

Dr. Seuss – If I Ran the Circus – My Favorite Book



Supplies Needed:

1. Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Telling Time Bulletin Board Sets (Eureka Item #847156)
2. Dr. Seuss™ Books Mini Bulletin Board Set (Eureka Item #847041)
3. Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Extra Wide Deco Trim (Eureka Item# 844910)
4. Dr. Seuss™ Trains Deco Trim (Eureka Item #844913)
5. Dr. Seuss™ Stripes Deco Letters (Eureka Item #487215)
6. Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Ticket Paper Cut Out (Eureka Item #841542)
7. Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Die Cut Horizontal Banner (Eureka Item# 849901)
8. Background Paper - Red & White
9. Red tool
10. Ribbon
11. Scissors
12. Tape
13. Stapler
14. Black Marker/Pen

(see instructions below)

Instructions:

So many books, so little time! Encourage reading and writing by setting up a Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Bulletin Board Set that focuses on reading and discussing Dr. Seuss™ book reviews. Create a graph to chart the children's favorite book(s) using paper cut outs with each student's name next to the Dr. Seuss™ book they enjoyed the most. Then ask students to write why that particular book was their favorite and have them share their thoughts with the class.

Step 1: First, place white paper as the background of the bulletin board

Step 2: Next, cut out strips of red paper the height of the bulletin board so that you can create a red and white striped background to resemble the Cat's hat.

Step 3: Then, use the Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Extra Wide Deco Trim (Eureka Item# 844910) to display along the top of the bulletin board and use the Dr. Seuss™ Trains Deco Trim (Eureka Item# 844913) along the bottom of the bulletin board.

Step 4: Take the books used in the Dr. Seuss™ Books Mini Bulletin Board Set (Eureka item# 847041) and display them along the bottom of the bulletin board in a line graph design matching up with the red strips created in step 2.

Step 5: Next, write students names in the Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Ticket Paper Cut Outs (Eureka Item #841542) and place their names on top of each book they have read.

Step 6: Then, use the Dr. Seuss™ Stripes Deco Letters (Eureka Item #487215) to create the saying "So Many Books, So Little Time" above the bulletin board.

Step 7: Place the Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Die Cut Horizontal Banner (Eureka Item# 849901) above the center of the bulletin board

Step 8: Next, place pieces from the Dr. Seuss™ If I Ran the Circus Telling Time Bulletin Board Sets (Eureka Item #847156) all around the bulletin board set displaying recess time, lunch time, reading time and other times of day that the class shares.

Step 9: Finally, to complete the theme, decorate the entire board with red tool depicting a circus train car.