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# **Senator Andrea Stewart-Cousins Reads to Local Children for Get Caught Reading Month**

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Yonkers, NY – On Friday May 27, New York State Senator Andrea Stewart-Cousins read to preschool children and elementary students as part of “Get Caught Reading” month at Leake & Watts. Senator Stewart-Cousins read "Bustle in the Bushes" and "Chicka Chicka Boom Boom" to the enthusiastic groups.

“Ensuring that every child has exposure to the joys and benefits of reading at an early age is crucial for their development,” said Senator Stewart-Cousins, a former teacher. “Being able to spend time with these wonderful children, who have so much potential, is one the best parts of this job.”

Get Caught Reading Month is a national public service campaign supported by the Association of American Publishers designed to remind people of all ages how much fun it is to read.

Leake & Watts is a not-for-profit agency committed to addressing a myriad of challenges that confront individuals and families dealing with poverty, disabilities, and a lack of access to education and basic services.