

Give Thanks

We have a lot to be thankful for... starting with you!

We have great reads, fun programs and big smiles to brighten your day.



Holiday Hours

In observance of the Thanksgiving holiday, the library will close early at 6 pm on Wednesday, November 24. The library will be closed all day on November 25 and 26.



Staff Picks

We have a fun new shelf of staff picks at the front of the library. Discover your "book twin" and enjoy regular recommendations.



Esports Academy Open House

Nov. 6, 10:30 am-4 pm
Join us for tours, Smash Bros. competition, live podcast, workshops and more!

KIDS

Programs just for your little ones. See all of our programs on our [online calendar](#).

Morning Children's Storytime

Tuesdays & Wednesdays
November 2, 3, 9, 10
10:30-11 am
Join us November 2, 3, 9, and 10 for storytime as we wrap up our Fall session. Holiday activities are ahead in December, then a Choose-Your-Own-Storytime session in January!

Afternoon Children's Storytime

Thursday, November 4
1:30-2 pm
Join us in the back of the Children's Department for books, songs, and a craft! This will be the last Fall series session. No registration needed.

Weekend Children's Storytime

Saturday, November 13
2:30-3 pm
Join us in the back of the Children's Department for books, songs, and a craft! This will be the last Fall series session. No registration needed.

Read to a Furry Friend

Saturday, November 6, 20
2:30-3:30 pm
Practice your skills and gain confidence by reading to local therapy dogs. They are patient listeners!

Art Cart: Veterans Day Cards

Thursday, November 11
10 am-9 pm
Each year on Veterans Day we provide all the supplies needed to make a red, white, and blue thank you card. The library works with Operation Gratitude to have the cards distributed in care packages to soldiers stationed around the world.



Dino Bo: Dinosaurs!

Saturday
November 20
1-2 pm
This introductory program provides children with an opportunity to interact with REAL dinosaur bones! Dino Bo will teach kids about some of the most well-known dinosaurs: T-rex, Triceratops, Raptors, and more. After the presentation, there is an opportunity to touch and explore REAL dinosaur fossils!

Dino Bo: Carnivore vs. Herbivore

Saturday
November 20
3-4 pm
In this interactive program, Dino Bo teaches children how carnivores hunted and how herbivores kept from becoming a meal. Utilizing crowd participation and fun props, various scenarios found in the fossil record are acted out. Kids enjoy learning how their favorite dinosaurs defended themselves from hungry carnivores! After the presentation, children are invited to examine real dinosaur fossils from several of the dinosaurs discussed.



Dino Days: Dinovember Stories, Crafts, and Free Play

Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday
November 22, 23, 24
10:30-11 am
Celebrate Dinovember with a special dinosaur storytime, Model Magic dino crafts, and freeplay at our dino stations.

TEENS

Programs just for grades 6-12. See all of our programs on our [online calendar](#).

Anime Club

Tuesday, November 2 and 16
5:30-7 pm
CALLING ALL TEEN ANIME FANS! Do you like anime? Do you like manga? Do you like a variety of snacks from all over the world? Would you like to be a part of a group who feels the same way as you? Then come attend the Grapevine Public Library's Anime Club!

Volunteers!

Various dates and times
We need teens (ages 13-18) for our new and improved Volunteer programs. There are many different ways to volunteer: Summer Reader Leaders, Puppeteens, Neatniks, Program Peeps, Booktokkers, Teen Think Tank or Homework Helpers. If you are interested, click [here](#) to find an application for the program.

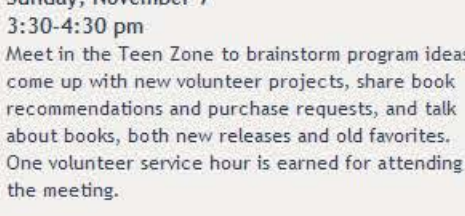


After-School Hangout

Thursdays, November 4 and 11
4:30-6 pm
Join us in the Teen Zone for fun activities!
11/4: Jackbox Games. Bring your phone and a smart aleck sense of humor for a battle of wits!
11/11: CD Scratch Art. Let's turn those old CDs into beautiful, recycled works of art!

