



Dear Community Partners,

Snuggle Up and Read is an annual event that celebrates the family story time tradition. For the past 12 years Hamilton families have been gathering across the city to take part in planned pyjama parties, and each year more and more families are participating. The events have brought thousands of children and parents together in over 160 locations. For the 2018 Snuggle Up and Read event, we invite you to download the resources from <https://ascy.ca/early-literacy/> to plan your own event on Family Literacy Day held on **January 25th** in the Hamilton area.

Due to changing economic times, the Early Literacy Hamilton planning committee has only been able to secure a limited number of pre-school books for distribution this year. If your centre would like to receive a Snuggle Up and Read bag this year, please contact your ASCY mentor who will distribute them to your location. We encourage centres to visit the link above to access a resource sheet to help you plan your Snuggle Up and Read event.

Happy reading,
Early Literacy Hamilton Committee