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MAY 1 - AUG. 31



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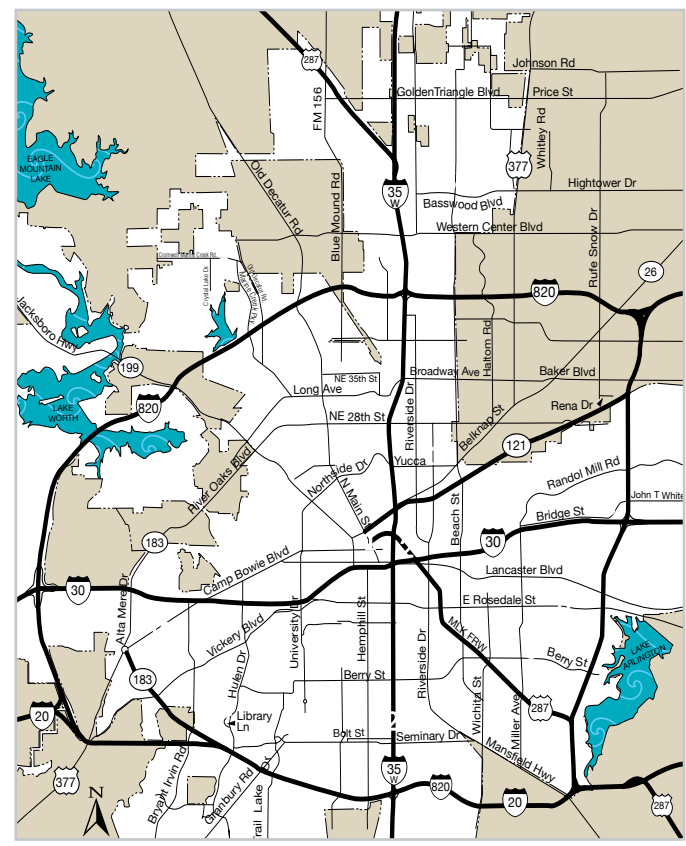
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- el** Early Learning (Birth-5)
- f** Families (Parents / Caregivers & Children)
- pe** Parent Engagement
- t** Teens (Ages 13-17)
- y** Youth (Ages 6-12)



The **Worth Reading program** aims to get everyone reading, learning and having fun — all year long. Three times a year, the library and its partner organizations begin a new chapter of story times, movies, programs, workshops, entertainment and activities.

Activity Cards

In an effort to emphasize the importance of reading and learning during the summer months, we will offer the activity cards only during the Summer Chapter of Worth Reading. Please know that we will continue to provide quality story times, programs, activities, classes, and workshops throughout the year, but will focus our participation campaign on the summer months.

It's worth reading — all year long!

El objetivo del **programa Worth Reading** es conseguir que durante el año todos se diviertan, lean y aprendan. Tres veces al año, la biblioteca y organizaciones participantes inician un nuevo capítulo de actividades, programas, talleres, películas, entretenimiento y horas de cuentos.

Las tarjetas del programa Worth Reading

En un esfuerzo por enfatizar la importancia de la lectura y el aprendizaje durante los meses del verano, las tarjetas del programa Worth Reading estarán disponibles únicamente durante el Capítulo de Verano. Durante todo el año continuaremos ofreciendo actividades, clases, horas de cuentos, programas y talleres de calidad, pero la campaña de participación se enfocará a los meses del verano.

¡Todo el año vale la pena leer!



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Keep Kids Learning

Research shows that U.S. children lose up to two months of reading skills from the time school lets out for summer until classes start again in the fall.

Summer slide can be devastating for low-income children, who often fall two-and-a-half to three years behind their peers by fifth grade without access to quality enrichment programs.

Read Fort Worth is our community's collective effort to ensure that 100% of third-graders are reading on grade level by 2025. We are building a system of support for children ages 0 to 9 to give each one the best chance to succeed in school and life.

One critical support is access to quality summer learning programs, especially summer camps infused with literacy instruction so that children gain ground and return to school ready to learn.

What Can I Do?

- Enroll your child in a summer learning camp that includes reading, writing, discussing books and other materials, and skills that ignite their brains and open their minds.
- Read with a child 20 minutes a day to boost brain development, expand their vocabulary and model the way words sound.
- Visit your public library with your child. The Fort Worth Library and neighborhood branches offer fun reading programs for children of all ages.
- Sign up for Ready Rosie at readyrosie.com. This online service is FREE for Fort Worth ISD families and delivers short videos to your phone, tablet or computer to teach you how to help your child learn from birth through 3rd grade.
- Follow your elementary school's progress toward the 100x25 goal at readfortworth.org/dashboard.

FORT WORTH LIBRARY SYSTEM

- Central Library**
817.392.7323
500 W. 3rd Street, 76102
- BOLD Library**
(Butler Outreach Library Division)
817.338.1467
1801 N/S Freeway, 76102
- COOL Library**
(Cavile Outreach Opportunity Library)
817.534.0852
5060 Avenue G, 76105
- Diamond Hill/Jarvis Library**
817.392.6010
1300 NE 35th Street, 76106
- East Berry Library**
817.392.5470
4300 East Berry Street, 76105
- East Regional Library**
817.392.5550
6301 Bridge Street, 76112
- eSkills Library & Job Center Library**
817.392.6621
2800 Stark Street, 76112
- Northside Library**
817.392.6641
601 Park Street, 76164
- Northwest Library**
817.392.5420
6228 Crystal Lake Drive, 76179
- Ridglea Library**
817.392.6631
3628 Bernie Anderson Drive, 76116
- Riverside Library**
817.392.5560
2913 Yucca Avenue, 76111
- Seminary Library**
817.392.5490
501 East Bolt Street, 76110
- Shamlee Library**
817.392.5580
1062 Evans Avenue, 76104
- Southwest Library**
817.392.5860
4001 Library Lane, 76109
(S. Hulen at Briarhaven)
- Summerglen Library**
817.392.5970
4205 Basswood Blvd., 76137
- Wedgwood Library**
817.392.5480
3816 Kimberly Lane, 76133

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Blackout Poetry (t y)

1 p.m. Tue., Jul. 3; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

1 p.m. Sat., Jun. 23; 60 min.

Name that Character (f)

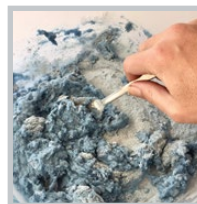
1 p.m. Tue., Jun. 5; 90 min.

Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

2 p.m. Thu., Aug. 2; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Galaxy Playdough! (y)

2 p.m. Thu., Jun. 14; 60 min.

**Stop Motion Animation** (t y)

3 p.m. Sat., Jul. 14; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Explore Robotics (f t y)

3 p.m. Sat., Jul. 28; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:**Oh! What's on My Plate?** (el f y)

1 p.m. Tue., Jul. 17; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

2 p.m. Thu., Jun. 28; 60 min.

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller (y)

1 p.m. Mon., Jun. 11; 60 min.

Blackout Poetry (t y)

1 p.m. Tue., Jul. 10; 60 min.

Center for Texas Studies at TCU:**Community History Workshops** (a)

10:30 a.m. Sat., May 5; Tandy Lecture Hall, 120 min.

Central Library Book Group (a)1:30 p.m. Sun., May 13, Jun. 10, Jul. 8, Aug. 12
Board Room, 60 min.**Computer Classes** (a)2 p.m. Sat., May 5, 19, 26; Jun. 2, 9, 16, 30;
Jul. 7, 14, 21; Aug. 4, 11, 18
Intel Computer Lab, 120 min., Registration Required**Everything Old is News Again Exhibit** (e)

Dec. 22, 2017 - Jun. 28, 2018; West Wing Gallery

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Jun. 13; 60 min.

Family Movie Fun (f)

1 p.m. Sat., May 12, Jun. 9, Jul. 14, Aug. 11

Fast Track to Reading (el f)

3 p.m. Sun., May 20, Jun. 17, Jul. 15, Aug. 19; 60 min.

