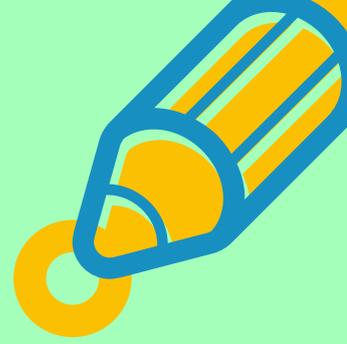




# VIRTUAL STORYTIME

@ the DeSoto Public Library



**JULY 30TH, 2020**

Travel around the world with Library Adventurer Otis... without leaving the safety of your own home! Each week Otis will discover a new place and learn about the people through their stories. This week Otis will travel to Latin America and read traditional Fairy and Folktales with a Spanish twist!

## **BOOKS SHARED**

- La Princesa and the Pea. Susan Middleton Elya. G.P. Putnam's Sons. 2017.
- El Gallo de Bodas. Lucia Gonzalez. Scholastic. 1994.



## **EXTENDED ACTIVITY**

Find a map of the world and introduce your young one to different places. In addition to these stories from Latin America, explore together the history, language, and food of one or more Spanish speaking countries. Learning about other cultures can bring your family together, while appreciating people and places far away!

Before Europeans came to the Americas, it is important to note that the extremely advanced cultures of Latin America did not have a written language. Many of their stories were told with a combination spoken word and art. Have your child color/paint a story, while sharing it with you as a story. Remember to use bright and contrasting colors, as much of Latin American art centers on brilliant color as part of a story.



## **WE'VE GOT THE WHOLE WORLD IN OUR HANDS**

tune of "He's Got the Whole World..."

We've got the whole world in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got you and me brother in our hands  
We've got you and me brother in our hands  
We've got you and me brother in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got you and me sister in our hands  
We've got you and me sister in our hands  
We've got you and me sister in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands

We've got of our stories in our hands  
We've got all of our stories in our hands  
We've got all of our stories in our hands  
We've got the whole world in our hands.



## **IT'S A SMALL, SMALL WORLD** traditional tune

It's a world of laughter, a world of tears  
It's a world of hopes and a world of fears  
There's so much that we share  
That it's time we're aware

It's a small world after all  
It's a small, small world

