

# CAILLOU AND THE STORYTELLER

Enjoy the art and creativity of storytelling when Caillou visits the library with his Grandpa, Grandma and his friend, Rosie.

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Ages: 2 to 6

Pages: 10

Themes: Imagination; storytelling

Caillou is a typical 4-year old who loves to explore life! Caillou stories are designed to help children grow through the development stages of self-esteem, confidence and independence and this story is no exception.

It's always fun to pick out books to read that can take you places that you haven't been before. Caillou's trip to the library introduces him to a storyteller. As the story progresses, Caillou and your child will realize that they can be storytellers, too! Let your child know that if they write the story down on paper, they're an author. If they tell their story out-loud, they are a storyteller.

If your child has trouble getting started on a story, it might be helpful to suggest a theme...the trip to grandma's house last summer; their first day at school. You may even participate in building the story by having your child make up one sentence and then you add on to it. By the time you're done, you'll have a great laugh!