Fort Worth Genealogical Society Lectures (a)6:30 p.m. Tue., May 29, Jun. 26, Jul. 31, Aug. 28
Tandy Lecture Hall; 60 min.**Genealogy Beginner Workshops** (a)10:30 a.m. Sat., May 12, Jun. 23, Jul. 28, Aug. 25
Chappell Meeting Room, 120 min.**Genealogy Computer Users Group** (a)2 p.m. Sat., May 12, Jun. 23, Jul. 28, Aug. 25
Intel Computer Lab, 120 min.**Girls Inc.: Literacy Camp** (y)10 a.m. Mon. - Thu., Jul. 9 - 12
Girls Ages 8 - 11, 4 hours, Registration Required**Homeschool Activity Days** (f t y)

1 p.m. Tue., May 8, Jun. 12, Jul. 10, Aug. 14; 120 min.

Military Service of Fort Worth Natives Exhibit (e)

Jul. 19 - Oct. 29; Lower Level

Mobile Noble Planetarium:**Bringing the Universe to you!** (f t y)1:30 p.m., 2:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m. Sun. Jun. 24
Each presentation is 45 min. and
geared towards a different age group**Blackout Poetry** (t y)

1 p.m. Mon., Aug. 6; 60 min.

The Cynthia Ann and Quanah Parker Trail Exhibit (e)

Jul. 1 - Sept. 28

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Jun. 9; 60 min.

Homeschool Activity Days (f t y)

1 p.m. Mon., May 7, Jun. 4, Jul. 2, Aug. 6; 120 min.

Maricela and Friends:**Bilingual Musical Puppet Show** (y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Jun. 30; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (y)

10:30 a.m. Sábado 30 de junio; 45 min.

**Name that Character** (f)

1 p.m. Sat., Jun. 16; 90 min.

Preschool STEAM Story Time (el)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Jun. 20, Jul. 18, Aug. 15; 60 min., Ages 3 - 5

Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Aug. 29; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art! (y)

1 p.m. Sat., Jul. 28; 60 min.

#smallisBIG: 50 Years of Early Childhood Education Exhibit (e)

Jun. 30 - Oct. 25; West Wing Gallery

Society of Watercolor Artists**Juried International Exhibition** (e)Apr. 15 - May 20, Gallery
Reception and Awards Presentation (Gallery &
Tandy Lecture Hall): 2:30-4 p.m. Sun., May 20**Stop Motion Animation** (t y)

1 p.m. Tue., Aug. 14; 60 min.

Tail Waggin' Tutors (Therapy Dogs International) (t y)

1 p.m. Sat., May 5, Jun. 2, Jul. 7, Aug. 4; 120 min., Ages 6 - 16

TECH Truck: Get Innovative with Tech Tools (f t y)

1 p.m. Tue., Jun. 12; 60 min.

3rd Thursday Jazz (e)6:30 p.m. Thu. May 17, Jun. 21, Jul. 19, Aug. 16, Sept. 20
Gallery; 90 min.**UNT Health Science Center Presents:****Oh! What's on My Plate?** (el f y)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Aug. 1; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

3 p.m. Sun., Jun. 3; 60 min.

Weatherford Art Association Exhibit (e)Aug. 5 - Sept. 29, Gallery
Reception (Chappell Meeting Room): 2 - 4 p.m. Sat., Sept. 29**Women of Worth Exhibit** (e)May 29 - Jun. 23, Gallery
Reception (Chappell Meeting Room): 2 - 4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 23**WWII Citizen Soldiers of North Texas:****1941-1945 Exhibit** (e)

Nov. 9, 2017 - May 14, 2018; Lower Level

Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Jul. 10; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art! (y)

1 p.m. Mon., Jul. 2; 120 min.

TECH Truck: Get Innovative with Tech Tools (f t y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 30; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:**Oh! What's on My Plate?** (el f y)

1 p.m. Mon., Aug. 6; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Aug. 18; 60 min.

Young Toddler Circle Time (el Pe)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Aug. 1, 8, 15, 22; 45 min. Ages 12 - 23 months

Blackout Poetry (t y)

3 p.m. Sat., Aug. 25; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

2 p.m. Tue., Jun. 19; 60 min.

Name that Character (f)

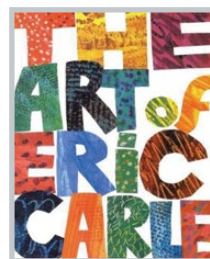
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Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

4 p.m. Thu., Aug. 9; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor! (y)

2 p.m. Wed., Jun. 6; 60 min.

**Stop Motion Animation** (t y)

2 p.m. Tue., Jul. 24; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Explore Robotics (f t y)

3 p.m. Thu., Jul. 19; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:**Oh! What's on My Plate?** (el f y)

2 p.m. Fri., Jul. 6; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

2 p.m. Fri., Aug. 3; 60 min.

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller (y)

11 a.m. Tue., Jun. 26; 60 min.

Blackout Poetry (t y)

1 p.m. Thu., Jul. 19; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Jun. 16; 60 min.

Families Reading Together**Pre-K (Ages 3 - 5)** (el Pe)10 a.m. Thu., Jul. 12, 19, 26; Aug. 2, 9
120 min., Registration Required**Homeschool Activity Days** (f t y)

1 p.m. Thu., May 17, Jun. 21, Jul. 19, Aug. 16; 120 min.

Jim Lee Book Club (a)

6:30 p.m. Mon., Jun. 4, Jul. 9, Aug. 6; 90 min.

People's Art Collaborative: Let's Talk Race**and Identity... Through Art** (a t)

6 p.m. Thu., Jul. 12; 120 min.

**Rocking Popping Parachutes** (f)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Aug. 8; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Galaxy Playdough! (y)

1 p.m. Thu., Aug. 16; 60 min.

Shake, Rattle, & Read (y)10:30 a.m. Tue., Jun. 5, 12, 19, 26; Jul. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31;
Aug. 7, 14, 21, 28; 60 min., Ages 2 - 5**TECH Truck: Get Innovative with Tech Tools** (f t y)

1 p.m. Thu., Jun. 21; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:**Oh! What's on My Plate?** (el f y)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Jul. 25; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

2 p.m. Sat., Aug. 25; 60 min.

The eSkills Library & Job Center offers materials and instruction to help citizens increase their skills. Classes are free to the public. Unless otherwise noted, the classes do not require advanced registration. Call 817.392.6621 for a complete schedule.

Microsoft Word**Microsoft Excel****Computer Basics****GED Classes** (Taught by TCC, Registration is required)**GED Classes in Spanish** (Taught by TCC,

Registration is required)

Computer Classes in Spanish**English as a Second Language & Citizenship Classes**

La biblioteca eSkills ofrece materiales y instrucción para alludar a los ciudadanos de Fort Worth a aumentar sus habilidades. Las clases son gratis para el publico. A menos que se indique lo contrario, las clases no requieren un registro avanzado. Llame al 817.392.6621 para obtener un horario completo.

Clases de GED en español

(Ofrecidas por TCC. Es necesario registrarse)

Clases de computación en español**Inglés como segundo idioma y clases de ciudadanía**

Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art! (y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 16; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡arte de la leche de arco iris! (y)

4 p.m. Sábado 16 de junio; 60 min.

Spanish for Beginners (a)

10 a.m. Sat., May 5, 12, 19, 26; Jun. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;

Jul. 7, 14, 21, 28; Aug. 4, 11, 18, 25; 120 min.

TECH Truck: Solve Engineering Design Challenges (f t y)

4 p.m. Tue., Jun. 19; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents: Oh! What's on My Plate? (el f y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jul. 16; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jul. 30; 60 min.

Agua, música, vibraciones (f y)

4 p.m. Lunes 30 de julio; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor! (y)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Jul. 31; 60 min.

Stop Motion Animation (t y)

1 p.m. Mon., Jul. 16; 60 min.

