Read Across America Day



March 2, 2016

Dr. Suess was born on March 2, 1904. His first book, *And to Think That I Saw It on Mulberry Street*, was published in 1937. Overall, he wrote 44 books for children and two for adults. Many children grew up reading Dr. Suess' books, enjoying the rhythm and rhymes of his books. Reading teachers love his books because he uses repetition, rhymes, sight words and nonsense words to reinforce reading skills.

Dr. Suess served his country during WWII writing political cartoons and creating and drawing posters for the Treasury Department and the War Production Board as well as writing films for the US military.

In order to celebrate Dr. Suess' 112th birthday, we are looking for volunteers to come in for 30 minutes to read a favorite short story to our Reading and ELA students with our students. If you would like to volunteer, please email Mrs. Croshaw at <u>mcroshaw@hapevillecharter.org</u> or send in the attached form with your student.

Name: _

Child's name and grade: _____

Time: 8:30 - 9:00 10:00 - 10:30 12:30 - 1:00 1:45 - 2:15 (circle choice(s))