



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 10 am Read & Play (Ages 18 mos.-4) 4 pm Book Babble: <i>Love in English</i> (Ages 12-18) 4:30 pm Story Solvers (Ages 8-11)	2 4 pm Confidence & Connections (Grades 5-7) 4 pm Teen Anime Club (Ages 13-18)	3	4 10 am Sprouting Scientists (Ages 3-5)
6 5 pm History Unlocked: The American Revolution (Ages 8-11)	7 5:30 pm Dinner & a Movie: <i>Wicked: For Good</i> (All ages)	8 4 pm Teen Arts & Crafts Club (Ages 12-18)	9 4 pm Confidence & Connections (Grades 5-7) 4 pm Teen Gaming Club (Ages 12-18)	10 9:30 am Books & Bubbles (Ages infant-18 mos.)	11 1 pm StoriesLive Workshop (Session 1) (Ages 14-18) 2 pm StoriesLive Workshop (Session 2) (Ages 14-18)
13 6:30 pm Spanish/English Bilingual Storytime (Ages 3-8)	14 4:30 pm Book Bonding: Caretaker/Child Book Group (Ages 5-7)	15 10 am Tales for Toddlers (Ages 2-3) 4 pm Teen Movie Club (Ages 13-18) 4:30 pm French/English Bilingual Storytime (Ages 3-8)	16 4 pm Confidence & Connections (Grades 5-7)	17 2 pm Books & Bubbles (Ages infant-18 mos.)	18 2:30 pm Pokemon Club (Ages 8-10)
20 LIBRARY CLOSED	21 2 pm Slime of the Month (Ages 9-11) 4 pm DIY Designs: Birdhouses (Ages 10-13) 5:30 pm LEGO Block Party (All ages)	22 1 pm Read to Murphy the Dog! (Ages 5-18) SPECIAL EVENT 6:30 pm Bilingual Storytime: The Mother Mount Legend (Ages 4 and up)	23 4 pm Make Your Own Zine! (Ages 11-14)	24 SPECIAL EVENT 10 am Little Groove Music (Ages infant-18 mos.)	25 10 am Donuts with Grown-Ups: Windy Weather (Ages 3-8)
27 4 pm Page Turners Book Group (Ages 8-11) 5:30 pm Stories & Songs (Ages infant-5)	28 10 am Healthy Sleep for Infants (and Parents!) (Ages infant-18 mos.) 6:30 pm Family Storytime: April Showers (Ages 3-8)	29 10 am Read & Play (Ages 18 mos.-4) 4 pm Read to Murphy the Dog! (Ages 5-18)	30 4 pm Confidence & Connections (Grades 5-7)	Don't Miss These Special Programs in April! Little Groove Music Healthy Sleep for Infants (& Parents!) Special Bilingual Storytime with Karina Liendo Confidence & Connections Workshop StoriesLive Workshop	

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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.) A language-enrichment program featuring songs, stories, and everyone's favorite finale: bubbles! Registration requested.

Stories & Songs (Ages infant-5) This evening option for young children includes stories, music, and fun! Registration requested but not required.

Read & Play (Ages 18 mos.-4) Your kids will enjoy stories, music, and a free-play session using our costume, toys, and building materials. Registration requested.

Tales for Toddlers (Ages 2-3) Here's a program for youngsters who are "aging out of" Books & Bubbles, so you can experience the fun and structure of storytimes together (including crafts)!

Sprouting Scientists (Ages 3-5) A wonderful opportunity for caregivers and children to explore science together through stories and hands-on activities.

Donuts with Grown-Ups (Ages 3-8) Children and their caregivers are invited to this tasty storytime to enjoy stories, crafts, and donuts!

Family Storytime (Ages 3-8) Wrap up your day with your kids at this evening storytime and craft program.

Spanish/English Bilingual Storytime (Ages 3-8) A fun bilingual storytime and craft program.

French/English Bilingual Storytime (Ages 3-8) A fun bilingual storytime and craft program.

Book Bonding: Caretaker/Child Book Group (Ages 5-7) In this relaxed program you and your child will read a book of your choice together, then come to the meeting to tell other participants about the book and hear about what they have read!

Read to Murphy the Dog! (Ages 5-18) Sign your child up for a 10-minute session reading to Murphy, and build their enjoyment and confidence in reading!

Pokemon Club (Ages 8-10) Do your kids enjoy playing the Pokemon Trading Card Game, or would they like to learn? This program accommodates all levels of experience, including instructions for beginners.

Story Solvers (Ages 8-11) A unique STEM program where kids create solutions to storybook predicaments.

History Unlocked (Ages 8-11) This series takes a deep dive into interesting topics each month.

Page Turners Book Group (Ages 8-11) A book group for kids who are reading great books on their own but are too young for our YA book groups; they'll help choose the books they'll read, enjoy snacks, and earn incentives from Texas Roadhouse.

Slime of the Month (Ages 9-11) Kids enjoy producing a different kind of slime each month!

Beads & Baubles (Ages 10-13) Kids can use our huge supply of beads to craft a different item each month.

DIY Designs (Ages 10-13) Every month we'll make another unique craft together!

Make Your Own Zine! (Ages 11-14) At this workshop kids create zines — small folded publications of stories, poetry, informational, or whatever inspires them!

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

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

Teen Arts & Crafts Club (Ages 12-18) Teens can drop in to create what they like with our craft materials.

Teen Anime Club (Ages 13-18) If your teens are fans of anime or just curious about it, then they'll enjoy this club 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 the movie!

LEGO Block Party (All ages) This program is open to all ages, and we encourage families to come build and create together (using our huge supply of LEGOs)!

Dinner & a Movie: *Wicked for Good* (All ages) Join us for a special screening of this epic story's conclusion, and bring dinner to eat while you enjoy the show!

Special Programs This Month

Little Groove Music (Ages infant-18 mos.)

We are delighted to welcome back these musicians, who put on a fantastic program for in February! This music class for infants and toddlers is tailor-made to help them learn through sight, sound, and touch — using real instruments in an immersive experience that fosters their love for music. *This program is part of our "Growing Readers" initiative, generously supported by the Castle Fund of Methuen.*

Healthy Sleep for Infants (& Parents!)

(Ages infant-18 mos.) Join us to learn how to support your baby's (and your) sleep: we will review what is developmentally appropriate for sleep by age, discuss realistic expectations, and help prepare you for when and why baby's sleep may change. *Presented by Mary Beilman of Baby Connections. This program is part of our "Growing Readers" initiative, generously supported by the Castle Fund of Methuen.*

Bilingual Storytime: "The Mother Mount Legend/La Leyenda de la Madre Monte" (Ages 4 and up)

We are so happy to welcome back master storyteller Karina Liendo, who will help us celebrate Earth Month with the tale of Madre Monte, whose story of protecting the natural world is deeply rooted in the oral tradition of the Columbian Amazon. *This program is funded by a grant from the Massachusetts Cultural Council.*

Confidence & Connections (Ages 10-13)

This four-week social emotional learning program teaches anxiety management skills, strategies to boost self-esteem and self-confidence, and tools to strengthen social connections with peers.

StoriesLive Workshop (Ages 14-18)

Because you have a life, you have a story. This workshop teaches participants how to develop a personal narrative through the art of storytelling: after listening to a professional storyteller model storytelling skills, they will be led through a series of powerful exercises that enable them to create first-person narratives on themes that are aligned with College Common Application essay prompts; these presentation and writing skills are of practical use in college application essays, college interviews, and job interviews.

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