Summerglen Branch Non-Fiction Book Club (a)

6:30 p.m. Mon., May 7, Jun. 4, Jul. 2, Aug. 6; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Get Innovative with Tech Tools (f t y)

1 p.m. Wed., Jul. 25; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents: Oh! What's on My Plate? (el f y)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Jun. 27; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

4 p.m. Wed., Jul. 11; 60 min.

Agua, música, y vibraciones (f y)

4 p.m. Miércoles 11 de julio; 60 min.



Early Tarrant County History (1840-1900) Exhibit (e)

Jul. 19 - Dec. 27

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jun. 18; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (y)

4 p.m. Lunes 18 de junio; 60 min.

Maricela and Friends: Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (y)

5 p.m. Thu., Jun. 28; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (y)

5 p.m. Jueves 28 de junio; 45 min.

Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

4 p.m. Tue., Aug. 13; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

4 p.m. Martes 13 de agosto; 60 min.

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller (y)

4:30 p.m. Wed., Jun. 13; 60 min.

Blackout Poetry (t y)

1 p.m. Wed., Aug. 22; 60 min.

The Book Group @ Summerglen (a)

6:30 p.m. Mon., May 21, Jun. 18, Jul. 16, Aug. 20; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Jun. 12; 60 min.

Homeschool Activity Days (f t y)

1 p.m. Wed., May 23, Jun. 27, Jul. 25, Aug. 22; 120 min.

Name that Character (f)

2 p.m. Wed., Jun. 27; 60 min.

Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

4 p.m. Wed., Aug. 15; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

4 p.m. Miércoles 15 de agosto; 60 min.

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller (y)

6 p.m. Mon., Jun. 11; 60 min.

Early Childhood Matters (el pe)

10 a.m. Mondays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.

East Regional Library Book Club (a)

10:30 a.m. Tue., May 22, Jun. 26, Jul. 24, Aug. 28; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

11 a.m. Sat., Jun. 2; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (y)

11 a.m. Sábado 2 de junio; 60 min.

Ozobots: Stories on the Move (t y)

4 p.m. Thu., Jun. 14; 120 min.

People's Art Collaborative: Let's Talk Race and Identity... Through Art (a t)

6 p.m. Mon., Jun. 18; 120 min.

Preschool Sign and Speak (el)

10:30 a.m. Thu., Jun. 7, 14, 21, 28; 60 min., Ages 2 - 5

Ozobots: Stories on the Move (t y)

4 p.m. Thu., Jul. 12; 120 min.

Sensory Science: Galaxy Playdough! (y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 2; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Galaxia Playdough! (y)

4 p.m. Sábado 2 de junio; 60 min.

Stop Motion Animation (t y)

4 p.m. Thu., Jul. 5; 60 min.

Animación Stop Motion (t y)

4 p.m. Jueves 5 de julio; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Solve Engineering Design Challenges (f t y)

2 p.m. Sat., Aug. 4; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents: Oh! What's on My Plate? (el f y)

4 p.m. Wed., Jul. 18; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

4 p.m. Thu., Aug. 30; 60 min.

Write Out! (t y)

4 p.m. Thu., Jun. 7; 60 min.



Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Aug. 7; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

10:30 a.m. Martes 7 de agosto; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor! (y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jul. 21; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Acuarela de sal brillante! (y)

4 p.m. Sábado 21 de julio; 60 min.

Stop Motion Animation (t y)

1 p.m. Mon., Jul. 9; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Solve Engineering Design Challenges (f t y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jul. 7; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents: Oh! What's on My Plate? (el f y)

6 p.m. Wed., Aug. 1; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f y)

6 p.m. Wed., Jun. 6; 60 min.

Agua, música, vibraciones (f y)

6 p.m. Miércoles 6 de junio; 60 min.

Workplace Spanish for Beginners (a)

Call 817.392.5470 for Schedule

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

4 p.m. Thu., Jun. 21; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (y)

4 p.m. Jueves 21 de junio; 60 min.

Families Reading Together - Pre-K (Ages 3-5) (el pe)

10 a.m. Mon., Jul. 30; Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27

120 min. Registration Required

Familias leyendo juntas - Pre-K (3 a 5 años) (el pe)

10 a.m. Lunes 30 de julio; agosto 6, 13, 20, 27

120 min. Es necesario registrarse.

Girls Inc.: Art Camp (y)

10 a.m. Mon. - Thu., Jul. 23 - 26

Girls Ages 8 - 11, 4 hours, Registration Required

Girls Inc.: Fashion Camp (y)

10 a.m. Mon. - Thu., Jun 11 - 14

Girls Ages 8 - 11, 4 hours, Registration Required

Meditation Workshop (a)

6:45 p.m. Mon. May 21; Jun. 4, 11, 18, 25;

Jul. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27; 60 min.

Maricela and Friends: Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (y)

4 p.m. Thu., Aug. 2; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (y)

4 p.m. Jueves 2 de agosto; 45 min.

English as a Second Language (a)

5 p.m. Mon., May 7, 14, 21; Jun. 4, 11, 18, 25;

Jul. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27

5 p.m. Wed., May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;

Jun. 6, 13, 20, 27; Jul. 11, 18, 25;

Aug. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; 60 min.

Ingles como segundo lenguaje (a)

5 p.m. Lunes 7, 14, y 21 de mayo; 4, 11, 18, y 25 de junio;

2, 9, 16, 23 y 30 de julio; 6, 13, 20 y 27 de agosto.

5 p.m. Miércoles 2, 9, 16, 23, y 30 de mayo;

6, 13, 20, y 27 de junio; 11, 18, y 25 de junio;

1, 8, 15, 22, y 29 de agosto; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (y)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Jun. 19; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (y)

10:30 a.m. Martes 19 de junio; 60 min.

Maricela and Friends: Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (y)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Jul. 24; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (y)

10:30 a.m. Jueves 24 de julio; 45 min.



Eric Carle's Birthday (Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Jun. 12; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (Y)

4 p.m. Martes 12 de junio; 60 min.



Families Reading Together - Ages 6 - 10 (Pe, Y)

6 p.m. Mon., Jul. 30; Aug. 6, 13, 20, 27
120 min., Registration Required

Familias leyendo juntas - 6 a 10 años (Pe, Y)

6 p.m. Lunes 30 de julio; 6, 13, 20, y 27 de agosto
120 min., Es necesario registrarse

Maricela and Friends:

Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (Y)

7 p.m. Wed., Aug. 8; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (Y)

7 p.m. Miércoles 8 de agosto; 45 min.



Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

7 p.m. Wed., Jun. 13; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

7 p.m. Miércoles 13 de junio; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor! (Y)

4:30 p.m. Wed., Jun. 20; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Acuarela de sal brillante! (Y)

4:30 p.m. Miércoles 20 de junio; 60 min.



Stop Motion Animation (t, Y)

7 p.m. Wed., Jul. 25; 60 min.

Animación Stop Motion (t, Y)

7 p.m. Miércoles 25 de julio; 60 min.



TECH Truck: Explore Robotics (f, t, Y)

4:30 p.m. Wed., Aug. 8; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:

Oh! What's on My Plate? (el, f, Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Jul. 17; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f, Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Jul. 10; 60 min.

Agua, música, y vibraciones (f, Y)

4 p.m. Martes 10 de julio; 60 min.



Avid Readers Club (a)

1 p.m. Mon., May 7, Jun. 4, Jul. 2; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (Y)

10:30 a.m. Fri., Jun. 22; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (Y)

10:30 a.m. Viernes 22 de junio; 60 min.



Maricela and Friends:

Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (Y)

10:30 a.m. Fri., Jun. 1; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (Y)

10:30 a.m. Viernes 1 de junio; 45 min.



Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

10:30 a.m. Fri., Aug. 10; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

10:30 a.m. Viernes 10 de agosto; 60 min.



Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art! (Y)

10:30 a.m. Fri., Jul. 13; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡arte de la leche de arco iris! (Y)

10:30 a.m. Viernes 13 de julio; 60 min.



