

Space at programs is limited. Seating is available on a first-come, first-served basis, except as noted.

FOR FAMILIES

Book Babies

Storytime for children 0-12 months with adult.

Thursdays, 9:30-10:15 am

Fridays, 3-3:45 pm (except October 12)

Tiny Tots

Storytime for children 12-24 months with adult.

Tuesdays, 4-4:45 pm

Wednesdays, 9:30-10:15 am (except October 31)

Toddler Storytime

Storytime for children 24-36 months with adult.

Wednesdays, 11:15 am-12 pm (except October 31)

Preschool Storytime

Storytime for children 3-6 years with adult.

Thursdays, 11:15 am-12 pm

Chinese (Cantonese) Storytime

Storytime presented in Cantonese for children ages 0-6 years with adult.

Sundays, 2:15-3 pm

La hora de aprender

Programa educativo en español para niños de 0 a 6 años cuyo idioma es el español.

Jueves, 4:30-5:15 pm

Chess @ the Library

Have fun playing chess! We provide the chess equipment. All ages welcome.

Saturdays, 1-3:30 pm

Chinese Chess

Come play Chinese Chess. We provide the boards and pieces. All ages welcome.

Sundays, 2:30-3:30 pm

Firefighter Storytime

Join us for a special storytime with Portland Fire & Rescue. Learn about fire safety and appreciate our firefighters with stories, songs and swag!

Friday, October 5, 11-11:45 am

Book Babies Playtime

Share books, bubbles, toys, shakers and scarves. This is a time for caregivers with children ages 0-12 months to gather and play.

Friday, October 12, 3-3:45 pm

Legos @ the Library

Bring your mad Lego skills to the library and let your imagination flow. Each time, we'll build a new structure to put on display. Bricks and supplies provided. For kids ages 5-11.

Friday, October 26, 4-5 pm

Jack-O-Lantern Jar

Create your own Jack-O-Lantern Jar in this workshop with Puppetkabob. Collage orange tissue paper to transform a glass jar into a hollowed-out pumpkin. Design spooky, eerie or haunting facial features to finish the look. Add a flameless tea light for a glowing effect and then have a bright and happy Halloween!

Registration required; register online, in the library or by calling 503.988.5123.

Saturday, October 27, 2-3 pm

Not So Spooky Stories

Enjoy stories and songs and make something fun. Wear your costume, if you like.

Wednesday, October 31, 9:30-10:15 am

Wednesday, October 31, 11:15 am-12 pm

FOR TEENS

Teen Council

Build leadership skills, work on creative projects, plan events, earn service hours, and have fun with other teens and library staff. Snacks provided!

Saturday, October 6, 2:30-4 pm

Saturday, October 20, 2:30-4 pm

Just Paint It!

Local portrait and landscape artist Joanne Kollman will demonstrate blocking techniques in oil painting. This workshop provides the opportunity for beginners as well as more advanced students to enhance their drawing skills with paint. Bring a picture of your friend, your pet or any other interesting subject. For teens in grades 6-12.

Saturday, October 6, 2:30-4:30 pm

FOR ADULTS

English Classes

Free ESL classes. All levels welcome. For more information, call 503.577.9984.

Thursdays, 1-2:30 pm

Citizenship Classes

Learn about the process of becoming a citizen in a six-session series of classes. Prepare for your citizenship interview. Study United States history and government for the examination. Classes are in English, and are taught by library volunteers.

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Mondays, October 8-November 12, 5:45-7:45 pm

Cooking Around the World Club: Digital Edition

We will show you a variety of digital cooking resources that you can use at home. Bring your own ideas to share!

Saturday, October 13, 12-1:30 pm

Los Boricuas

Come hear Los Boricuas perform Puerto Rican and Cuban music, Brazilian bossanova, Dominican Republic merengue, and bachata. Los Boricuas is Neftali Rivera, lead singer guitar from Puerto Rico, Ramon Cancel lead guitar from Puerto Rico and singer, Aquiles Montas percussionist from the Dominican Republic.

Saturday, October 13, 2-3 pm

Tertulia Literaria / Spanish Book Discussion Group

Acompáñenos en una discusión mensual en donde damos vida a la palabra. Participe en conversaciones estimulantes acerca de cuentos o una novela, intercambie perspectivas acerca de los personajes y también conozca a nuevas personas.

Viernes, 19 de octubre, 1-2:45 pm

Pageturners

Read *A Wizard of Earthsea* by Ursula K. Le Guin. Engage in conversation about books and get to know your neighbors. Sponsored by the Friends of the Library.

Saturday, October 20, 10:30 am-12 pm

COMPUTER CLASSES

Tech Help

Do you have technology questions? Meet one-on-one for 30 minutes with a friendly, knowledgeable Tech Helper who will help you find answers to questions about mobile devices, websites, downloading, e-readers, getting started with tech, and more. If you need help with a smartphone, iPad or tablet, please bring it with you, along with your username and password, or we may not be able to help.

Mondays, 1-3 pm

Computer Help

Friendly, patient assistants are available to help you practice your computer skills. You may also ask for basic assistance writing reports, making flyers, creating resumes, establishing an email account, searching the web, preparing research projects, filling out online application forms, and locating library and internet resources.

Tuesdays, 12-2 pm