

Signup required

Signup begins on the 20th of each month for the following month's programs.
Signup at www.tplibrary.org/events/calendar

Grades: Entering 4–5

Paper Crafts

Tuesday, July 23 from 3:30–4:30 pm

Easier than origami, but just as cool!

Let's Play

Saturday, July 27 from 3–3:45 pm

Try out new app games.

Coding Club

Thursday, August 15 from 6:30–7:30 pm

Learn the basics of coding and circuits.

DIY Scratch-Off Cards

Tuesday, August 20 from 6:30–7:30 pm

Make your own cards with scratch-off fun. Give to friends or family and watch them decode your message.

Grades: Entering 4–8

"Sew" Simple

Monday, July 8 from 6:30–7:30 pm

Learn some simple stitches and create your choice of a PAC-MAN bookmark or magnet set.

Fairy Tale Theatre Presents Robin Hood

Friday, July 12 at 4pm and 7 pm

Saturday, July 13 at 11 am and 2 pm

Watch Robin Hood and his Merry Men battle the evil Sherriff of Nottingham to save the lovely Maid Marian. Along the way you'll meet fairies, wizards, witches, and a whole cast of hilarious characters.

Tickets are free but must be reserved in advance. Tickets can be picked up in person at the Youth Services desk starting July 1.

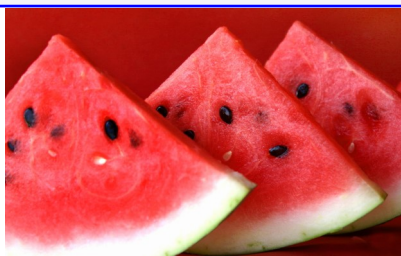
This show is recommended for ages 3 and up.

For Parents Only

Video Game Safety

Thursday, August 1 from 7–8 pm

This program for parents will address video game safety, ratings, and tips for playing games with your kids!



Drop-In programs No signup required

Share-a-Language Storytime

Ages: 3–8 years with parents

Saturdays from 10:30–11:15 am

Spanish: June 1, July 6, and August 3

Arabic: June 22, July 27, and August 24

Enjoy children's favorite stories and songs in diverse languages.

Outdoor Evening Storytime

Ages: 3–8 years with parents

Mondays June 3, 10, 17, and 24 from 6:30–7:15 pm

We are celebrating summer with stories and games at the library pavilion. Bring the family for this special outdoor event. Program will be indoors in inclement weather.

Family Storytime

Ages: All

Saturday, June 8, July 20, and August 17 from 10:30–11 am

Take a break from your busy morning and drop-in for a fun half-hour of action and stories.

Father's Day Craft

Ages: 3–10 years with parent

Saturday, June 15 from 10:30–11:30 am

Drop in to make a special craft for your loved one.

Family Pajamarama

Ages: 3–8 years with parents

Fridays June 21, July 19 and August 16 from 7–7:45 pm

Come have some family fun and enjoy stories, games, and simple crafts.

Family Fun Nights

Ages: Children with their parents

Fridays from 6:30–7:30 pm

Come to the library and spend some quality time with your family!

June 28: Family Movie Night— **Ralph Breaks the Internet** (PG) from **6:30–8:30 pm**

July 26: Family Activity Night— **Creative Art**

August 23: Family Game Night— **Outdoor Games**

Program will be indoors in inclement weather.

Sensory Storytime: In the Garden

Ages: 3–8 years with parents

Saturday, August 10 beginning at 10:30 am

Children of all abilities are invited to participate at their own pace in this storytime designed for children with sensory needs.

Get in the Game

Grades: Entering 2–3

Friday, August 9 from 7–8 pm

Love relay races? Come join us for a night of games outside! Program will be indoors in inclement weather.



TINLEY PARK
public library



Kid's Connection

June, July, and August 2019

**Programs for Children
Entering Kindergarten - Grade 5**

Summer Reading Challenge 2019



IT'S SHOWTIME
at your library!

Books read between June 3–August 3

Please register at the Youth Services Desk

The first day to check in your reading log is **Monday, June 10.**

Prizes must be picked up in person.

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Family Programs

[Please sign up all children and adults attending.](#)

Pocket Circus

Friday, June 7 from 10:30–11:15 am

An energetic two-people show with acrobatics, magic, and more.

Mammals and More

Friday, June 14 from 10:30-11:15 am

The zoo is coming to you! Join us for a wild time as we learn about the world of animals.

Mystic Drumz

Friday, June 21 from 10:30-11:15

Embark on a musical voyage to discover rhythms from around the world.

Boppin' Ballerinas

Friday, July 19 from 10:30–11:15 am

Meet and dance with real ballerinas!

