 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM

P is for Partnership

Monday, March 30, 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Using Data to Promote and Support Your School Library

Tuesday, March 31, 9:30 - 10:30 AM

Robots and Read Alouds in Elementary School Libraries

Tuesday, March 31, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Be Not Afraid: Tips For Selecting Manga For Schools

Tuesday, March 31, 12:30 - 1:30 PM

Children's Round Table Meet & Greet

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