

RECURRING PROGRAMS AT MAIN

Homeschool Explorers

Wednesdays, Mar. 4 & Apr. 1 • 11 a.m. - noon
Ages 5-8 with family • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Have fun learning about new STEM topics each month with other homeschooling families! Mar. 4: Animal Adaptions; Apr. 1: Earth Day.

Homeschool STEM Lab

Wednesdays, Mar. 4 & Apr. 1 • 11 a.m. - noon
Ages 9-14 • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Join other homeschoolers as we explore unique STEM topics each month! Mar. 4: Kitchen Science; Apr. 1: Earth Day Edition.

Make & Do Thursday

Thursdays, Mar. 5 - Apr. 30 (except Mar. 26) • 4-5 p.m.
Grades K-5 with family • Drop-in

Drop in to use our supplies in this informal crafting time. We'll provide the supplies; you bring your imagination! Supplies and available projects may change from week to week.

DIY Crafts

Fridays, Mar. 13 & 20 and Apr. 3 & 10 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Grades 3-6 • Drop-off • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Why buy it when you can make it? Mar. 13: Baby Yoda Plushies; Mar. 20: Llama Headbands; Apr. 3: Bubble Tea Soap Dispensers; Apr. 10: Minecraft Wall Art.

Brick Builders

Saturdays, Mar. 14 & Apr. 11 • 10:30-11:30 a.m.
Ages 3-11 with adult • Drop-in

Make new friends while using your imagination! Kids 3-5 can create with DUPLO bricks and kids ages 4-11 can create with LEGOs.

Sensory Playgroup

Saturdays, Mar. 14 & Apr. 11 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.
Ages 3-8 with family • Drop-in

An inclusive playgroup for children with sensory integration challenges. This program is for neurodivergent children, their families, and their neurotypical friends. Join us for sensory toys, socialization, and a safe place to play.

Sunday Family Matinee

Sundays, Mar. 15 & Apr. 19 • 2-4 p.m.

All ages; under 10 must be accompanied by an adult

Relax in our posh auditorium to watch popular family movies on the big screen for free! Mar. 15: Abominable; Apr. 19: Frozen 2.

PARENT EDUCATION AT MAIN

Growth Mindset: A Framework for Optimal Child Development with Guest Speaker Megan Barella

Monday, Mar. 2 • 6-7:30 p.m.

Adults only

Bring the growth mindset research alive in your home and classroom to transform developmental challenges, optimize children's brains for life-long learning, and help children develop a trust in themselves and you!

Your Child is a Music-maker! How We are Built to Enjoy, Learn & Make Music with Guest Speaker Kayla Hughes

Monday, Apr. 6 • 6-7 p.m.

Adults only

Many people equate being "musical" with being "talented." Did you know that all children can learn to dance and sing as naturally as they learn to walk and talk? Learn more about how we're all musical!

Simplicity Parenting with Dr. Kathy Masarie

Monday, May 4 • 6-8 p.m.

Adults only

Counter our "too much, too fast, too soon" culture with compassion, creativity, and calm! Portland pediatrician Dr. Kathy Masarie will teach you how to maximize family connection by minimizing outside influence - from our toxic culture, the media, and the adult world.

KEY

With adult: adult must attend with child

With family: older/younger siblings may also attend but program supplies are for stated grade/age range

Drop-in: come any time during the stated time range

Drop-off: children are dropped off for this program

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BEAVERTON CITY LIBRARY MAIN

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS

MARCH & APRIL

2020



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503-350-3600 • www.BeavertonLibrary.org/Kids

The library will be closed on Wednesday, Mar. 11
for staff training.



 **Need Assistance?**
503-526-2497 • Use 7-1-1 for relay
www.BeavertonOregon.gov/ADA



PROGRAM GUIDELINES

REGISTRATION

To register, call the Children's Desk at 503-350-3600 or register online at www.BeavertonLibrary.org/Register. Registration begins one month before the program.

AGES & STAGES

Our programs are designed for specific ages and stages; please note the age and grade levels listed for each program.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS AT MAIN

Dr. Seuss Birthday Celebration

Sunday, Mar. 1 • 12:30-1:30 p.m.

Ages 1-6 with family • Drop-in

Hooray! Let's celebrate Dr. Seuss's birthday!

OBOB Book Club

Wednesday, Mar. 4 • 4-5 p.m.