Stop Motion Animation (t, Y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jun. 11; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Get Innovative with Tech Tools (f, t, Y)

4 p.m. Fri., Jul. 6; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:

Oh! What's on My Plate? (el, f, Y)

10:30 a.m. Fri., Jul. 27; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center presenta:

¡Oh! ¿Qué hay en mi plato? (el, f, Y)

10:30 a.m. Viernes 27 de julio; 60 min



Water, Music, Vibrations (f, Y)

7 p.m. Mon., Aug. 27; 60 min.

Write Out! (t, Y)

2 p.m. Sat., Jul. 21; 60 min.

Young Toddler Circle Time (el, Pe)

10:30 a.m. Tue., Aug. 7, 14, 21, 28
45 min. Ages 12 - 23 months



Eric Carle's Birthday (Y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jun. 25; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (Y)

4 p.m. Lunes 25 de junio; 60 min.



Families Reading Together - Ages 6 - 10 (Pe, Y)

6 p.m. Wed., Jun. 20, 27; Jul. 11, 18, 25
120 min., Registration Required

Familias leyendo juntas - 6 a 10 años (Pe, Y)

6 p.m. Miércoles 20 y 27 de junio; 11, 18, y 25 de julio.
120 min. Es necesario registrarse.

Maricela and Friends:

Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (Y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jul. 2; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (Y)

4 p.m. Lunes 2 de julio; 45 min.



Name that Character (f)

4 p.m. Fri., Jun. 22; 90 min.

Nombra ese personaje (f)

4 p.m. Viernes 22 de junio; 90 min.



Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

4 p.m. Wed., Aug. 1; 60 min.

Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art! (Y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 23; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡arte de la leche de arco iris! (Y)

4 p.m. Sábado 23 de junio; 60 min.



Stop Motion Animation (t, Y)

4:30 p.m. Tue., Jul. 3; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Explore Robotics (f, t, Y)

4 p.m. Sat., Jun. 2; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:

Oh! What's on My Plate? (el, f, Y)

4 p.m. Mon., Jul. 23; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center presenta:

¡Oh! ¿Qué hay en mi plato? (el, f, Y)

4 p.m. Lunes 23 de julio; 60 min.



Water, Music, Vibrations (f, Y)

4 p.m. Wed., Aug. 27; 60 min.

Eric Carle's Birthday (Y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Jun. 23; 60 min.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle (Y)

10:30 a.m. Sábado 23 de junio; 60 min.



Maricela and Friends:

Bilingual Musical Puppet Show (Y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Aug. 25; 45 min.

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe (Y)

10:30 a.m. Sábado 25 de agosto; 45 min.



Name that Character (f)

4 p.m. Mon., Jul. 9; 90 min.

Nombra ese personaje (f)

4 p.m. Lunes 9 de julio; 90 min.



Rocking Popping Parachutes (f)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Aug. 4; 60 min.

Jugando con paracaídas (f)

10:30 a.m. Sábado 4 de agosto; 60 min.



Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor! (Y)

3 p.m. Mon., Jun. 11; 60 min.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Acuarela de sal brillante! (Y)

3 p.m. Lunes 11 de junio; 60 min.



Shake, Rattle, & Read (Y)

4 p.m. Wed., Jun. 6, 13, 20, 27; Jul. 11, 18, 25;
Aug. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; 60 min., Ages 2 - 5

Sacude, menea, y lee (Y)

4 p.m. Miércoles 6, 13, 20, y 27 de junio; 11, 18, y 25 de julio;
1, 8, 15, 22, y 29 de agosto; 60 min. 2 a 5 años.



Stop Motion Animation (t, Y)

1 p.m. Tue., Jul. 31; 60 min.

Animación Stop Motion (t, Y)

1 p.m. Martes 31 de julio; 60 min.



TECH Truck: Solve Engineering

Design Challenges (f, t, Y)

2 p.m. Tue., Aug. 7; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:

Oh! What's on My Plate? (el, f, Y)

10:30 a.m. Sat., Jul. 21; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center presenta:

¡Oh! ¿Qué hay en mi plato? (el, f, Y)

10:30 a.m. Sábado 21 de julio; 60 min.



Water, Music, Vibrations (f, Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Aug. 28; 60 min.

Agua, música, vibraciones (f, Y)

4 p.m. Martes 28 de agosto; 60 min.



Sensory Science: Galaxy Playdough! (Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Aug. 7; 60 min.

Stop Motion Animation (t, Y)

3 p.m. Sat., Jun. 30; 60 min.

TECH Truck: Solve Engineering

Design Challenges (f, t, Y)

3 p.m. Sat., Jun. 9; 60 min.

UNT Health Science Center Presents:

Oh! What's on My Plate? (el, f, Y)

10:30 a.m. Wed., Jul. 18; 60 min.

Water, Music, Vibrations (f, Y)

4 p.m. Tue., Jun. 5; 60 min.





Hours
Monday: 2-7 p.m.
Tuesday: 2-5 p.m.
Thursday: 2-7 p.m.
Saturday: 2-5 p.m.
Classes and open studio times may vary. Please contact Northwest Library for the most current schedule.



What is a Makerspace?
 A makerspace is a creative, DIY place where people can gather to create, invent, tinker, explore and discover using a variety of tools and materials.
 Makerspaces are as unique as the people they serve: artists, builders, crafters, graphic designers, engineers, and even those who just tinker, are all "makers" in their own way. This gives them a space to explore new skills.

What does the Panther Lab offer?

- 3D Printers
- 3D Scanner
- Robotics and Electronics Kits
- 27" iMacs with Adobe CC Suite
- Virtual Reality Simulation Headset
- Sony Camera and Green Screen
- Vinyl Cutter

What can I do at the Panther Lab?
3D Printing: Learn how to use Tinkercad to design and create 3D objects
Circuitry: Use Makey Makey and littleBits to learn about electronics
Robotics: Ozobots helps you create commands for mini robots
Video Creation: Create trailers for your favorite stories
Coding: Develop a digital game

Who can visit the Panther Lab?
 Panther Lab is open to anyone. You don't have to live in Fort Worth, or even have a Fort Worth library card to participate.
(But everyone should have a library card!)



First United Methodist Church of Bedford
 1245 Bedford Rd., 76021
Project Transformation (Y)
 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Mon. - Thu., Jun. 6 - Jul. 25
 Registration and Fees Required. Call 817-283-5536

Meadowbrook United Methodist Church
 3900 Meadowbrook Dr., 76103
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Wednesdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 10 a.m. Miércoles 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 120 min.

Project Transformation (Y)
 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Mon. - Thu., Jun. 6 - Jul. 25
 Registration and Fees Required. Call 817-534-1741

Modern Art Museum of Fort Worth
 3200 Darnell St., 76107
Movies that Matter (A)
 7 p.m. Thu., Jun. 14
 7 p.m. Thu., Aug. 9

North Tri-Ethnic Community Center
 2950 Roosevelt Ave., 76106
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Tuesdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 10 a.m. Miércoles 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 120 min.

Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 6 p.m. Thursdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 90 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 6 p.m. Jueves 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 90 min.

R.D. Evans Community Center
 3242 Lackland Rd., 76116
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Thursdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 10 a.m. Jueves 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 120 min.

Riverside Community Center
 3700 Belknap St., 76111
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 6 p.m. Tuesdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 90 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 6 p.m. Martes 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 90 min.
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Thursdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.

Southside Community Center
 959 E. Rosedale St., 76104
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Tuesdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 10 a.m. Martes 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 120 min.
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 10 a.m. Wednesdays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 120 min.
La Primera Infancia es Importante (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 10 a.m. Miércoles 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 120 min.

