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Monday, May 19 - Saturday, August 2

Beginning May 19, read 10 hours or 25 books. Submit your log electronically on the Kids or Teen Summer Learning Club pages at wylietexas.gov/library and get a free book + a chance to win one of the grand prizes.

KIDS



Kids entering 6th grade and younger

Grand Prizes: Every time you electronically submit a log, you get a chance to win one of these prizes!

1 Nintendo Switch Lite & Game Gift Card

1 Paw Patrol Gift Pack

1 Family Gift Pack to B & B Theatre



TEENS

For teens entering 7th - 12th grades

- 1 Anime & Manga Prize Pack
- 1 National Videogame Museum Family Membership
- 1 Kindle Paperwhite Prize Pack

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ADULTS

Adult Summer Programs 18+

RR = Registration Required

Summer Reading Challenge - Read or listen to 3 YA or adult-level books. Books you've read for Read More and attending adult events count as well.

Read More Challenge 2025 - Read or listen to a unique book from each of the 20 categories. See our website for full details.



Grand Prizes:

Win 1 of 3 Interactive Art
Experience Gift Card Packs

Submit logs electronically in Beanstack between **May 19 - August 2**. Your first log earns a notebook set with sticky flags and pen that can be picked up between June 16 - August 2.

ADULT BOOK CLUBS

Booked on Fridays

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Meets 2nd Friday of the month. Email ask@smithlibrary.libanswers.com to obtain a book and invite info.



June 13- *My Brilliant Friend*
by Elena Ferrante

July 11- *The Frozen River*
by Ariel Lawhon

Third Tuesday Book Bunch

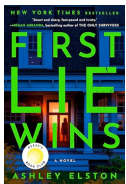
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Adults 55 +

Meets 3rd Tuesday of the month. Email ask@smithlibrary.libanswers.com to obtain a book and invite info.

June 17- *First Lie Wins* by Ashley Elston

July 15- *Inheritance* by Nora Roberts



ADULT SUMMER PROGRAMS 18+

Wellness Watercoloring

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Tuesday, June 10 @ 6:00 pm

Learn relaxation techniques through watercolor art. All participants will create a variety of easily mastered subjects designed to create inner peace and visual beauty. Led by artist Amy Pagan.

Diamond Painting

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Wednesday, July 2 @ 5:00 pm

Combining the concepts of mosaic art and paint-by-numbers, diamond painting uses tiny rhinestones on adhesive to create a glittering, multi-dimensional picture. Supplies provided.



Game On: D&D For Grownups

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Tuesday, July 8 @ 5:30 pm



Adventure awaits during our table-top roleplaying game. Enjoy a summer's night one-night campaign. Open to new and experienced players alike.

ADULT SUMMER PROGRAMS CONTINUED

Japanese Torn Paper Collage



Saturday, July 12 @ 2:00 pm

Chigiri-e is a Japanese art form in which the primary technique uses colored paper that is torn to create images, and may resemble a watercolor painting. Led by wellness counselor Sari Fujimaru.



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Tuesday, July 22 @ 5:30 pm

Adventure awaits during our table-top roleplaying game. Enjoy a summer's night one-night campaign. Open to new and experienced players alike.

Conversational English



4th Thursdays

June 26 & July 24 @ 2:00 pm

Practice your English speaking conversation skills! Participants meet monthly to practice speaking about everyday topics in a casual, supportive setting. Sign up for each date separately.



Check out the Adults News & Events page for registration dates and more programs!

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

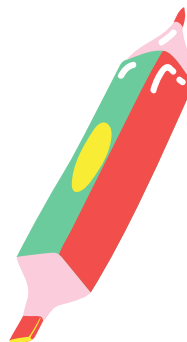
Open to 9th - 12th Grade & Adults

Illustrators Panel



Tuesday, June 3 @ 6:00 pm

From books to commercial work, join illustrators as they talk about what inspires them. share how they started in their careers, and answer your questions!

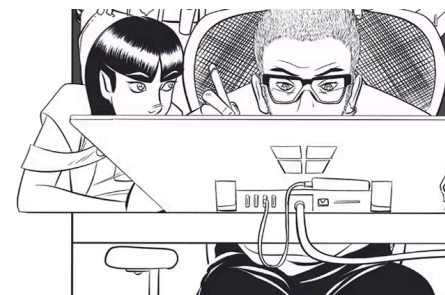


Drawing Workshop



Tuesday, June 17 @ 6 pm

Learn tips and tricks for improving your art. Led by comic and novel illustrator Brian Delaney.



Anime/K-Pop Craft Night



Tuesday, June 24 @ 6:00 pm

Meet fellow fans while making simple crafts to show off your ult anime/manga, idol or bias!



FAMILY PROGRAMS | FOR ALL AGES

Summer Kick Off Party

Friday, May 30 from 9 am-11:45 am

Inflatables, foam party, trains, and more!
All activities are free. Food trucks will be providing items for purchase.

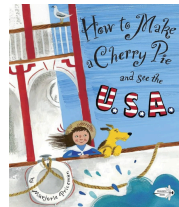
Overflow parking at Collin College, crossing at Brown to the Municipal Complex. Brought to you by the Library and Wylie Recreation.



Summer Story Hike

Throughout June & July

Take a Story Hike around the library walking trail and enjoy these titles. This is a self-directed activity.



Color Our World Treasure Hunt

Monday, June 3 through Saturday, June 8



Find all of the items on the list and claim a prize at the children's desk!

