



Read Across America

Launched in 1989, Read Across America is the nation's largest celebration of reading. This year-round program focuses on encouraging kids and teens to read through events, partnerships and resources aimed at making reading fun and inclusive.

In this series of videos celebrating Read Across America and created by Delta Dental associates and their families, kids will listen in to fun stories about going to the dentist, brushing and flossing, and teeth!

Many of the stories focus on what it's like to visit the dentist. As you watch the videos with your class, you can pause to ask open-ended questions about what the students' experiences have been like visiting the dentist.

One of the videos, *Dientes Y Mas Dientes!* by Dr. Seuss, is available in Spanish. This makes it a great resource for Spanish-speaking students or for classes where students are encouraged to practice Spanish listening comprehension skills.

For more dental health educational resources, go to www.healthysmilelearning.org. Healthy Smile Learning is an outreach effort of Arizona PBS on behalf of the Delta Dental Institute.