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WGTE TO LAUNCH RAISING READERS LIBRARY CORNER AT NORTH TOLEDO'S LAGRANGE BRANCH

TOLEDO, OH – As part of a generous grant from the Stranahan Foundation, WGTE continues its Raising Readers activities in the 43608 zip code by launching a Raising Readers Activities Corner at the Lagrange Branch Library (3422 Lagrange St.). The Corner will have computers available for children up to 8 years of age, to experience the learning games available at pbskids.org during library hours. WGTE's Kathy Smith, Director of Early Learning, will conduct PBS Kids themed activities for preschoolers and school age children during the month of January. Morning sessions are for preschoolers with those in the afternoon for school-age children. The activity schedule is as follows:

Thursday, January 5 at 10:30 a.m.	Word World
Monday, January 9 at 4:00 p.m.	Martha Speaks
Thursday, January 12 at 10:30 a.m.	Sesame Street
Thursday, January 19 at 10:30 a.m.	Super Why! (Super Why will make a special guest appearance)
Monday, January 23 at 4:00 p.m.	The Electric Company
Monday, January 30 at 4:00 p.m.	Word Girl

For more information, contact Kathy Smith at 419-380-4638 or kathy_smith@wgte.org.

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