

The Learning Curve @ Central Library November 2024



40 East Saint Clair Street

Indianapolis, Indiana 46204

Phone: 317-275-4222

Children under 12 should be accompanied by an adult. Please see the full calendar at indypl.org

Sun 1pm-5pm	Mon 10am-8pm	Tue 10am-8pm	Wed 10am-6pm	Thu 10am-6pm	Fri 10am-5pm	Sat 10am-5
					1 ◆ 11:00-11:30am Baby ArtsPlay	2 ◆ 10:00-11:00am Block Party ● 11:00-1:00pm AND 1:00-3:00pm The Gurl Code ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More
3 ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More	4 LIBRARY CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING & APPRECIATION DAY	5 ●◆ 5:30-7:30pm Family Game Night	6 ◆ 3:00-5:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ NEW Reading Ready Time	7	8 ◆ 11:00-11:30am Bilingual Storytime: Storytime / Hora del cuento bilingüe en español	9 LIBRARY CLOSED FOR MONUMENTAL MARATHON
10 ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ 2:00-3:00pm Jazz, Blues, & Other Hues	11 ■ 4:30-5:30pm Teen: Paint Your "ART" Out – Guided Painting ● 5:30-7:30pm Minecraft Club ●▲ 5:30-7:30pm Chess Workshop for Beginners / Books 'n Rooks Chess Club	12 ■ 4:15-5:45pm Teen Dungeons & Dragons: Season 8 ●◆ 5:30-7:30pm Family Game Night ▲ 11:00-5:00pm Community Resource Fair	13 ● 3:00-5:00pm Wild About Owls ◆ 3:00-5:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ NEW Reading Ready Time	14 ◆ 11:00-12:00pm Play with Patterns	15 ◆ 11:00-12:00pm Tales 'n Play Storytime	16 ◆ 10:00-11:00am Block Party ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More ●◆▲ 12:00-4:00pm 2024 Fall Fest and Slammin' Rhymes Challenge XVIII
17 ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ 3:00-4:00pm Hot Jazz for Cool Kids	18 ● 5:30-7:30pm Minecraft Club ●▲ 5:30-7:30pm Chess Workshop for Beginners / Books 'n Rooks Chess Club	19 ●◆ 5:30-7:30pm Family Game Night ◆ 6:00-7:00pm Author Talk with Juana Martinez-Neal	20 ◆ 3:00-5:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ NEW Reading Ready Time	21 ◆ 1:00-2:00pm Little Olympians	22 ◆ 11:00-12:00pm Tales 'n Play Storytime	23 ◆ 10:00-11:00am Block Party ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More
24 ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More	25 ● 5:30-7:30pm Minecraft Club ●▲ 5:30-7:30pm Books 'n Rooks Chess Club	26 ■ 4:15-5:45pm Teen Dungeons & Dragons: Season 8 ●◆ 5:30-7:30pm Family Game Night	27 ◆ 3:00-5:00pm Explore STEM + More ◆ NEW Reading Ready Time	28	29	30 ◆ 10:00-11:00am Block Party ◆ 1:00-4:00pm Explore STEM + More

◆ Preschool Program ● Youth Program ■ Teen Program ▲ Adult Program * Occurs at Multiple Branches ◆ Family Events

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MINECRAFT CLUB | MONDAYS 5:30-7:30 PM

Age Level: Kids, Teens, Families

Kids and families, drop by the Arena on the 2nd floor to immerse yourself in the world of science and tech exploration. Discover something new by exploring robots, LEGOs, STEM apps, crafts, games, and more at your own pace.

NOTE: No registration is required to attend

FAMILY GAME NIGHT | TUESDAYS 5:30-7:30 PM

Age Level: Kids, Teens, Families

Kids, teens, and families are invited to stop by the Atrium on the 2nd floor for Family Game Night! We have lots of board, card, and dice games to explore along with giant-sized chess, checkers, Jenga, and Connect 4.

