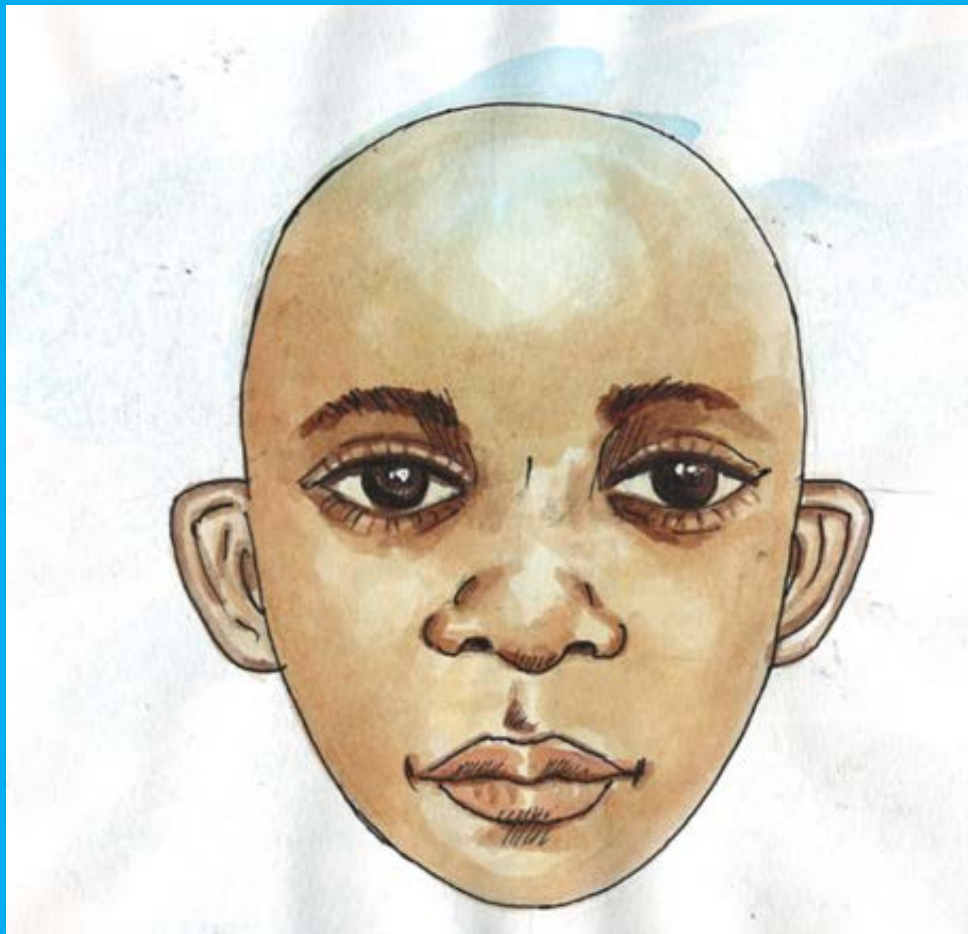


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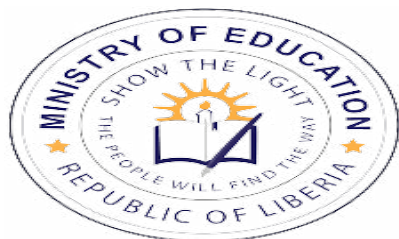


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Introduction for Ministry of Education Online Early Childhood Education Teaching and Learning Materials

The Liberia Ministry of Education has developed 50 context-relevant and age-appropriate early childhood education readers. These readers would be addressing the chronic need of improving the quality of teaching and learning materials and the widespread lack of curriculum materials for foundational literacy and play-based learning. Twenty-five of these ECD readers were written by ECE master trainers and, 25 were contextualized using online open-source stories from the global digital libraries.

Welcome to this audio edition of early childhood books aligned to the Liberia Early Childhood Education Curriculum. There are 50 eBooks in this edition. The uniqueness of this Ministry of Education approach is that each book has a sign language version.

The books come in three categories or levels:

- Beginner or nursery is for children ages 3 to 4
- Intermediate or K-I is for children ages 4 to 5 and
- Advance or K-II is for children ages 5 to 6

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To access these early childhood books online, please go to the Ministry of Education website: www.moe.gov.lr