University United Methodist Church
 2416 W. Berry St., 76110
Project Transformation (Y)
 9 a.m. - 3 p.m. Mon. - Thu., Jun. 6 - Jul. 25
 Registration and Fees Required. Call 817-926-4626

Worth Heights Community Center
 3551 New York Ave., 76110
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE)
 6 p.m. Mondays, Jul. 9 - Aug. 9; 90 min.
Early Childhood Matters (EL PE) (Se Habla Español)
 6 p.m. Lunes 9 de julio a 9 de agosto; 90 min.



We have introduced our **Mobile Cat MAKERSPACE CARTS** to several branches throughout Fort Worth. They are designed for Kindergarten through 12th graders but are available to anyone interested in exploring science, technology, engineering and math.

Stop by a branch and visit a Mobile Cat to use a 3D printer or to experiment with a robotics or electronics kit.

Central Library
 500 W. 3rd Street, 76102
 817-392-6012
 Thursdays: 4 - 7 p.m.
 Fridays: 2 - 5 p.m.
 Saturdays: 2 - 5 p.m.

Northside Library
 601 Park Street, 76164
 817-392-6641
 Mondays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Tuesdays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Wednesdays: 4 - 7 p.m.
 Fridays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Saturdays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

East Berry Library
 4300 East Berry Street, 76105
 817-392-5470
 Tuesdays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Fridays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.
 Saturdays: 2:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Seminary Library
 501 East Bolt Street, 76110
 817-392-5490
 Tuesdays: 2 - 5 p.m.
 Wednesdays: 4 - 7 p.m.
 Thursdays: 2 - 5 p.m.
 Saturdays: 2 - 5 p.m.

Sponsored by:



3rd Thursday Jazz
May: The Musings of Miles Davis
 Presented by Thaddeus Ford
 The Thaddeus Ford Band explores the music of Miles Davis' electric period. Along with Afro-Caribbean, New Orleans and atmospheric post rock music, Miles' music from the 1970s has had a huge impact on Ford's sonic sensibilities as a composer.

June: Tribute to the Music of Wayne Shorter
 Presented by: The Duane Durrett Quartet
 Join the Duane Durrett Quartet for an evening with the music of Wayne Shorter. In addition to being one of the great saxophonists, Shorter is one of the great contemporary composers of modern American music. After stints with Art Blakey's Jazz Messengers and Miles Davis' Second Great Quintet, Shorter co-founded the jazz fusion band Weather Report.

July: Literary Jazz
 Presented by: Audra Scott and Music Mentors of Texas
 Led by its co-founder, versatile soprano and Fort Worth native Audra Scott, Music Mentors of Texas performs an array of standards ranging from the Queen of Jazz, Ella Fitzgerald to American Soprano, Jessye Norman. A combination of loved familiar jazz tunes and a new, "outside the box" take on American spirituals, the music will make you move your feet and feed your soul.

August: An Evening of Jazz at the Movies
 Presented by: Mario Cruz & his Curious Muse
 The common role of soundtrack music is to enhance and augment visual aspects of a particular scene or storyline. But in some cases, the music stands alone and creates its own "Feature Presentation". Cinema and Jazz find Common Ground.

September: Fred Hersch Trio
 The Grammy-nominated Fred Hersch Trio has been called "one of the major ensembles of our time" by *The Wall Street Journal*. Joining Fred in the fifth edition of his trio are John Hebert on bass and Eric McPherson on drums. The trio have toured extensively in the U.S., Europe, and Asia, appearing at major venues and festivals to wide acclaim.

Animals Rock with Lucas Miller
 Learn about animals from around the world with Lucas Miller, the "singing zoologist". Using multimedia to blend music, puppets, and humor, Miller reveals the secrets to cheetahs' speed, the amazing migrations of monarch butterflies, the importance of wetlands and much, much more!

Avid Readers Club
 Our group loves to talk about books! Our reading tastes vary widely, so everyone just brings in a stack of their recent reads and shares them with the group. We frequently discuss nonfiction, and select a variety of books to read around a theme, such as History, Mystery or Travel. No need to pre-register. Call 817-392-6631 for more information.

Blackout Poetry
 Blackout poetry is a fun way to mix visual art and poetry to enhance a poem's meaning. Using pages from existing works, sharpies and their own creativity, participants will get to create their own poetry and art. From silly to serious, anything goes when discovering the process of blackout poetry!

Learning Objective: Participants create original works of art and poetry using existing forms of media, learn about different types of poems and use mixed media to express themselves creatively.

The Book Group @ Summerglen

No ground rules about what we read—whatever fiction sounds interesting. Group members select the titles. Library staff provides reading group questions. You're welcome to join us even if you haven't read this month's selection. No need to pre-register. For more information, call 817-392-5970.

Center for Texas Studies at TCU: Community History Workshops

The Preserving Our Past series consists of public workshops designed to increase historical awareness and teach people how they can help preserve the history and culture of North Texas. The topic is A Tale of Two Soils: Contrasting Early Settlement Location in North Texas presented by Dr. Benjamin Tillman, Associate Professor and Chair of Geography, TCU. Cultural geographer Benjamin Tillman explains how geography is the stage on which history is played out and the resources we use to study it.

Central Library Book Group

All are welcome to gather and converse about the selected book of the month. You are also encouraged to suggest book titles for upcoming months. No need to pre-register. Call 817-392-7733 for more information.

Computer Classes

The Central Library offers a variety of adult computer classes. Seating is limited to 25 participants, so please register early. Register by calling 817-392-7733. For a list of classes, visit www.fortworthtexas.gov/library/computer-classes.

The Cynthia Ann and Quanah Parker Trail Exhibit

This exhibit seeks to educate the public about Comanche heritage through presenting the dramatic story of Quanah Parker and his mother Cynthia Ann through a series of photos.

Early Childhood Matters

It's no secret that active parents have a huge impact on a child's readiness to succeed in school. But what can a parent do to help their child succeed? The Early Childhood Matters series is designed for parents, family members and caregivers of children from birth through age 5. These weekly workshops, presented by education specialists, teach ages and stages, language and literacy skills, conflict resolution techniques, and communication strategies. Register on site. For more information, call 817.392.6200 (English) or 817.392.7531 (Spanish)

La Primera Infancia es Importante

No es ningún secreto que los padres que se involucran en la formación de sus hijos tienen un gran impacto en la disposición de un niño para triunfar en la escuela. Pero, ¿qué puede hacer un padre para ayudar a que su hijo triunfe? Las sesiones de Early Childhood Matters están diseñadas para padres, familiares y personas a cargo de niños desde el nacimiento hasta los 5 años de edad. Estos talleres semanales, presentados por especialistas en educación, explican las edades y etapas de desarrollo, destrezas lingüísticas y de alfabetización, técnicas de resolución de conflictos y estrategias de comunicación. El registro se realizará en cada localidad. Para más información, llame al 817.392.6200 (Inglés), o al 817.392.7531 (Español).

Early Tarrant County History (1840-1900) Exhibit

Tarrant County has a rich and significant history. This exhibit is intended to provide an overview of the early history of the county developed by members of the Tarrant County Historical Commission through a grant from the Fash Foundation. The goal of the exhibit is to encourage efforts to preserve that heritage.

East Regional Library Book Club

We are open-minded, with no rules about what to read. Discuss your favorite reads whatever they may be. No need to register, just show up! For more information call 817-392-5550.

Eric Carle's Birthday

Help us celebrate the unique art style of Eric Carle, who will be 88 on June 25. His collage illustrations, using painted crepe paper, allow children to create wonderful illustrations and stories. Wear your painting clothes and join in our celebration.

Learning Objective: Participants will create original collage artwork to express ideas and feelings using a variety of lines, shapes, colors and textures.

Cumpleaños de Eric Carle

Ayúdenos a celebrar el estilo de arte único de Eric Carle, que cumplirá 88 años el 25 de junio. Sus ilustraciones de collage, usando papel crepé pintado, les permiten a los niños crear maravillosas ilustraciones e historias. Venga con su ropa de pintura y únase a nuestra celebración.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: los participantes crearán obras de arte collage originales para expresar ideas y sentimientos usando una variedad de líneas, formas, colores y texturas.

