



Trails Regional Library is excited to announce a new outdoor activity for patrons to engage with reading! The Library is placing StoryWalks® in communities throughout Johnson and Lafayette counties. StoryWalk® is a fun, educational activity that paces a children's storybook along a popular walking route in the community. StoryWalk® was created as a way for people of all ages to combine physical activity with books and to help build children's interest in reading while encouraging healthy activity for all.

Each Storywalk features about 30 pages from a popular children's book, spaced out along a walking path or trail. Visitors are encouraged to take lots of pictures at the Storywalk and share to the Library's Facebook page (@TrailsRegional), Instagram (#TrailsRegionalLibrary) or send to the Library at [marketing@trailslibrary.org](mailto:marketing@trailslibrary.org). The Library also asks that participants complete a short survey about their experience [here](#).

### **Odessa**

Dyer Park Walkway

*Something for You* by Charlie Mylie

### **Concordia**

Trail of Memories

*A Stone Sat Still* by Brendan Wenzel

### **Corder**

Corder Park Walking Path

*Dragons Love Tacos* by Adam Rubin

### **Warrensburg**

Shepard Park

*If You Plant a Seed* by Kadir Nelson

More locations coming soon throughout the Library District will be announced soon.

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