



# AUTISM-READY LIBRARIES

**Are you a family member or caregiver of an autistic child?**



**Are library visits challenging?**



**Help us create welcoming libraries with the resources to serve you!**



**Participate in our interviews or focus groups and earn a \$50 gift card**

We are asking you to participate in a research project conducted by faculty and students from the Information School at the University of Washington. Funded by the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS), this research investigates the early literacy needs of autistic\* children and their families relevant to public libraries. You do not have to be a library patron to participate in this study, and your child does not have to have a formal autism diagnosis for you to participate. We will ask for 60-90 minutes of your time.

\* We've chosen to use identity-first language in this research as it is preferred by autistic self-advocates and their allies (<https://autisticadvocacy.org/about-asan/identity-first-language/>)

If interested contact us at  
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