English as a Second Language

These English as a Second Language (E. S. L.) classes are free and open to the general public.

Ingles como segundo lenguaje

Las clases biligües son gratuitas y están abiertas al público en general.

Everything Old is News Again Exhibit

One of the greatest historical resources in a city is its newspaper. The papers of a journalist provide insight into how the news is communicated, as well as the response of the public to what is printed in the paper. This exhibit documents the transformation of Jim Jones as a journalist—from student to columnist to special contributor. Jones wrote for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram from 1957 - 2015. His archives collection illustrates the adage, "everything old is new again," as many of his articles cover the same societal issues that make headlines today.

Families Reading Together

This FREE five week program promotes a love of reading and family quality time while enhancing reading comprehension and early learning skills. Gift cards are awarded to families who attend four of the five weekly sessions at one location. Registration is required. Call 817.392.7745. This program is cosponsored with The Fort Worth Public Library Foundation.

Pre-K (Ages 3 - 5)

Adult caregivers and preschool children participate together in reading stories aloud and having fun! Activities for older children will be provided in a separate space. A light snack is provided at each session. **For their safety, no child under three years of age is permitted to attend.** Limited to 15 families.

Ages 6 - 10

Adult caregivers and children participate in reading stories aloud followed by discussions to help develop critical thinking skills, enhance reading comprehension and promote reading together as a family. Special activities will be provided for preschool children (Ages 3-5). A light meal is provided at each session. **For their safety, no child under three years of age is permitted to attend.** Limited to 25 families.

Familias Leyendo Juntas

Este programa de participación familiar de cinco semanas es GRATUITO y promueve el gusto por la lectura y el tiempo de calidad en familia, al mismo tiempo que mejora las habilidades de aprendizaje a edad temprana y la comprensión de lectura. Las familias que asistan a cuatro de las cinco sesiones semanales en un mismo lugar recibirán Tarjetas de Regalo. Es necesario registrarse llamando al 817.392.7745. Este programa es copatrocinado con la Fundación Biblioteca Pública de Fort Worth.

Pre-K (3 a 5 años)

Los niños en edad preescolar y los adultos a su cargo participan ¡leyendo cuentos en voz alta y divirtiéndose! En un espacio separado se ofrecerán actividades para los niños mayores. Durante cada sesión se proporciona un refrigerio ligero. **Por su seguridad, no se permiten niños menores de tres años de edad.** Limitado a 15 familias. 120 min.

6 a 10 años

Este programa involucra a niños y los adultos a su cargo a leer en voz alta, seguido por discusiones para mejorar la comprensión de lectura, ayudar a desarrollar habilidades de pensamiento crítico y promover la lectura en familia. Se ofrecerán actividades especiales para niños en edad preescolar (3-5 años). Durante cada sesión se proporciona una comida ligera. **Por su seguridad, no se permite la asistencia de niños menores de tres años de edad.** Limitado a 25 familias.

Family Movie Fun

Families are invited to bring a blanket and enjoy a free feature length movie. Adults must be accompanied by a child.

May: Moana

In Ancient Polynesia, Moana, a sea voyaging enthusiast and the only daughter of a chief in a long line of navigators, discovers her island is under a terrible curse incurred by the Demigod Maui. So, she sets off on an epic journey across the Pacific in answer to the Ocean's call to seek out the Demigod to set things right. PG, 2016, 107 min.

Jun.: Are We Done Yet

Newlyweds Nick and Suzanne decide to move to the suburbs to provide a better life for their two kids. But their idea of a dream home is disturbed by a contractor with a bizarre approach to business. PG, 2007, 92 min.

Jul.: Up

Seventy-eight year old Carl Fredricksen travels to Paradise Falls in his home equipped with balloons, inadvertently taking a young stowaway. PG, 2009, 96 min.

Aug.: Willy Wonka and the Chocolate Factory

When eccentric candy man Willy Wonka promises a lifetime supply of sweets and a tour of his chocolate factory to five lucky kids, penniless Charlie Bucket seeks the priceless golden ticket that will make him a winner. Thanks to his Grandpa, Charlie gets the prize of his dreams! But a far more wonderful surprise than Charlie ever imagined awaits him. PG, 1971, 100 min.

Fast Track to Reading

On your mark, get set, read! Meet us in the Speedway Charities' Fast Track to Reading area for stories and interactive activities that celebrate teamwork, sportsmanship, perseverance, and technology. Young NASCAR and IndyCar enthusiasts will engage in taking apart and rebuilding model car engines, indoor racing, and dressing-up as racecar drivers. In 2015, Speedway Charities partnered with The Fort Worth Public Library Foundation to create the Fast Track to Reading space at the Central Library Youth Center.

Learning Objective: Participants will listen to stories that will boost their joy for reading and practice putting objects in order and interact with peers in pretend play scenarios.

Fort Worth Genealogical Society Lectures

This series of educational and fun lectures about genealogy and history is for both beginning and experienced researchers.

Genealogy Beginner Workshops

The Fort Worth Genealogical Society will teach you to research family histories like a professional. Topics will be - May: Church, Cemetery and Vital Records; Jun.: Immigration, Emigration and Naturalization Records; Jul.: Using Military Records as a Research Tool; Aug.: Leaving a Legacy.

Genealogy Computer Users Group

Through hands-on instruction, the Fort Worth Genealogical Society will teach you how to conduct effective family research with the aid of information technologies and the internet.

Girls Inc.: Art Camp

This four-day program will introduce the participants to art history and prominent female artists throughout history. Participants must bring a lunch. Snacks will be provided. **To register and for more information, call 817.259.1050.** (Girls Ages 8 - 11)

Girls Inc.: Fashion Camp

Fashion camp is a four-day program about the industry of fashion and the scientific elements that play a role in making the fashion industry one of the most popular markets in the world. Participants must bring a lunch. Snacks will be provided. **To register and for more information, call 817.259.1050.** (Girls Ages 8 - 11)

Girls Inc.: Literacy Camp

This four-day program uses storytelling, poetry, songs and hands on materials to expand the reading and language skills of young girls. Participants must bring a lunch. Snacks will be provided. **To register and for more information, call 817-259-1050.** (Girls Ages 8 - 11)

Homeschool Activity Days

Designed for homeschoolers, these programs include arts, crafts, games, book discussions and presentations.

Jim Lee Book Club

The Jim Lee Book Club discusses an eclectic selection of adult books. No need to pre-register—all are welcome to drop in. Call 817-392-5860 for more information.

Maricela and Friends: Bilingual Musical Puppet Show

Maricela's bilingual shows encourage good morals, love, friendship, respect, health, obedience, excellence, and self-esteem. Her powerful combination of entertaining and teaching makes any ordinary event extraordinary and fun. She has written songs for every occasion and her friends – the puppets – are almost REAL!

Maricela y sus amigos: espectáculo de marionetas bilingüe
Los programas bilingües de Maricela promueven la buena moral, amor, amistad, respeto, salud, obediencia, excelencia y la autoestima. Su poderosa combinación de entretenimiento y enseñanza hace que cualquier evento ordinario sea extraordinario y divertido. Ella ha escrito canciones para cada ocasión y sus amigos, las marionetas, ¡son casi REALES!

Meditation Workshop

Sahaja Yoga Meditation is a simple, natural yet powerful meditation system which through regular practice engenders a profound inner transformation that leads to peace, balance and well-being. You do not need any background in meditation. All learning material will be provided.

Military Service of Fort Worth Natives Exhibit

View rare and unique artifacts illustrating slices of military services from our North Texas residents serving throughout the 20th century. Inspire the next generation of service members for our armed services by sharing the experience of those who have already served. Presented by the Military Museum of Fort Worth. www.militarymuseumfortworth.org

Mobile Noble Planetarium: Bringing the Universe to you!

Fort Worth Museum of Science and History brings its Mobile Noble Planetarium to the library. Planetarium staff will interact with families to provide 3 entertaining and educational shows. Travel through space and unleash your family's imagination!