Teen Think Tank

Sunday, November 7
3:30-4:30 pm
Meet in the Teen Zone to brainstorm program ideas, come up with new volunteer projects, share book recommendations and purchase requests, and talk about books, both new releases and old favorites. One volunteer service hour is earned for attending the meeting.



ADULTS

Looking for something to do? See all of our programs on our [online calendar](#).

Big Library Read

November 1-15
Join readers around the globe as they read the thriller *Five Total Strangers* and participate in online discussion. The book will be available to everyone via Overdrive during November 1-15 and you can find the discussion [here](#).

Sound of Music Sing Along

Thursday, November 4
10:30-1 pm
Every year before Thanksgiving we show this classic movie in the Library Program Room-- subtitled for our singalong. Singers and non-singers are all welcome. Popcorn will be provided. No registration needed.

Library Cafe

Thursdays, November 4, 11, and 18
10:15-11:45 am
All adults are invited to join us on Thursdays for mindful coloring, engaging puzzles, conversation, coffee and snacks! No registration needed.

Name Droppers Genealogy Group

Monday, November 8
10:30 am-12 pm
Nancy Maxwell will present a talk titled, *Little Known Facts about the Census and How to Use Them*.

Entwined Minds Book Club

Monday, November 8
1-3 pm
Come discuss *Dear Edward* by Anne Napolitano in the Library Board room. Selected by Jenna Bush Hager as her January 2020 Jenna's Book Club pick, *Dear Edward* chronicles the journey of twelve-year-old Edward Adler as he struggles to continue on after surviving a plane crash that claimed the lives of his family.

Board Game Night

Monday, November 8
6:30 pm
Join us as we celebrate International Games Week with a Board Game Night. We will be sharing some new games the library will have available to check out. In addition, we will be playing multiplayer card games, party games and solo games.

Express Yourself Writers Club

Monday, November 8
7-8:30 pm
Have you recently taken up writing as a hobby or have you been writing for years? Enjoy journaling? Like writing poetry or short stories? Working on a novel, play or screenplay? Would you like a place to share what you've written or are currently writing? Let's meet to share and discuss what's on your paper and on your mind.

Butterfly Garden: Build it and They Will Come

November 9, 7-8 pm
Certified master gardener, Mary Lou Brieger, will be sharing her extensive knowledge about cultivating a beautiful and beneficial butterfly garden. Come to learn more great tips to make your own garden grow.



ESPORTS

Looking for something to do? See all of our programs on our [online calendar](#).

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UPCOMING PROGRAMS

NOVEMBER

- ...> MINECRAFT MONDAYS
Monday, Nov. 8 - 5:30 to 7:30 PM
- ...> TEAMWORK WITH OVERCOOKED
Saturday, Nov. 13, 20, and 27 - 2 to 5 PM
- ...> MONTH OF MELEE
Sunday, Nov. 14, 21, and 28
- ...> ADULT FREE PLAY
Sunday, Nov. 14, 21, and 28

DECEMBER

- ...> COMMUNICATION: OPERATION TANGO
Saturday, Dec. 4 and 11 - 2 to 4 PM
- ...> MINECRAFT MONDAY
Monday, Dec. 6 - 5:30 to 7:30 PM
- ...> ADULT FREE PLAY
Tuesday, Dec. 7 - 6 to 8 PM
Saturday, Dec. 12 and 19 - 2:30 to 5:30 PM
Tuesday, Dec. 21 - 6 to 8 PM

FALL PHOTO ALBUM



Esports Academy testing



Bookmobile Visits



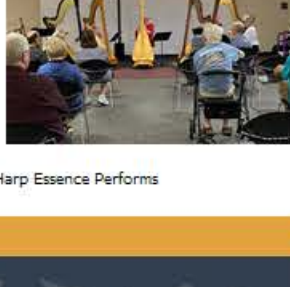
Snake Storytime



Visiting Housing Authority Residents



STEM play



Harp Essence Performs