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Mandarin Chinese Bilingual Storytime at Davis Branch Library

(Woodland, CA) – The Yolo County Library and First 5 Yolo are excited to announce a new weekly bilingual storytime in English and Mandarin Chinese for children ages 5 and under, starting December 12 at 3:00 p.m. at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library.

“This fun storytime at the Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch Library is the latest addition to our countywide literacy program, intended to reach even more families in our county’s communities,” said Yolo County Board of Supervisors Chairwoman Helen M. Thomson. “The Mandarin Chinese bilingual storytime joins similar programs offered through our library system in Spanish, Russian and American Sign Language.”

During the first program on Sunday, December 12, activities will include stories, songs, finger plays, action rhymes and crafts. Supervising adults are requested to accompany their children.

The program will be presented by Dr. Hsin-ya Yang, a native of Taiwan. Dr. Yang received a Ph.D. in cell and developmental biology from the University of California at Davis, where she is now employed. In addition, Dr. Yang has been teaching Chinese to children at the Davis Chinese School since 2005.

The bilingual storytime in English and Mandarin Chinese is free of charge and is supported in part by a grant from First 5 Yolo. The Mary L. Stephens Davis Branch of the Yolo County Library is located at 315 East 14th Street in Davis, California. For more information, call (530) 757-5593 or email: DavisLibrary@yolocounty.org. For more information on the Yolo County Library visit: www.yolocountylibrary.org.

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