This is a self-directed activity.

One prize per day please.

STORYTIME | JUNE 2 - JULY 18

Stickers are required for entry and are available for free at the Children's Desk.

FAMILY

Mondays @ 6:00 pm

Bilingual, for all ages

INFANTS

Wednesdays @ 10:00 am

For 0-11 month olds

Big Kids

Wednesdays

@ 10:45 and 11:30 am

Thursdays @ 1:30 pm

For 3-5 year olds

Toddlers

Fridays @ 10:15 & 11:00 am

For 1-2 year olds

Sensory

Wednesdays @ 2:15

For Kinder - 2nd Graders



Storytime will be on break from July 21 through September 2. Storytime will resume Wednesday, September 3, 2023.

KIDS SUMMER PROGRAMS

All programs are geared towards elementary school aged kids. Stickers are required for entry and available for free on the day of the program. Space is limited.

Tuesdays @ 10:00 & 11:00 am

June 10 - Ramazini Circus - Join us for juggling, comedy, and a little magic.

June 17 - All About Animals - Meet some hairy and not-so-hairy animals from around the world.

June 24 - James Wand - Travel the world looking for the evil Dr. No No with Magician Extraordinaire James Wand.

July 1 - Slick Jugglers - World record holding comedy variety entertainer specializing in juggling, magic, unicycling, stilt walking, and light/fire stunts

July 8 - Professor Pop's Bubble Show - Laugh and be amazed as Brett Roberts performs amazing magic with bubbles.

July 15 - Blackland Prairie Raptors - Learn about the different kinds of raptors in Texas

Thursdays @ 6:00 pm

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June 19 - Library Closed

June 26 - Pair of Pirates - A trio of pirates who mix songs of the sea with a little history and a lot of humor..

July 3 - All About Animals - Meet some hairy and not-so-hairy animals from around the world.

July 10- Family Lego build - Bring the whole family and bring your creations to life through Legos.

July 17- Science Heroes - Join Science Heroes on our mission to turn science into an adventure!

TWEEN SUMMER PROGRAMS

For kids entering 4th - 6th grades only.

Registration is required for ALL tween programs. **RR**



Registration begins 2 weeks prior to the program date with a link on our Kids Summer Learning page at wylie.texas.gov/library. Space is limited.

Mondays @ 2:00 pm

June 9 Cookie Palooza - Join Taste E's Sweets and Treats in a cookie decorating class. *Please only register for one class.

June 16 Warriors of History - The real warriors of history, not what you've seen in movies or read about them in books.

June 23 James Wand's Magic Class - Watch some fun magic tricks and learn how they are done.

June 30 Cookie Palooza - Join Taste E's Sweets and Treats in a cookie decorating class. *Please only register for one class.

July 7 Juggling Class - Learn how to juggle with the fabulous Ramazinis.

July 14 Austin Reptiles - Check out this fun and information program and meet some of your favorite reptiles.

TEEN SUMMER PROGRAMS

For teens entering 7th - 12th grades

All teen programs are on Thursdays and Fridays from 2pm-4pm.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED FOR ALL PROGRAMS.

Registration begins 2 weeks prior to the program date.

You can register via a link on our Teen Summer Learning Page at wylietexas.gov/library. Space is limited.



Thurs. June 12 3D Print Workshop #1 - Learn how 3D printing at the library works, and design your own piece in Tinkercad.

Fri. June 13 Voice Acting in DFW with Michelle Goltzman - Michelle Goltzman (Voices Carey instructor and professional stage actor/director) talks about training yourself for voice acting roles in anime, film, television, video games, and more.

Fri. June 20 Tie-Dye Takeover - Learn different tie-dyeing techniques and practice on a basic white shirt, and bring an item or two of your own to dye as well!

Thurs. June 26 Junk Journaling - Get in on the newest, collage-inspired journaling trend and get started on your own while rummaging through all of our supplies.

Fri. June 27 Cyanotype Photography - Learn about the chemical process behind camera-less cyanotype photos and make your own artwork to take home with you.

Thurs. July 10 3D Print Workshop #2 - Learn how 3D printing at the library works, and design your own piece in Tinkercad.

Fri. July 11 Cupcake Wars - Michelle from Hands on Design will teach professional cupcake decorating techniques. And of course, you'll have your own decorated cupcake to take home and enjoy.

Thurs. July 17 Dungeons & Dragons Part 1 - Join an adventuring party and set off on a short summer campaign with one of our Game Masters! Beginner friendly. Please ensure you can attend both parts when registering.

Fri. July 18 Dungeons & Dragons Part 2 - Join an adventuring party and set off on a short summer campaign with one of our Game Masters! Beginner friendly.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR ALL AGES

Friends of the Library Book Pre-Sale

Friday, July 18

5:00 - 7:00 pm



Early birds get the best deals. Become a Friend to qualify for pre-sale access. To join visit

bit.ly/JoinSPLFOL

Friends of the Library Book Sale

Saturday, July 19

9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Find some great treasures and support the Friends of the Library. All proceeds benefit the library.



Harry Potter's Birthday Party



Friday, July 25

2:00 - 4:00 pm

Celebrate the birthday of the "boy who lived" with Smith Public Library! Activities include a sorting hat, wand take and make, Hogwarts crafts, a costume contest, and more!

See our website for full details: WylieTexas.Gov/Library