NOTE: No registration is required to attend

EXPLORE STEM + MORE | WEDNESDAYS 3:00-5:00 PM; SATURDAYS & SUNDAYS 1:00-4:00 PM

Age Level: Kids, Teens, Families

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TALES 'N PLAY STORYTIME | FRIDAYS 11:00 AM-12:00 PM

Age Level: Preschoolers, Toddlers, Families

Stop in for some stories, music, and fun! Children ages 0-5 and their caregivers are invited to join the Learning Curve for story time! Afterward, all are welcome to stay for some open playtime.

NOTE: No registration is required to attend

BLOCK PARTY | SATURDAYS 10:00-11:00

Age Level: Kids, Teens, Families

Kids are invited to flex their creative muscles and building skills at our Block Party! Stop by the 2nd floor to create with LEGOs, blocks, and other kid-friendly building materials. **NOTE:** No registration is required to attend

ONLINE TEEN DUNGEONS & DRAGONS CLUB – SEASON 8 | TUESDAYS, NOVEMBER 12TH & 26TH 4:15-5:45 PM

Age Level: Teens

Teens ages 13-17 are invited to join online and play Dungeons & Dragons (5th edition) with The Learning Curve! New and experienced players are welcome. Every two weeks, a new 1-hour adventure will be ready to challenge our explorers. Materials will be provided.

NOTE: Registration is required to attend

READING READY TIME | WEDNESDAYS (ONLINE)

Age Level: Preschoolers, Families, Educators

Children ages 3-6 are invited to virtually experience the library! Join us from home, school, or wherever you are to sing along, listen to a story, see new places and meet new people! Every Wednesday, checkout IndyPL's YouTube channel for a new reading adventure! **NOTE:** No registration is required to attend

BABY ARTSPLAY | FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST 11:00-11:30 AM

Age Level: Babies and Toddlers

Little ones will be engaged through stories and songs with sensory play and body movement activities! Help your 6-month – 36-month-old child with their motor skills, emergent language, spatial awareness, and object permanence in this workshop with teaching artist Amaunet Ashé from Arts for Learning. **NOTE:** Registration is required to attend

BILINGUAL STORYTIME: STORYTIME / HORA DEL CUENTO

BILINGÜE EN ESPAÑOL | FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH 11:00-11:30 AM

Age Level: Babies and Toddlers, Preschoolers, Families

30am Young children will enjoy books, songs, and games in this bilingual storytime in English and Spanish! / ¡Los niños pequeños disfrutarán de libros, canciones y juegos en esta hora de cuentos bilingüe en inglés y léis y español!

NOTE: No registration is required to attend

TEEN: PAINT YOUR "ART" OUT – GUIDED PAINTING | MONDAY, NOVEMBER 11TH 4:30-5:30 PM

Age Level: Teen

Join us for a fun and creative painting experience! Our guided painting class offers a relaxed, supportive environment where young artists can express themselves and learn new techniques. **NOTE:** Registration is required to attend

WILD ABOUT OWLS | WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH 3:00-4:00 PM

Age Level: Kids and Families

Learn about habitats and behaviors of the diverse owl species native to Indiana with Take Flight Wildlife Education! You'll have the chance to see animals up close and ask questions. For ages 6 and up. **NOTE:** No registration is required to attend

PLAY WITH PATTERNS | THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 14TH 11:00-12:00

Age Level: Preschoolers and Families

Join an interactive preschool program that introduces children to patterns through stories, music, games, and more! Explore math skills and creativity with trusted content from PBS Kids.

NOTE: Registration is required to attend

LITTLE OLYMPIANS | THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21ST 1:00-2:00 PM

Age Level: Preschoolers

Relive the excitement of the 2024 Paris Olympics with JumpBunch of Central Indiana! Kids will have the chance to try a variety of Olympic sports, including soccer, gymnastics, track, tennis and more! Let your child embrace the Olympic spirit! **NOTE:** Registration is required to attend

FAMILY CONCERT SERIES: HOT JAZZ FOR COOL KIDS | SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 17TH 3:00-4:00 PM

Age Level: Babies and Toddlers, Preschoolers, Kids, Families

Join us for this free family concert at Central Library featuring some of Indiana's finest jazz musicians and educators!

NOTE: No registration is required to attend.