Dial- a- Story
Call 860-695-6288 and chose from 4 options each week!
New stories/songs go live each Tuesday between 3:00-5:00 pm.

English Stories - Press 1
Spanish Stories - Press 2
Urdu/Hindi Stories - Press 3
English songs, rhymes, and fingerplays - Press 4

Zoom Programs
Join your library friends for fun programs online! 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.

Storytime Tuesdays with Ms. Rubina
Ages 0-5
(Tuesdays) Sept. 1, 15, & 22: 11am
Join us to enjoy the best in Picture Books, songs & rhymes.

Ms. Rubina's Tell-a-Tale Adventures
Ages 6-12
(Wednesdays) Sept. 2, 9, 16, 23, & 30: 1pm
Discover the hidden story teller within as you learn about the important elements that make up a story.

Songs and Stories with Ms. Katryna
Ages 0-5
(Thursdays) Sept. 3, 10, 17, & 24: 3:30pm
Families can join for a story time as well as songs with Ms. Katryna and her Ukulele!

Facebook Programs @HartfordPublicLibrary
Every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at 1pm join a HPL Youth Librarian on Facebook for a special video program. These programs will be posted on Instagram @hplct and YouTube channel @HPLCT within 24 hours.

Tuesdays & Thursdays
- Storytime Videos

Wednesdays
- STEAM Videos
Zoom Programs (cont.)

Banned Books with Boomer
Ages 6-12
(Friday) Sept. 4: 2pm
Join Ms. Vickie and her furry friend Boomer from the Barbour Branch to celebrate banned book with a Shel Silverstein themed program!

Art Exploration with Ms. Rubina
Ages 6-12
(Friday) Sept. 4, 11, 18, & 25: 3:30pm
Pull out your crayons and paper to experiment as we explore different art movements.

Camp Field Branch Virtual Afterschool with Ms. Katherine
All ages
(Tuesdays) Sept. 8, 15, 22, & 29: 3-5pm
The library is closed but we are still here to help you. Join us on Zoom for homework help, virtual book browsing, and check-outs.

Booz Buzz Party with Ms. Katherine, Ms. Pat, and Mr. Bear
Ages 6-12
(Wednesday) Sept. 9: 3:30pm
We are having a virtual party to celebrate Back to School! Join us for stories, iSpy in the Camp Field Branch Library, and a book treasure hunt! Guess the books with a golden ticket and win a prize!

Talk STEM with Kendall and Ms. Lina
Ages 6-12
(Wednesdays) Sept. 9 & 30: 4pm
Join Kendall via Zoom for a fun STEM adventure featuring amazing facts in the field of Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math.

Read, Sing, Play Banned Books Storytime with Boomer
Ages 0-6
(Friday) Sept. 10: 11am
Join Ms. Vickie and her furry friend Boomer from the Barbour Branch to celebrate a banned book with stories, songs, and movement.

Outdoor Explore with Ms. Katherine
All ages
(Thursdays) Sept. 10 & 24: 2pm
Join Ms. Katherine as she explores a surprise location in Hartford. Can you guess where she is?

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### Zoom Programs (cont.)

**Once Upon a Time with Ms. Lina**  
*Ages 6-12*  
**(Thursdays)** Sept. 10, 17, & 24: 4pm  
Listen to traditional fairy and folktales from around the world.

**Bilingual Storytime and Sing-a-long with Ms. Katherine**  
*Ages 0-5 & 6-12*  
**(Fridays)** Sept. 11 & 18: 10pm  
Join M. Katherine for stories and songs in English and Spanish.

**Read, Sing, Play Storytime with Ms. Lina**  
*Ages 0-5 with parents/caregivers*  
**(Fridays)** Sept. 14, 21, 28: 11am  
Join us for stories, activities, and music movement.

**Mr. Bear's Virtual Picnic Party**  
*Ages 0-5 & 6-12*  
**(Wednesday)** Sept 16: 3:30pm  
Mr. Bear has been taking care of all the toys who live at the Camp Field Branch since the library closed. Join Mr. Bear for a picnic party with stories, songs, and games. Bring your favorite toy to make new friends.

### School Choice Information Sessions with Ms. Ranie and Ms. Geetha**  
*All ages*  
**(Wednesday)** Sept. 16: 4:30-5:30pm  
**(Tuesday)** Sept. 29: 4:30-5:30pm  
Families join us for a virtual School School Choice Information Session. We will raffle Backpacks with school supplies and Family Pizza Dinner Certificates! Register online or call 860-306-9757 or 860-969-9148.

**Read, Sing Play Storytime with Ms. Lina**  
*Ages 0-5 with parents/caregivers*  
**(Fridays)** Sept. 18 & 25: 11am  
Join us for stories, activities, and music movement.

**Banned Books with Boomer: Captain Underpants**  
*Ages 6-12*  
**(Friday)** Sept. 18: 2pm  
Join Ms. Vickie from the Barbour Branch to celebrate a banned book with fun activities about Dav Pilkey's Captain Underpants.

**Camp Field Branch Virtual STEM Expo**  
*All ages*  
**(Wednesday)** Sept. 23: 3:30pm  
Have you been watching our STEM videos?! Join Ms. Katherine and friends for fun STEM tools that you can get from the library to play with at home!
Zoom Programs (cont.)

**Camp Field Branch Banned Books Virtual Tea Party with Ms. Katherine & Mr. Bear**
*Ages 0-5 & 6-12*

**(Wednesday)** Sept. 30: 3:30pm
Join us for a cozy afternoon, sipping pretend tea and reading our favorite banned books together.

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**Virtual Teen Programs**

Contact your local librarian to join our teen only virtual platforms.
(Ages 13-19)

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**Homework Help with Kendall**
*Grades K-8*

**(Wednesday)** Sept. 23: 3:30-4:30pm
Get all the homework support you need with Kendall.

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**Stretchy September Slime**
*Ages 6-12*

**(Friday)** Sept. 25: 2pm
Slime!!!! The library may be closed but we can still make slime together. Celebrate the end of September with Miss Vickie and make slime! Pick up supplies at the downtown library children’s room by calling 860-695-6330.

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**Super Bookstronauts! Book Club for Tweens with Ms. Lina**
*Ages 8-12*

**(Monday)** Sept. 28: 4:30pm

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**Banned Book Storytime with Ms. Rubina**
*Ages 0-5*

**(Tuesday)** Sept. 29: 11am
Come experience some of the Picture Books that have been on the Banned Books List and find out reasons why some Books are targeted to be banned.

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