1:30 p.m.: This is Your Captain Speaking

Explore the sights of our solar system: breathtaking planets, marvelous moons, our spectacular sun, and poor, poor Pluto.

2:30 p.m.: Two Small Pieces of Glass

Celebrate 400 years of the telescope and learn how this wonderful instrument helped us understand our place in space.

3:30 p.m.: Our Amazing Solar System

A tour through our solar system and a little bit beyond. Reach for the stars with this fun and informative journey.

Movies that Matter

A free bi-monthly film series that highlights important human and civil rights issues. Each event features a film screening, followed by a moderated discussion with special guests. Admission is FREE. **Reservations can be made at www.FortWorthMoviesThatMatter.eventbrite.com.** Reservations will be released 15 minutes before the published start time of the program and seating becomes first come, first-served.

Jun.: The Mask You Live In

This probing documentary shines a light on what it means to be male in American society, where the definition of masculinity can be extremely narrow. Director Jennifer Siebel Newsom suggests that by expecting our males to behave in very specific ways, we are not only harming our boys and men but also society at large. 2015, NR-Language, 97 min.

Aug.: Teach Us All

On the eve of the 60th anniversary of the 1957 Little Rock school desegregation crisis, educational inequality remains among the most urgent civil rights issues of our time. With its school district hanging in the balance following a state takeover in January 2015, Little Rock today presents a microcosm of the inequities and challenges manifesting in classrooms all across America. Through case studies in Little Rock, New York City, and Los Angeles, *Teach Us All* seeks to bring the critical lessons of history to bear on the current state of U.S. education and investigate: 60 years later, how far have we come - or not come - and how do we catalyze action from here? 2017, NR, 80 min.

Name that Character

How quickly can you guess the name of characters from children's books? Come and play along as contestants answer questions about fan favorites from both classic and modern children's literature. It's fun for the whole family!

Learning Objective: Participants will demonstrate knowledge of distinguishing characteristics of well-known children's literature by identifying characters and authors.

Nombra ese personaje

¿Qué tan rápido puedes adivinar el nombre de los personajes de los libros para niños? Venga y juegue mientras los concursantes responden preguntas sobre la literatura infantil clásica y moderna. ¡Es divertido para toda la familia!

Objetivo de aprendizaje: Los participantes demostrarán el conocimiento de las características distintivas de la literatura infantil conocida mediante la identificación de personajes y autores.

Ozobots: Stories on the Move

Technology, creativity, and art combine to produce a unique storytelling experience. Ozobot robots are coded to follow colored paths that tell the story YOU create. Your imagination is the only limit; no previous coding experience is needed.

Learning Objective: Participants will create original works by collaboratively exploring the color coding systems of Ozobots and make predictions, create simulations, modify input combinations and review results.

People's Art Collaborative: Let's Talk Race and Identity... Through Art

At the People's Art Collaborative, we learn, reflect, create and talk about issues that impact us, our communities and our world... and the language we use is art. Sometimes we discuss issues that are difficult or that we never knew existed... but the first step to understanding challenge and conflict is conversation. It is critical to commit to the full duration of the workshop to respect the process, artist and issue being discussed. Limited to 25 participants. **Registration required. Call 817-392-7745.** Refreshments will be provided by the Multicultural Alliance.

Preschool Sign and Speak

This highly interactive workshop is jumping with fun learning for toddlers and preschoolers alike! Learn American Sign Language while singing, dancing and helping stories come alive. (Ages 2-5)

Preschool STEAM Story Time

Join us for STEAM story times that playfully introduce and explore concepts of Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics. Audiences will enjoy a wide variety of books and hands-on experiences that engage children's natural curiosity and support their success in school. (Ages 3-5)

Learning Objective: Participants will interact with read aloud stories, follow simple directions, discuss the properties of common objects, and use a variety of art materials for sensory exploration.

Project Transformation

Project Transformation's summer day camp programs for elementary students focus on enriching the mind, body, and spirit. We place a unique focus on improving literacy and social-emotional development. Project Transformation operates eight-week summer day camps serving children entering grades 1-6 in three high-need neighborhoods throughout Fort Worth. Each day, children read one-on-one with community volunteers and participate in activity-based literacy intervention. Children also participate in daily enrichment activities including recreational play and exercise, creative arts, and interaction with our young adult interns and community volunteers, who inspire and encourage youth daily to make responsible, sound decisions.

If you are interested in registering your child(ren) for the Project Transformation summer program, please contact Chelsea Jones, Program Director for further registration information and instructions. 817-531-6539. projecttransformation.org/central-texas

Fee: \$20/per child; \$50 max/family, Ages: 6 - 12

Rocking Popping Parachutes

Let's rock, pop and keep that parachute moving. Parachute play is a fun healthy way to build vocabulary, promote teamwork and social skills. Enjoy the music, games and stories at this fun filled program.

Learning Objective: Participants will use verbs (lift, jump, walk) and prepositions (under, over, beside) while engaging in a physical activity that provides an opportunity for enjoyment and challenge.

Jugando con paracaídas

Vamos a rockear, mover y mantener ese paracaídas en movimiento. El juego de paracaídas es una forma divertida y saludable de desarrollar el vocabulario, promover el trabajo en equipo y las habilidades sociales. Disfruta de la música, los juegos y las historias en este programa lleno de diversión.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: Los participantes usarán verbos (levantar, saltar, caminar) y preposiciones (debajo, encima, al lado) mientras se dedican a una actividad física que brinda la oportunidad de disfrutar y retarse.

School-Age STEAM Story Time

Join us for STEAM story times that playfully introduce and explore concepts of Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Mathematics. Audiences will enjoy a wide variety of books and hands-on experiences that engage children's natural curiosity and support their success in school. (Ages 6 - 10)

Learning Objective: Participants will use a variety of tools and methods to conduct scientific inquiry and practice critical thinking.

Sensory Science: Galaxy Playdough!

Explore the scientific process through homemade play dough! Use all 5 senses and your creativity to make your very own play dough. Take the results and recipe home with you. Participants will be hands-on throughout the program so don't wear your favorite outfit. Don't worry, it's ok to get messy in the library!

Learning Objective: Participants will use their senses to explore the finished dough and sensory language to describe the texture, as well as practice gaining information from procedural texts.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Galaxia Playdough!

¡Explora el proceso científico a través de playdough! Usa los 5 sentidos y tu creatividad para hacer tu propia plastilina. Lleva los resultados y la receta a casa contigo. Los participantes serán prácticos durante todo el programa, así que no use su atuendo favorito.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: los participantes utilizarán sus sentidos para explorar la masa y el lenguaje sensorial terminado para describir la textura, así como practicar la obtención de información a partir de textos de procedimientos.

Sensory Science: Rainbow Milk Art!

Let's get messy, excited and creative! Learn how to make beautiful abstract designs with simple kitchen ingredients! Release your inner artist and use scientific properties to create your own original art with milk, food coloring, and dish soap.

Learning Objective: Participants will practice scientific vocabulary and demonstrate molecular bond changes through combination of common household liquids. Participants will also use unusual materials to explore and create an art project.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡arte de la leche de arco iris!

¡Seamos creativos! ¡Aprende a hacer hermosos diseños abstractos con ingredientes simples de la cocina! Libera a tu artista interior y utiliza propiedades científicas para crear tu propia obra de arte original con leche, colorante para alimentos y jabón para lavar platos.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: Los participantes practicarán el vocabulario científico y demostrarán los cambios en los enlaces moleculares a través de la combinación de líquidos domésticos comunes. Los participantes también usarán materiales inusuales para explorar y crear un proyecto de arte.

Sensory Science: Salt Sparkle Watercolor!

What's better than visiting the ocean this summer? Using salt and water to create your very own beach scene through wax resist art! All it takes is knowledge, a little salt, some crayons and watercolor paint. Use your scientific observation skills to understand how the process works and how to use it.