Grades 3-5 • Drop-off • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Ready to end a great year of Oregon Battle of the Books? Join us for one final practice battle and celebration of the end of OBOB season!

Sign Language Storytime

Thursday, Mar. 12 • 12:15-1 p.m.

Ages 3 & under with adult • Drop-in

Join us to learn the basics of signing with your baby or toddler through songs and stories. The last 15 minutes will be a chance for parents to practice signs and for children to play.

Discovery Vet Clinic

Sunday, Mar. 15 - Saturday, Mar. 28 • During library hours

Ages 3-8 with family • Drop-in

Drop by the library to discover a veterinary clinic that's just the right size for kids to play with!

World Languages Storytime Week

Monday, Mar. 16 - Friday, Mar. 20 • 10:15-10:45 a.m.

Ages 3-6 with family

Join us each day for a storytime in a different language!

Shrinky Dinks Charms

Monday, Mar. 16 • 4-5 p.m.

Grades K-5 with family • Drop-in

Create your own lucky charms using Shrinky Dinks.

St. Patrick's Day Crafts

Tuesday, Mar. 17 • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

All ages • Drop-in

Make crafts to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

BCL Baby Shower

Friday, Mar. 20 • 10:15-11:15 a.m.

Ages 1 & under with family • Drop-in

We would like to welcome your new baby to the library! We will have a playtime, tips for parents, and a free gift for babies under one.

SPRING BREAK: FROM AARDVARK TO ZEBRA | Mar. 20-29 | See insert

Baby & Me Matinee

Wednesday, Mar. 25 • 10:15 a.m. - noon

Adults with children under 2 • Drop-in

Relax and enjoy a new-release movie and bring baby along. If your baby makes noise, it's okay!

Peep Houses

Monday, Mar. 30 • 4-5 p.m.

Grades K-5 with adult • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Challenge yourself to make a sweet home for your Peep!

Ballet with International Performing Arts

Sunday, Apr. 5 • 12:45-2 p.m.

Grades K-5 with family

Enjoy the magic of dance with the International Performing Arts Rising Stars Dance Team! The team will share ballet stories, perform several classical ballet and contemporary dances, and teach audience members basic ballet steps.

Messy Art

Monday, Apr. 6 • 4-5 p.m.

Ages 2-8 with family • Drop-in

Make art while making a mess! This month, we're doing process painting using items from nature.

Baby Bunnies Dance Party

Tuesday, Apr. 7 • 11-11:45 a.m.

Ages 1-6 with family • Drop-in

Hop into spring with a dance party and a craft!

Meet Our Bots

Wednesday, Apr. 15 • 4-5 p.m.

Grades K-5 with family • Drop-in

Come test out the library's robots and some other awesome STEM toys!

A Gardening Afternoon

Saturday, Apr. 18 • 3-4 p.m.

Grades K-3 with family • Drop-in

Get your hands dirty while learning about plants and soil through interactive activities.

Family STEM Time

Tuesday, Apr. 21 • 4-5 p.m.

All ages • Drop-in

Explore the library's STEM toys and games with your family.

Recycled Crafts

Wednesday, Apr. 22 • 4-5 p.m.

Grades K-5 with family • Drop-in

Make fabulous creations while reusing household materials.

Who Was Party

Friday, Apr. 24 • 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Grades 3-5 with adult • Drop-in

Do you like the *Who Was* book series? Join us for crafts and activities featuring historical figures from the books!

Día de los niños / Children's Day

Saturday, Apr. 25 • 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Para niños de 2 a 8 años con sus familias / Ages 2-8 with family Drop-in

¡Acompáñanos a celebrar los niños, las familias, y la lectura con manualidades y lotería bilingüe (en español e inglés)! Grupo musical Trio los boricuas tocara a las 2 p.m. / Join us in celebrating children, families, and reading with crafts and bilingual bingo (in Spanish and English). Musical group, Trio los boricuas, will perform at 2 p.m.

Ready, Set, Kindergarten: Ready to Learn

Monday, Apr. 27, 11:15 a.m. - 12:15 p.m. & Tuesday, Apr. 28, 5-6 p.m.

Ages 4-5 with adult • REGISTRATION REQUIRED

A workshop for children entering Kindergarten and their adult. We will show you how to get your child ready for Kindergarten with music, stories, art, and play! First in a 6-part series; visit www.BeavertonLibrary.org/RSK for more information.