





STORYTIME

Thanks for making our storytimes so popular! Due to fire code, space is limited and tickets are required to enter storytime. Tickets are free and will be handed out 30 minutes prior to storytime. You must be present to obtain a ticket and a ticket is good for one person only.

You may need to show up at least 20 minutes before storytime begins to ensure you get a ticket.

Toddler * Tuesdays at 10:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. * Ages 18 to 36 months * about 25 minutes

Children and parents will participate as we share songs, rhymes, and stories. Ages 18 to 36 months

Preschool * Wednesdays at 10:30 a.m. except October 26 * Ages 3 to 5 * Length: about 30 minutes

Includes stories, songs, and more to build early literacy skills and help children develop a love for books. Ages 3 to 5.

Babytime * Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. * Ages 0 to 18 months * Length: about 20 minutes with 15 minutes of play time

Babies enjoy songs, nursery rhymes, and finger plays with their favorite adult. This program includes book-sharing time and language-enrichment activities. Ages 0 to 18 months.

Music and Movement * Saturdays, October 15 and 29 at 11 a.m. * Ages 2 and up

Join us for lots of fun as we dance and make music together with shakers, scarves, and more. Ages 2 and up.

SCHOOL AGE

Note: Space is limited and tickets are required to enter the programs. Tickets are free and will be handed out 30 minutes prior to the program's start time. Crafts are for children in K-5th grade only. You must be present to obtain a ticket and a ticket is good for one person only. Please be on time. No one will be permitted into the program ten minutes after the program's start time, even if they have a ticket.

Spooky Craft Buffet * Wednesday, October 5 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 6 to 11

Get ready for Halloween with these spooky crafts. In the Multipurpose Room. Ages 6 to 11.

Spooky Science * Wednesday, October 12 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 6 to 11

Join us as we get into the Halloween spirit with these spooky science experiments. Ages 6 to 11.

Creepy University * Wednesday, October 19 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 6 to 11

Attend Creepy University and play some gross games and learn some funky facts. Ages 6 to 11.

TEENS AND TWEENS

Teen animeFest * Saturday, October 1 from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. * Grades 6 to 12

Teen animeFEST is a library-sponsored anime and manga convention for teens in grades 6-12. There will be K-Pop dancing, a Cosplay panel, taiko drumming, anime bingo, food trucks, vendors, games, and a cosplay masquerade with prizes! Open to teens in grades 6-12

Teen Thursdays * Th ursdays from 4 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. * Ages 12 to 17

Shake off your creativity cobwebs! Come on in to the Teens@Lab for some fun, hands-on crafting. Note: Seating is limited, and the lab will close promptly at 5:30 PM. Ages 12 to 17.

Doing Good in the Neighborhood * Tuesday, October 4 from 4:30 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. * Grades 6 to 12.

Get volunteer hours and do good in our community. Projects may include preparing materials for library programs or helping local organizations. Grades 6 to 12 only.

<u>Tween Time: New World Record * Tuesday, October 11 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 9 to 12</u>

How quickly can you type the alphabet backwards? How fast can you arrange Mr. Potato Head blindfolded? Find out as you compete against others to make a new Sahara West Library world record. Ages 9 to 12.

Tween Time: Pumpkin Painting * Tuesday, October 18 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 9 to 12

Feeling festive for fall? Come and paint your own mini pumpkin. Ages 9 to 12.

Tween Time: Wizard Wands * Tuesday, October 25 at 4:30 p.m. * Ages 9 to 12

Create your own wizard wand in time for Halloween. Ages 9 to 12.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Spanish Bilingual Storytime * Sunday, October 2 from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. * Ages 2 to 6

Celebrate and learn about Hispanic culture with books, songs, and more. We'll also make a craft. Ages 2 to 6.

Little Artists: Fernando Botero Figures * Saturdays, October 8 and 22 at 11:30 a.m. * Ages 2 to 6

Learn about Fernando Botero's life and art and then make your own connect-the-dots Botero-inspired artwork! Ages 2 to 6.

Day of the Dead Sugar Skulls * Sunday, October 9 from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. * Ages 6 to 11

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by learning about the Day of the Dead holiday and decorating your own sugar skull. Ages 6 to 11.

80s Thriller Escape Room * Saturday, October 15 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. * Ages 12 to 17

Are you up for a challenge? You have one hour to solve puzzles and riddles to escape from our 80s thriller-themed room. Registration is required and begins online on October 1. Ages 12 to 17.

Candyland Halloween * Wednesday, October 26 at 11 a.m. (Ages 0 to 5) and 4 p.m. (All Ages)

Looking for something sweet? Join us for a Candyland Halloween with games and crafts. Come dressed in your costume! Ages 0 to 5 (11 a.m.) and All Ages (4 p.m.). In the Multipurpose Room.



Free Homework Help for Grades K-5

For more information, please visit the Youth Services Desk or call at 702.507.3644.



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