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Camden Celebrates Dr. Seuss's 118th Birthday by Celebrating National Read Across **America Day**

Invitation to cover/photograph on March 2, 2022 from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m.

March 2, 2022, Camden, NJ—Mayor Victor Carstarphen and Superintendent Katrina T. McCombs celebrate National Read Across America Day. Schools across the District are taking time out from their normal routines on Wednesday, March 2, to celebrate the birthday of one of America's most beloved authors- Theodor Seuss Geisel, who wrote children's books under the pen name Dr. Seuss. March 2, 2022 marks Dr. Seuss's 118th birthday.

The Mayor and Superintendent will celebrate the legacy of Dr. Seuss by reading some of his beloved books to Ms. Williams class at the Early Childhood Development Center.

NATIONAL READ ACROSS AMERICA DAY (DR. SEUSS DAY) - Each year, National Read Across America Day is celebrated on March 2nd, the birthday of Dr. Seuss. The annual event is part of Read Across America, an initiative on reading created by the National Education Association. Since the event is designed to encourage reading in children and is fostered through the schools, when March 2nd lands on a weekend, the day is observed on the closest school day. This motivational and awareness day calls all children and youth in every community across the United States to celebrate reading. It encourages them to read wherever they are.

What:

Camden Mayor Victor Carstarphen and Superintendent Katrina T. McCombs celebrate Read Across America Day

When:

Wednesday, March 2, 2022 from 10am - 11am

Where:

Early Childhood Development Center, 1602 Pine Street, Camden NJ

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