Learning Objective: Participants will use art as a creative form of self-expression, use their scientific observation skills to note changes in matter, and practice their listening skills.

Ciencia sensorial: ¡Acuarela de sal brillante!

¿Qué es mejor que visitar el océano este verano? ¡Usando sal y agua, crea tu propia escena playera a través del arte de resistente a la cera! Todo lo que se necesita es conocimiento, un poco de sal, algunos lápices de colores y pintura de acuarela. Use sus habilidades de observación científica para comprender cómo funciona el proceso y cómo usarlo.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: los participantes utilizarán el arte como una forma creativa de autoexpresión, usarán sus habilidades de observación científica para observar los cambios en la materia y practicarán sus habilidades auditivas.

Shake, Rattle, & Read

Join us for this special story time series for lively children. If your child has always wanted to be loud in the library, then come to this program and explore sounds, movements, stories and rhymes. No shushing allowed! (Ages 2 - 5)

Sacude, meneá, y lee

Únete a nosotros para esta serie de tiempo especial de cuentos para niños. Si su hijo siempre quiso ser ruidoso en la biblioteca, entonces venga a este programa y explore sonidos, movimientos, historias y rimas. ¡No se permite el silencio! (2 - 5 años)

#smallisBIG: 50 Years of Early Childhood Education Exhibit

For communities wanting to sustain a strong workforce and economy, one of their best investments is early learning. The exhibit promotes support for high-quality early childhood education for all children from birth through elementary and provides a look into early childhood education in Tarrant County. Presented by Child Care Associates, a Fort Worth based non-profit founded in 1968 celebrating its 50th year anniversary. www.childcareassociates.org

Society of Watercolor Artists Juried International Exhibition

For more than 30 years, the Society of Watercolor Artists has represented the finest in watercolor art. Based in Fort Worth and Tarrant County, this year's international juried exhibition features works from around the world. Learn more at www.swawatercolor.com

Spanish for Beginners

This beginner Spanish class is targeted at those who know and/or speak little to no Spanish. Class is free and open to the public. For more information call 817-392-5580.

Stop Motion Animation

Record a video frame by frame to create your own improvisational animated sequence. Use materials in the library to build your characters and design your set, or bring your favorite props from home!

Learning Objective: Participants will use creative and computational thinking to collaborate with peers and create an original stop motion animation video using digital audio/visual tools.

Animación Stop Motion

Grabe un video cuadro por cuadro para crear su propia secuencia animada de improvisación. ¡Usa materiales en la biblioteca para construir tus personajes y diseñar tu set, o trae tus objetos favoritos desde casa!

Objetivo de aprendizaje: los participantes utilizarán el pensamiento creativo y computacional para colaborar con sus compañeros y crear un video de animación stop motion original utilizando herramientas audiovisuales digitales.

Summerglen Branch Non-Fiction Book Club

No ground rules about what we read—whatever non-fiction sounds interesting. Group members select the titles. Library staff provides reading group questions. You're welcome to join us even if you haven't read this month's selection. No need to pre-register. For more information, call 817-392-5970.

Tail Waggin' Tutors (Therapy Dogs International)

Is your child nervous about reading? Tail Waggin' Tutors can help. A dog certified by Therapy Dogs International listens patiently while a child practices reading aloud for 10 minutes, gaining confidence and improving vocabulary. Children who have difficulty reading, a speech impediment or just need practice reading aloud will all benefit. For children who can read. Recommended for ages 6 -16. **This is not a family event. Only children reading to dogs will be admitted in the reading area.**

TECH Truck

The TECH Truck is a mobile extension of the Perot Museum that travels throughout North and Central Texas. The goal of the TECH Truck is to engage youth and teens in hands-on, maker-based science, technology, engineering, art and math (STEAM) experiences that foster creativity and confidence. Explore high and low tech with hands-on projects intended to inspire everyone to Tinker, Engineer, Create and Hack. There are three different programs - Explore Robotics, Solve Engineering Design Challenges, and Get Innovative with Tech Tools.

UNT Health Science Center Presents: Oh! What's on My Plate?

If you are a picky eater or food lover, come learn about balanced nutrition. You will learn about making healthy food choices by reading *Gregory, the Terrible Eater* and *Good Enough to Eat*. You will also learn about choosemyplate.gov by playing the Healthy Helping sorting game and creating your own food art. Visit choosemyplate.gov or medlineplus.gov/childrenspage.html for more information.

Learning Objective: Participants will increase their health vocabulary, learn to identify food groups and portions control, as well as the six categories of nutrients needed for good health.

UNT Health Science Center presenta: ¡Oh! ¿Qué hay en mi plato?

Si eres quisquilloso o amante de la comida, aprende sobre la nutrición balanceada. Aprenderás a elegir alimentos saludables leyendo *Gregory, The Terrible Eater* y *Good Enough to Eat*. También aprenderás sobre choosemyplate.gov jugando al juego de clasificación Healthy Helping y creando su propio arte culinario. Visite choosemyplate.gov o medlineplus.gov/childrenspage.html para obtener más información.

Objetivo de aprendizaje: los participantes aumentarán su vocabulario de salud, aprenderán a identificar los grupos de alimentos y el control de las porciones, así como las seis categorías de nutrientes necesarios para una buena salud.

Water, Music, Vibrations

Discover how sounds change during a hands-on experiment with liquids. Hear the pitches that come from vibrations while you learn about sound waves and frequencies. Everyone will have a chance to tap the notes to *Mary Had a Little Lamb*. Great Family Fun!

Learning Objective: Participants will join in experiments showing that forces cause change and that energy exists in many forms in everyday life.

Agua, música, vibraciones

Descubre cómo cambian los sonidos durante un experimento práctico con líquidos. Escucha los tonos que provienen de las vibraciones mientras aprendes sobre las ondas de sonido y las frecuencias. Todos tendrán la oportunidad de tocar las notas para la canción *Mary Had a Little Lamb*. ¡Será gran diversión familiar!

Objetivo de aprendizaje: Los participantes se unirán en experimentos que muestran que las fuerzas causan cambios y que la energía existe en muchas formas en la vida diaria.

Weatherford Art Association Exhibit

The Weatherford Art Association was founded in July 1966 by a group of artists eager to share their talents and love of art with their local community. This exhibition is an overview of the talents of the current members. It is the mission of WAA to serve the artistic needs of the local and surrounding communities. www.weatherfordart.com

Women of Worth Exhibit

The National League of American Pen Women, Inc. (NLAPW), an organization of professional women artists, composers and writers founded in 1897, is dedicated to serve our communities through the arts. Enjoy the local Fort Worth Branch art exhibit which includes paintings of mixed media, oil, watercolor and pastels. www.nlapw.org

Workplace Spanish for Beginners

This class is designed for adults who know very little or no Spanish and wish to learn Spanish for the purpose of using it in the workplace. The class covers basic grammar, pronunciation, vocabulary, commonly used verbs, and everyday concepts. Students will need to devote time outside of class to practicing and reviewing material learned in class. The class has two levels each with six lessons.

WWII Citizen Soldiers of North Texas: 1941-1945 Exhibit

Thousands of men and women from North Texas traveled to the far corners of the globe to serve their country during WWII. Learn some of these stories of our citizen soldiers while viewing the rare and unique artifacts that accompanied them as they fought for freedom in Europe against the Nazis and in the Pacific against the Japanese.

Write Out!

Learn how to expand your creative writing. Through poems, stories, journaling, or more, get tips and tricks to better express yourself.

Learning Objective: Participants learn about different types of writing and techniques to effectively express themselves.

Young Toddler Circle Time

Learn songs, how to share books, sign language, and exercises to encourage language development. Engage with early literacy consultant Dr. James Thomas who demonstrates age-appropriate activities.

For their safety, no child under 12 months of age or over 23 months of age is permitted to attend. (Ages 12 - 23 months)

Learning Objective: Participants will practice strategies for optimizing the development of toddlers.

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