



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 11 am Sprouting Scientists (Ages 3-5) 6 pm Mysteries Unlocked: Magic (Ages 8-12)	2 9:30 am Books & Bubbles (Ages infant-18 mos.) 5:30 pm Not a Book Group for Ages 10-12	3 7 pm Book Babble: <i>The Selection</i> (Ages 12-18)	4 10 am Imagine That! (Ages 2-5)	5 OFFSITE: METHUEN DAY 10 a.m.-3p.m.
7	8 4 pm Teen Anime Club (Ages 13-18) 6:30 pm SPECIAL EVENT Author Visit: Raúl the Third (Ages 5 and up)	9 3 pm Teen Arts & Crafts Club (Ages 12-18) 6 pm Not a Book Group for Ages 5-6	10 7 pm Teen Gaming Club (Ages 12-18)	11 9:30 am On the Move! (Ages 18 mos.-5)	12 10 am Sensory Saturday (Ages 18 mos.-3) 2 pm Rhythms of the Tropics (Ages 8 and up)
14	15 10 am OFFSITE BILINGUAL EVENT Mo Willems Stories at the Methuen Music Hall (All ages) 4 pm Teen Movie Club (Ages 13-18) 7 pm Parent Workshop: Children's Anxiety (for parents of children ages 2-12)	16 9:30 am On the Move! (Ages 18 mos.-5)	17	18 6-8 pm SPECIAL EVENT Haunted Woods (All ages)	19 10 am Donuts with Grown-Ups: Ocean Animals (Ages 3-8)
21	22 9:30 am Books & Bubbles (Ages infant-18 mos.) 6:30 pm Family Storytime: Meet Murphy the Dog! (Ages 3-8)	23 4 pm Read to Murphy the Dog (Ages 5-18) 6 pm Not a Book Group for Ages 7-9	24 6:30 pm Create, Explore & More: Make a Rope Ghost (Ages 9-12)	25	26 2 pm SPECIAL STORYTIME Noche de Cuentos: "I Remember Abuelito" (All ages)
28	29 LIBRARY CLOSES @ 5 pm	30 LIBRARY OPENS @ 12 pm	31 10 am Halloween Happenings (Ages infant-5)	<p><i>Don't miss this exciting event on October 8: a visit with best-selling children's author and illustrator Raúl the Third!!!</i></p> <p><i>This program is funded by The Methuen Cultural Council (a local agency which is supported by the Mass Cultural Council).</i></p>	

Nevins Library Youth Services Department

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Registration required for most programs.

Visit our website to register at www.nevinslibrary.org, or call us at 978-686-4080 x26.

Program Descriptions

Books & Bubbles (Ages infant-18 mos.)

This language-enrichment program features songs, fingerplays, stories, and everyone's favorite finale: bubbles! **No registration** required.

Stories & Songs (Ages infant-5) Here's an entertaining program that gives families an evening option for their young children – come join us for stories, music, and fun! **No registration** is required.

Halloween Happenings (Ages infant-5) Dress up your little ones and bring them to the library for stories and trick-or-treating throughout the building.

Sensory Saturday (Ages 18 mos.-3) This program gives our young patrons fun ways to engage their senses at stations offering tactile experiences.

On the Move! (Ages 18 mos.-5)

Not quite a story-time, not quite a dance party – but the best of both! Bring your active little ones to listen to stories and then dance, hop, spin, and shake off some energy! **No registration** required.

Imagine That! (Ages 2-5) Bring your kids to enjoy stories and lots of imaginative play – a fun program that fosters creativity and collaboration!

Sprouting Scientists (Ages 3-5) Young children will enjoy stories and hands-on activities that show them how fun and intriguing science can be.

Donuts with Grown-Ups (Ages 3-8)

Children and their adult caregivers (parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles, mentors) are invited to this tasty storytime – not only to listen to stories and make a craft, but also to enjoy donuts!

Family Storytime (Ages 3-8) Wrap up your day with your children at this evening storytime, where they listen to stories and make a craft.

Not a Book Group for Ages 5-6 This isn't your typical book group – instead, it's a chance for kids to hang out with their peers and sample different book genres in a fun and relaxing environment.

Homeschool Hub (Ages 5-10) Come to the library to connect with other homeschoolers and explore a different topic each month.

Read to Murphy the Dog! (Ages 5-18) Sign up your child for a 15-minute session reading to Murphy, a sweet dog, and build their confidence in reading!

Not a Book Group for Ages 7-9 This isn't your typical book group – instead, it's a chance for kids to hang out with their peers and sample different book genres in a fun and relaxing environment.

Mysteries Unlocked! (Ages 8-12) Our “Unlocked” series takes a deep dive into various fascinating topics, including fun hands-on experiences.

Rhythms of the Tropics (Ages 8 and up) This workshop includes hands-on experiences with 25 percussion instruments, where participants can explore and delve into the rich heritage of Afro-Caribbean music.

Create, Explore & More! (Ages 9-12) Every month this program will offer a different activity to engage kids in fun learning and creativity — so many ways to enjoy science, art, self-expression, and more!

Not a Book Group for Ages 10-12 This isn't your typical book group – instead, it's a chance for kids to hang out with their peers and sample different book genres in a fun and relaxing environment.

Book Babble (Ages 12-18) If your teens are fans of books and just can't stop talking about the last one they read, then this is the group for them!

Teen Arts & Crafts Club (Ages 12-18) Teens can bring their friends and drop in to see what they can create with our crafting materials!

Teen Gaming Club (Ages 12-18) At this fun program teens can learn some new board and card games, or play familiar favorites, or use our Nintendo Switch!

Teen Anime Club (Ages 13-18) If your teens are fans of anime or just curious about it, this is the club for them – where they watch and discuss their favorite anime, draw manga, or just hang out!

Teen Movie Club (Ages 13-18) Do your teens love movies? They should come to this program to watch and talk about films – and even help choose them!

SPECIAL EVENT Haunted Woods (All ages)

Join us for a special, spooky program, where kids can walk through our “haunted woods” and enjoy Halloween games and crafts. The event will have one area for not-so-scary activities, and the Haunted Woods tour will feature scarier chills and thrills.

FREE OFFSITE BILINGUAL EVENT Mo Willems Stories at the Methuen Music Hall (All ages)

Join us at the Memorial Music Hall in Methuen (192 Broadway) for a special bilingual program – hear some Mo Willems stories set to music!

SPECIAL STORYTIME Noche de Cuentos: I

Remember Abuelito (All ages) The Day of the Dead is a Mexican holiday when families welcome back the souls of their deceased relatives with food, drink, and celebration. In this bilingual story a young girl is excited to welcome the spirit of her beloved grandfather. *This program is funded by REFORMA: the National Association to Promote Library and Information Services to Latinos and the Spanish-Speaking.*

SPECIAL PARENT PROGRAM Identifying Anxiety & Supporting Children (For parents of children ages 2-12) Have you noticed that your child is grappling with some anxiety? In this workshop we will identify tools that can help you navigate these challenges with your child. Led by Ashley Abesamra, Licensed Mental Health Clinician and Board Certified Dance/Movement Therapist.

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