

Hartford Public Library Virtual Youth Programs

OCTOBER 2020

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Facebook Program Videos @HartfordPublicLibrary

Join a HPL Youth Librarian on Facebook for a special video program at 1:00pm.

Tuesday & Thursday | Storytime Videos

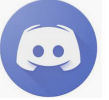
Wednesday | STEM Videos



Virtual Teen Programs

Nintendo/Animal Crossing on Twitch

Ages 13-19. Monday, Oct 5, 12, 19, 26, 4:00pm. Join Vickie on Twitch @YouMediaHPL and watch a livestream of Animal Crossings: New Horizon on the Nintendo Switch!



Camp Field Branch Discord

Ages 13-19. Thursday, Oct 8, 29, 4:00pm. Click on the link: <https://discord.gg/QppenFM> to join Miss Katherine for teen programs on Discord.

Oct 8 - Virtual Tour of Downtown YouMedia

Oct 29 - Harry Potter Spell Challenge



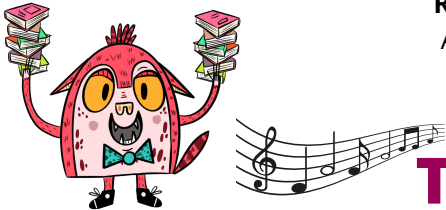
Zoom Programs

Join our fun, online programs with family and friends! Each week we will post a registration link on our website for our Monday - Friday Zoom programs. Register online or call your neighborhood library to register by phone.

Marvelous Mondays

Read, Sing, Play Story Time with Ms. Lina

Ages 0-5 with parents/caregivers. Monday, Oct 5, 12, 19, 11:00am. Join us for stories, activities, and music movement.



Super Bookstronauts! Book Club for Tweens with Ms Lina

Ages 8-12. Tuesday, Oct. 6, 4:30pm. Join Ms. Lina for a live virtual book discussion of the book Wonder by R.J. Palacio.



Urdu/Hindi Story Time with Ms. Rubina

All ages. Tuesday, Oct 6, 20, 11:00am. Ms. Rubina has some fabulous and fun Urdu/Hindi stories and rhymes to share with our Hindi/Urdu speakers.

Story Time Tuesdays with Ms. Rubina.

Ages 0-5. Tuesday, Oct 13, 27, 11:00am. Join Ms. Rubina to enjoy the best in Picture Books, songs & rhymes.

Virtual Afterschool with Miss Katherine

All ages. Tuesday, Oct 13, 20, 27, 3:30pm. All ages. The library is closed but we are still here to help you. Join us on Zoom for homework help, reading help and virtual book browsing.

Wonderful Wednesdays

Crafts to Make with Ms. Rubina

Ages 6 and up. Wednesday, Oct 7, 14, 21, 28, 4:00pm.

Fall Collage: Capture the beauty of fall.

Little Dolls: Create your very own doll.

Mini Jack-O-Lanterns: All materials supplied, including fresh mini pumpkins.

Hemp Jewelry: Learn how to make simple but beautiful hemp jewelry.

Talk STEM with Kendall and Miss Lina

Ages 6-12. Wednesday, Oct 7, 14, 21, 4:00pm. Join Kendall via Zoom for a fun STEM adventure featuring amazing facts in the field of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math.



Mexican Yarn Painting with Miss Katherine

All ages. Wednesday, Oct 14, 3:30pm. Join us for a colorful arts program inspired by the Huichol Indians of Mexico, and learn to make yarn art. Pick up the supplies in our October craft bag.



Mr Bear's Fall Leaves Festival

Ages 6-12. Wednesday, Oct 21, 3:30pm. Join

Mr Bear and Miss Katherine for a celebration of fall leaves with stories, an outdoor explore and a leafy art activity.



Pumpkin Patch Tales with Miss Katherine

Ages 6-12. Wednesday, Oct 28, 3:30pm. Enjoy pumpkin stories and a special glow in the dark STEM activity. Pick up the supplies in our October craft bag.



Spelling Bee Contest with Ms Lina

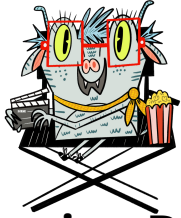
Ages 6-7. The Children's Library invites first and second grade students and their families to participate in our Spelling Bee contest on Wednesday, Oct 28 3:30 pm. Prizes will be awarded for 1st and 2nd place winners! Call the Library at 860-695-6330 for more information and request your Spelling Bee packet through the library's Grab Bag Service.



Thrilling Thursdays

Songs and Stories with Ms. Katryna

Ages 0-5. Thursday, Oct 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 3:30pm. Families can join for a story time as well as songs with Ms. Katryna and her Ukulele!"



Starring Boomer!!

Banned Books with Boomer - Shel Silverstein

Ages 6-12, Friday, Oct 9, 4:00pm. Join Vickie and Boomer and discover some hilarious Shel Silverstein poems!

Mini Movies with Boomer

All ages. Friday, Oct 16, 4:00pm. Join Vickie and Boomer and watch and discuss "shorts," or 5-10 minute movies

Read Sing Play Monster Storytime

Ages 0-6. Friday, Oct 23, 11:00am. Join Vickie and Boomer for a haunted Halloween monster storytime!

Halloween Slime

Ages 6-18. Friday, Oct 30, 4:00pm. Join Vickie for a creepy haunted Slime activity! Pick up supplies at the Downtown Children's Room

Social Justice and Me with Ms Lina

Ages 6-12. Thursday, Oct 8, 15, 22, 3:30pm. Social justice impacts our lives every day. Join us as we explore this thought-provoking topic through children's literature.

Science at Play

Ages 6 and up. Thursday, Oct 8, 15, 29, & Friday, Oct 23, 4:00pm. Discover with Ms. Rubina how science works behind fun stuff. Bouncy Balls, Catapults, Sounds of Maracas and Why Glow in the Dark?



Fantastic Fridays

Bilingual Storytime with Miss Katherine

Ages 0-5 & 6-12. Friday, Oct 9, 23, 10:00am. Join Miss Katherine for stories and songs in English and Spanish.

Read, Sing, Play STEM Sprouts Story Time with Ms. Lina

Ages 0-5 with parents/caregivers. Friday, Oct. 9, 16, 30, 11:00am. Explore science, technology, engineering, and math through stories, songs, and music movement.

Junior Jeopardy with Kendall

Ages 6-12. Friday, Oct 9, 16, 23, 3:30-4:45pm. Join Kendall for a fun Jeopardy trivia. Show off your STEM trivia knowledge, from Science to Math and everything in between!

Spelling Bee Contest with Ms Lina

Ages 8-10. The Children's Library invites 3-5 grade students and their families to participate in our Geography-themed Spelling Bee contest on Friday, Oct 30, 3:30pm. Prizes will be awarded for 1st and 2nd place winners! Call the Library at 860-695-6330 for more information and request your Spelling Bee packet through the library's Grab Bag Service.



Super Saturdays

Families Learn Together with The Children's Museum

All ages. Saturday, Oct 10, 17, & 24, 1:00 - 3:00pm. We invite your whole family to attend a virtual program with The Children's Museum! A different activity will happen EVERY 20 MINUTES including STEM experiments, LIVE animal visits, special guest readings by HPL librarians, and more! Please register for each date separately, but feel free to attend all 3. Each family who registers will receive 3 children's books and a Science Kit through the library's contact free pick up service. Registration and supplies are limited, and will be on a first come basis.