Juggling Funny Stories

Friday, July 26 from 10:30–11:15 am

Laugh out loud as Chris Fascione brings children's stories to life. Everyone has fun participating in the show.

Life Size Candy Land

Families (Suitable for children aged 3 years to entering Grade 3)

August 2 from 10:00–12 pm

Families (Suitable for children aged 3 years to entering Grade 3)

This classic, family game comes to life when YOU are the pieces! Carefully read full description online.

Phone signup only!

Ready, Set, Go to Kindergarten

Grade: Entering Kindergarten

Tuesdays July 10 and 17 from 2–3 m OR

Tuesdays August 7 and 14 from 6:30–7:30 pm

This readiness program is for 5 year olds who are entering kindergarten in the fall. We will introduce basic concepts through stories and games. Please register for one series.

First Grade Fun

Grade: Entering Grade 1

Tuesdays July 9 and 16 from 3:30–4:30 pm OR

Wednesdays August 6 and 13 from 6:30–7:30 pm

Children will enjoy stories and participate in several literacy, math, and STEAM-related activities.

Grades: Entering K-1

Storybook Friends

Thursdays from 4:30–5:30 pm

Spend an hour with your favorite picture book characters.

June 13: Pinkalicious Party

July 18: Llama Llama Luau

August 8: Outstanding Olivia Fun

The Hungry Caterpillar Party

Grades: Entering K–1 with parents

Monday, June 17 from 1:30–2:15 pm

Help us celebrate the 50th birthday of *The Hungry Caterpillar* by Eric Carle! We will read the book, make a craft and play games.

Books & Puppets

Grades: Entering K–1 with parents

Tuesday, July 2 from 3–3:45pm

Let's make some puppets based on book characters!

Story Art

Mondays from 6:30–7:30 pm

July 15: The Beach

August 19: Colors

Rainbow Roundup

Monday, July 29 from 10–11 am

Join us for some colorful, rainbow-themed fun!

Movement and Games

Friday, August 2 from 6:30–7:15 pm

Love relay races? Eager to play a game or two?

This program is for you!

Bubble Bonanza

Grades: Entering K–1 with parents

Tuesday, August 13 from 10–10:45 am

Have fun with stories and bubbles under the sun. Program will be indoors in inclement weather.

Grades: Entering K-2

"Greyt" Readers

Mondays June 24, July 22, August 12 and 26

Readers practice their developing skills to a greyhound.

Choose from the following times: 6:30–7 pm,

7–7:30 pm, or 7:30–8 pm.

Grades: Entering 2-3

Unicorn Party

Wednesday June 12 from 3–4 pm

Make unicorn crafts and play unicorn games.

Art Explorers

Wednesdays from 6:30–7:30 pm

Explore different artists, techniques, and styles through hands-on art projects.

June 19: Wax Resist

July 17: Stained Glass Watercolor

August 21: Henri Matisse

Grades: Entering 2–3

Funny Faces

Thursday, June 27 from 4:30–5:30 pm

Make your own funny faces flip book.

Minecraft and More

Saturday, June 29 from 2–3 pm

Come play Minecraft and other world-exploring games.

"Pop" In Popcorn Activities

Monday, July 8 from 3:30–4:30 pm

Come pop in for crafts, activities, and games all involving popcorn. Taste some of this yummy snack, too!

Blast Off!

Monday, July 22 from 4:30–5:30 pm

Come celebrate the 50th anniversary of the Moon landing with stories, games, crafts, and snacks.

Let's Play

Saturday, July 27 from 2–2:45 pm

Try out new app games.

DIY Puppets

Tuesday, July 30 from 11–12 pm

Create two types of puppets and perform a mini puppet show.

Telling Tales

Tuesday, August 13 from 3–4 pm

Everyone's a storyteller! Create and participate in wild, crazy, and funny stories.

Grades: Entering 3–5

Bluestem Book Club

Thursdays from 4:30–5:30 pm

Discuss a nominee from the Bluestem List while enjoying a snack. We will close with a fun activity!

June 6: *The Bad Guys* by Aaron Blabey

July 11: *Her Right Foot* by Dave Eggers

August 1: *Last Kids on Earth* by Max Brallier

Pokemon

Wednesday, July 31 from 3–4 pm

Bring your game and cards to trade with other trainers.

Grades: Entering 4–5

Games Galore!

Mondays from 3:30–4:30 pm

Learn a new game or play an old favorite!

June 10: Tenzi

July 15: Apples to Apples

August 12: UNO

Readers Theater

Wednesdays June 19 & 26, July 10 & 17 from 4–5:15 pm

and a dress rehearsal on **July 24 at 5:30 pm** followed by a performance at **7 pm**. Register for 5 classes of theater fun.

If you or your child needs a reasonable accommodation to be successful in a program, please inform a staff member when registering.