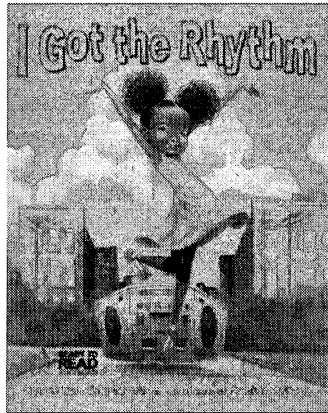


Ready to Read Michigan's 2018 Book Program



2018's Ready to Read Michigan book selection is *I Got the Rhythm* by Connie Schofield-Morrison, illustrated by Frank Morrison

About the Program

Ready to Read Michigan is a program that public librarians can use for storytimes & for outreach to further develop early literacy skills in the young child, preparing them for their school-aged years, and to model to parents and care givers the five practices of early literacy from Public Library Association's Every Child Ready to Read (ECRR); Talk, Read, Play, Sing, Write.

The Library of Michigan's *Ready to Read Michigan* is hosted by public libraries during "March is Reading Month" to promote the importance of reading aloud to young children throughout the state. The program includes a kit based on a picture book that brings public librarians together with parents, caregivers and teachers to highlight early literacy activities for children. The kit is updated annually with a new book and new programming materials.

For details or questions, please contact Cathy Lancaster, Youth Services Coordinator at the Library of Michigan, at 517-335-8129 or LancasterC5@michigan.gov.

Each public library location in Michigan will receive the following:

- 1 book for storytime use both in and outside the library (please add to circulating collection when you retire the storytime program)
- 3 books for outreach to local school libraries/classrooms/child care facilities that the public librarian can visit and do an outreach storytime in March.
- 4 posters, 1 for your library and 3 for the outreach storytimes.
- Bookmarks promoting the book with early literacy tips
- An online Storytime [Programming Guide](#) that highlights themes from the book, activities to model the five practices of ECRR, read-a-likes and activity printables.

2018 *I Got the Rhythm* Programming and Resource Guide

- The [2018 Ready to Read Michigan Programming and Resource Guide to *I Got the Rhythm*](#) is now available online. Feel free to print or download a copy for your library today. Kits will be shipped to libraries at the end of January/early February, but this programming guide is only available online.

MMLL Members:

I hope you will participate in the Ready to Read Michigan 2018 Book Program! I am willing to compile orders for paperback copies of the selected title, *I Got the Rhythm*, and can get a price of **\$3.39 per copy**. The Library of Michigan will be sending you four copies, one for your library and 3 of the books are for outreach to your area Great Starts, Head Starts, early childhood centers, etc.

You may purchase additional copies of the paperback book to give away at programs for the kids/parents/caregivers to take home. Order deadline: **January 31st**. I will have them sent directly from Scholastic and then send you a bill. You will receive the shipment by mid-February, in time for March programming.

Library Name

Quantity

Authorized signature for order

Michigan Sales and Use Tax Certificate of Exemption

INSTRUCTIONS: DO NOT send to the Department of Treasury. Certificate must be retained in the seller's records. This certificate is invalid unless all four sections are completed by the purchaser.

SECTION 1: TYPE OF PURCHASE

A. One-Time Purchase
Order or Invoice Number: _____

C. Blanket Certificate
Expiration Date (maximum of four years): _____

B. Blanket Certificate. Recurring Business Relationship

The purchaser hereby claims exemption on the purchase of tangible personal property and selected services made from the vendor listed below. This certifies that this claim is based upon the purchaser's proposed use of the items or services, OR the status of the purchaser.

Vendor's Name and Address <p style="text-align: center;">Scholastic Literacy Parntership</p>

SECTION 2: ITEMS COVERED BY THIS CERTIFICATE

Check one of the following:

- All items purchased.
- Limited to the following items: _____

SECTION 3: BASIS FOR EXEMPTION CLAIM

Check one of the following:

- For Lease. Enter Use Tax Registration Number: _____
- For Resale at Retail. Enter Sales Tax License Number: _____

The following exemptions **DO NOT** require the purchaser to provide a number:

- Agricultural Production. Enter percentage: _____%
- Church, Government Entity, Nonprofit School, or Nonprofit Hospital (Circle type of organization).
- Contractor (must provide *Michigan Sales and Use Tax Contractor Eligibility Statement (Form 3520)*).
- For Resale at Wholesale.
- Industrial Processing. Enter percentage: _____%
- Nonprofit Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(4) Exempt Organization (must provide IRS authorized letter with this form).
- Nonprofit Organization with an authorized letter issued by the Michigan Department of Treasury prior to June 1994 (must provide copy of letter with this form).
- Rolling Stock purchased by an Interstate Motor Carrier.
- Qualified Data Center
- Other (explain): PUBLIC LIBRARY

SECTION 4: CERTIFICATION

I declare, under penalty of perjury, that the information on this certificate is true, that I have consulted the statutes, administrative rules and other sources of law applicable to my exemption, and that I have exercised reasonable care in assuring that my claim of exemption is valid under Michigan law. In the event this claim is disallowed, I accept full responsibility for the payment of tax, penalty and any accrued interest, including, if necessary, reimbursement to the vendor for tax and accrued interest.

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Signature and Title	Date Signed	