Bilingual Program Resources

Resources for Bilingual Programs http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/ld/pubs/bilingual/
The Texas State Library and Archives Commission website has resources for bilingual programs for toddlers, preschoolers, school age and families. The programs feature various desert animals such as armadillo, rabbit, coyote, snake and woodpecker.

- **Cuentos de Animales / Animal Stories**
  http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/ld/pubs/bilingual/families/cuentos.html
  Featured animals include chickens, tigers, tortoise, armadillo and rabbits.

- **Aventúrate! Vamos al Oeste / Be Adventurous! Hitch a Ride to West Texas!**
  http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/ld/pubs/bilingual/families/aventurate.html
  Featured animals include coyote, snake, gecko, and woodpecker

Also from TSL: Go Wild-Read!
Reading Club Manual with some Spanish programs about nature, animals, and the earth; also Spanish songs, finger plays, puppet plays, and poems. All rights reserved.

Growing Comunidad: Library Programs and Materials for Latino Youth
This bibliography lists a number of bilingual and Spanish language online and print resources for youth.

**Iguana** is a Spanish-language magazine for children ages 7-12, created by Christianne Meneses Jacobs, an elementary educator and reading specialist originally from Nicaragua. Some of the fun features of IGUANA include puzzles, brainteasers, folk tales, poetry, cartoons, and a series of stories about characters that children will get to know through each edition. The magazine is reviewed on the Colorín Colorado website: www.colorincolorado.org/

More...
**Reading Tips Sheets for Parents** in Spanish (for various ages)  
Colorin Colorado website:  
[http://www.colorincolorado.org/guides/readingtips](http://www.colorincolorado.org/guides/readingtips)

*From the Utah State Library:*

**Tips for Bilingual Storytimes** – Utah State Library  

**Different Bilingual Storytime Formats** – Utah State Library  
[http://library.utah.gov/programs/spanish/BilingualStorytimeFormats.html](http://library.utah.gov/programs/spanish/BilingualStorytimeFormats.html)

**Bilingual Storytime Scripts** – Utah State Library  
Poems, finger plays, songs and more... by theme.