

COLOR OUR WORLD

Summer Reading at the Fayette County Public Library

INFORMATION FOR CHILDREN AGES 0 - 5



Summer Reading Program Kick-Off

Magician Arthur Atsma
Monday, June 2 at 3:00pm



Celebrate the start of summer reading with a magical performance by Arthur Atsma! This high-energy, family-friendly show is full of fun, laughs, and amazing tricks. After the show, stick around to sign up for the Summer Reading Program!

Summer Reading Program Finale

Magician Ken Scott
Monday, July 28 at 3:00pm



Celebrate the end of a great summer together with a hilarious and amazing magic show.

Color Me Happy Storytime

If you're ready for a story, clap your hands! Join Ms. Charlotte, Ms. Katie, and Ms. Jess on Tuesday and Wednesday mornings in June and July* at 10:00 as we explore a different color each week and celebrate the things that bring color to our lives—like music, art, dance, cooking, and more! We'll sing songs, read books, do some bounces, and have a great time together. After storytime, stick around for playtime and socializing in the children's department. The Tuesday and Wednesday storytimes are identical, so you choose which day (or both!) works best for you!

*We will not have storytime on July 29 or 30.



Monday Movies

Mondays are movie days at the library! From June 9 – July 21, stop by the children's department every Monday at 2pm for kid-friendly screenings of some of our favorite recent releases.



Toddler Build It Fridays

Every Friday in June & July* from 9:30–10:30, toddlers can explore, build, and create during Toddler Build It! This open-play session features Kinetic Sand, building blocks, and other fun, hands-on activities that support early learning through play.

*We will not have Toddler Build It on July 4.



Messy Masterpieces

Bring your little ones to the library to get messy—on purpose! Join us on the library's lawn for four special art sessions made just for our youngest artists (ages 2–5). Come make your own mess-terpiece with us! **Each session requires registration. Please call 770.461.8841 to sign up.**



Monday, 6/23
10am
Finger Painting
*registration begins 6/9



Monday, 6/30
10am
Yarn Painting
*registration begins 6/16



Monday, 7/7
10am
Spray Bottle Painting
*registration begins 6/23



Monday, 7/21
10am
Creative Paintbrushes
*registration begins 7/7



Color Our World with Kindness - Summer Donation Drive

This summer, we're collecting donations for three amazing local nonprofits—Bloom, Fayette Samaritans, and Royal Animal Refuge. We've got a list of requested items from each group, and you can help by bringing a donation each time you visit the library. Our goal is 100 items per organization by July 28!

Early Learners (Ages 0 - 5) Summer Reading Challenge



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We love summer reading! Summer is a wonderful time to bond with your little one and help them develop a love for reading. Our Summer Reading Program runs from June 2 to July 28. During this time, we encourage you to visit the library often and enjoy reading together! When you sign up for the Summer Reading Program, your challenge will be to read 100 books with your child over the summer. To keep the motivation going, bring in your reading log every time you finish 20 books – your child will receive a yummy surprise as a reward for their progress! Once you reach the 100-book goal, your child will receive a certificate and an awesome prize bag to celebrate their achievement. Ms. Katie, Ms. Charlotte, and Ms. Jess love talking about fun books, so don't forget to ask us for some great read-aloud recommendations when you stop by!

Scavenger Hunts

Get ready to search high and low in the Children's Department this summer! Each week brings a brand-new scavenger hunt featuring a different color. Can you find all the hidden items? Complete the hunt and score a prize! Come back every week for a new color, a new hunt, and a whole lot of fun.



Summer Sticker Art

Can you discover the mystery image by the end of summer? Each time you check out an item, you'll get a sticker and instructions on where to put it on the grid. If enough people check out books and participate, an image will begin to appear! This fun, colorful activity is called sticker pixel art, and it's a great way for all ages to work together and color our world—one square at a time!



"Big Show" Thursdays

Join us on select Thursdays this summer in the library's large meeting room for exciting, all-ages performances – no registration required. While shows are designed for a general audience, we understand that every child is different. It's perfectly okay to give it a try and step out early if it's not the right fit for your family that day.



June 5 at 10am:
Enchanted Zoo



June 12 at 10am: Mr. Damon's
Shadow Puppet Theater



June 26 at 2pm:
Georgia Untamed
Zoo



July 10 at 3pm:
iScience with Dr.
Donald White



July 17 at 10am: That
Puppet Guy



July 24 at 3pm:
Mahealani's
Polynesian
Entertainment

Please note: All children must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver while in the library.

We are unable to accommodate groups at any of our regularly scheduled programs. Group programs are scheduled as staffing and time allow.

Contact library@fayettecountyga.gov for more information.

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