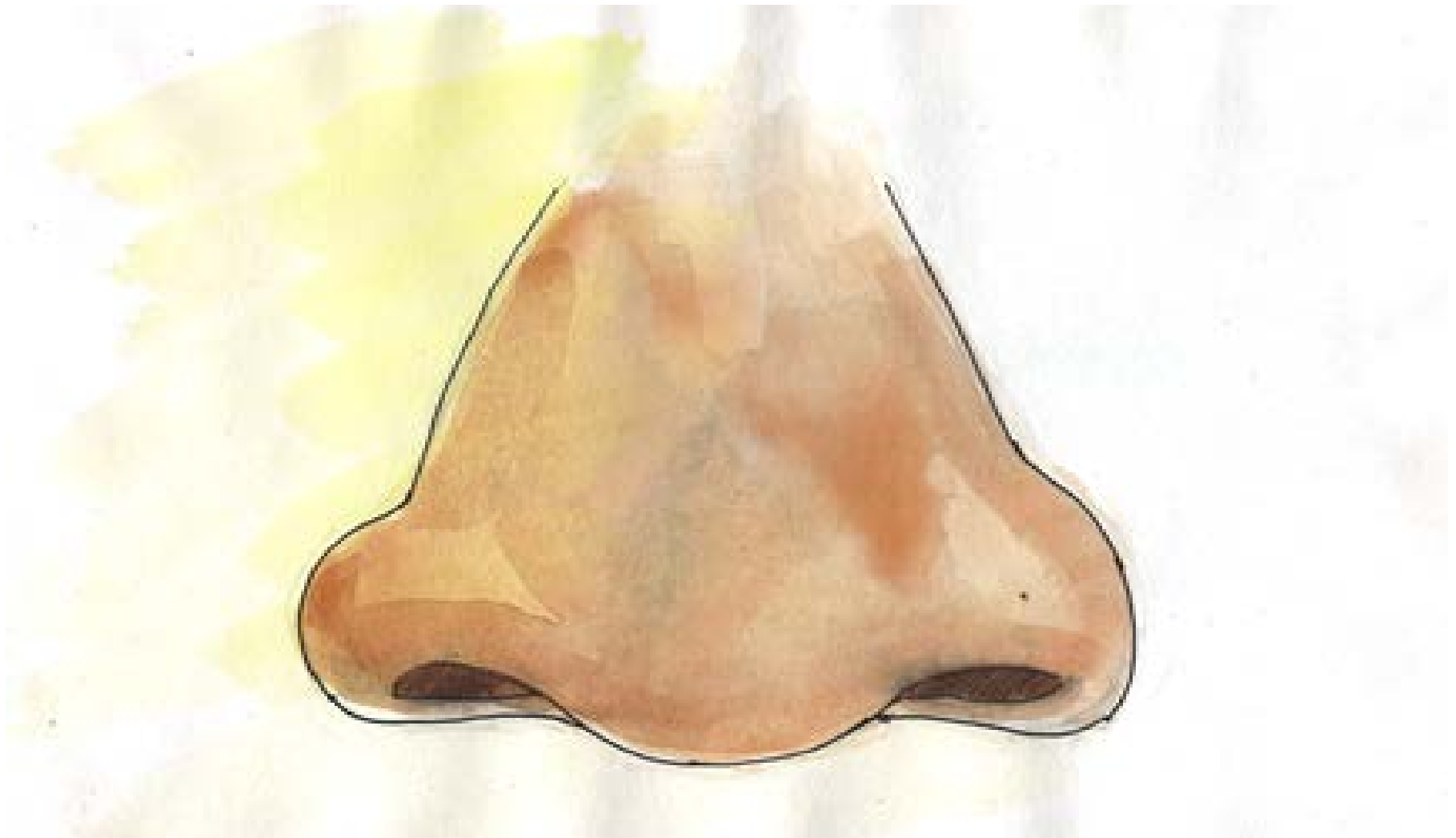
Our five senses help us to do many things. Without them, we would not do all the things we do now. Most of our five senses are found on the upper part of our body, the head.



Our five senses are seeing, hearing, smelling, tasting and feeling. We have two eyes. With these two eyes, we can see all the beautiful things around us. Our two eyes also help us to read. Our two eyes are found on our face.



Look at my nose, it is found on my face. With my nose, I can smell things that have different odors. Everyone has one nose each. Our nose also helps us to breathe air in and out of our bodies.



Do you see this pink thing covered with little bumps? It is my tongue. Our tongue is found in our mouth. Our tongue helps us to taste sour, sweet, salty, and bitter things. Everyone has one tongue. The tongue also helps us to speak.



Everyone has two ears. Animals also have two ears. Look at these rabbits and dogs, they have two ears. Our ears are used to hear. Ears can be found on the both sides of the head. Our ears are used to help us hear many different sounds.



There are two hands on our bodies. We use them to feel soft and hard things. Our hands are on the right and left sides of our bodies. Our hands are also use to write, wash, do different work in our homes and many other things.



Activity:

Match the sentence with the part of the body that is used in the sentence

Column one:

The table is red ----- picture of the tongue



The music is a Liberian music ----- picture of the hands



This apple taste bitter ----- picture of nose



The flower smell fresh ----- picture of ear



The rock is hard ----- picture of the eyes



Reading Level: Beginner (Age 3 -4)

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