






Central Branch Library

Children's Programs

April 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 Toddler Time 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00	2 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:00 and 11:00	3 Preschool Storytime 10:00 and 11:00 Bluey Bonanza & Kids' Zone Ribbon Cutting Celebration 2:30pm: Bluey Storytime 3:00pm: Ribbon Cutting & Grand Re-Opening of the Kids' Zone/Play Area featuring Bluey crafts/activities	4 	5 Reading Paws 2pm-4pm Registration
6	7 Library Explorers 4:00 PM	8 Toddler Time 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00	9 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:00 and 11:00	10 Preschool Storytime 10:00 and 11:00	11	12 Family Storytime 10:00am
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20 Library Closed 	21 Library Explorers 4:00 PM	22 Toddler Time 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00	23 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:00 and 11:00	24 Preschool Storytime 10:00 and 11:00	25 	26 Roar & Explore 3pm-4pm
27 	28 Bilingual Storytime/ Cuentos Bilingües 10:00 AM Library Explorers 4:00 PM	29 Toddler Time 10:00, 10:30 & 11:00	30 Mother Goose on the Loose 10:00 and 11:00			

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

- **Mother Goose on the Loose (20 minute program for children birth to 18 months with adult)** – Join us for the nationally recognized Mother Goose on the Loose early literacy program. Enjoy interacting with your wee one as you hear stories, learn nursery rhymes and finger-plays, sing, and move.
- **Toddler Time (20 minute program for children 18 months to age 3 with adult)** – Stories, songs, puppets and finger-plays just for toddlers, while introducing early literacy concepts for parents and caregivers.
- **Preschool Storytime (30 minute program for children 3-5 years old with adult)** – Join in the fun with stories, songs, puppets and more that encourage development of early literacy skills.
- **Library Explorers (30 - 45 minute program for ages 5+)** – Explore science, art, and stories. Especially designed for school-age children to imagine, create, discover, and experiment!
- **Bilingual Storytime/Cuentos Bilingües (30 minute program for children 2-5 years old; families are welcome/Orientado a edades de 2-5; ¡familias están bienvenidas!)** – Featuring stories, rhymes, and songs in both English and Spanish! We'll practice letters, numbers, and colors in both languages in ways that incorporate music, movement, and fun! ¡Presentado cuentos, rimas y canciones en ambos Inglés y Español! ¡Practicaremos letras, números y colores en ambos idiomas, incorporando música, movimiento y mucha diversión!
- **READing Paws (20 minute time slots for children reading independently)** – Children can sign up to practice reading aloud to a therapy dog. READing Paws helps young readers gain confidence and practice fluency! **PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED.**
- **Family Storytime (30 minute program for families with children 0-5)** – Practicing early literacy and pre-reading skills is fun with stories, songs, and fingerplays! The storytime is geared toward 0-5, but the whole family is welcome.
- **Roar & Explore (1 hour drop-in program for children ages 3+ and their families)** – Calling all Dino-Fans! Joins us for an afternoon of dinosaur activities, crafts, and stories.
- **Bluey Bonanza & Kids' Zone Ribbon Cutting Celebration** – Calling all Bluey fans! Join us downstairs in the large meeting room for a Bluey-themed storytime at 2:30pm. Then, come upstairs at 3:00pm for the Ribbon Cutting and Grand-Reopening of the Kids' Zone and Play Area featuring Bluey crafts and activities.