

Joseph T. Simpson Public Library
CHILDREN'S CORNER
December, 2017

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 1

Story Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2

Block Party: 10:30 - 11:30 am

Registration: Required no later than Wednesday,
November 29.

Grinch-mas Day Special Story Time: 1:00 - 2:00 pm
Topic: Celebrate National Grinch Day with a story and
activities, promoting charity and good deeds.

Registration: Required no later than Wednesday,
November 29.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 4

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

Story Time: 1:30 - 2:15 pm

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

Family Story Time: 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Topic: National Socks Day! Wear your favorite socks!

Registration: Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 1.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5

Kindergarten Readiness Class: 1:00 - 2:15 pm

First Tuesday Afternoon Session

Topic: Patterns

Registration: One-time registration required for
September through May classes.

Kindergarten Readiness Class: 6:00 - 7:15 pm

First Tuesday Evening Session

Topic: Patterns

Registration: One-time registration required for
September through May classes.

TWEEN Scene: 6:30 - 7:30 pm

(meets in the Tutor Rooms on Level 2)

Topic: Tabletop Games

Registration: Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 1.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6

Story Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am

Crazy 8s Math Club K-2: 3:00 - 4:00 pm

Registration: One-time registration is required for all 8
sessions.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6 (continued)

Crazy 8s Math Club 3rd - 5th: 4:15 - 5:15 pm

Registration: One-time registration is required for all 8
sessions.

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 7

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

Kindergarten Readiness Class: 1:00 - 2:15 pm

First Thursday Afternoon Session

Topic: Patterns

Registration: One-time registration required for
September through May classes.

Kindergarten Readiness Class: 6:00 - 7:15 pm

First Thursday Evening Session

Topic: Patterns

Registration: One-time registration required for
September through May classes.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8

Story Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9

Kindergarten Club, 10:15 - 11:15 am

Topic: December Holidays

Registration: Required no later than Wednesday,
DECEMBER 6.

First Grade Club, 11:30 - 12:30 pm

Topic: Holidays and Traditions

Registration: Required no later than Wednesday,
DECEMBER 6.

Gingerbread House Decorating, 1:30 - 3:00 pm

Registration: REQUIRED no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 1.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

Story Time: 1:30 - 2:15 pm

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

MONDAY, DECEMBER 11 (continued)

Family Story Time: 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Topic: Celebrations Around the World

Registration: **Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 8.**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12

No children's programs

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 13

Story Time: 10:30-11:15 am

Homeschool Book Discussion K-2
1:00 - 2:00 pm

Book: Danny and the Dinosaur by Syd Hoff
Diplodocus by Thomas George

Registration: **Required no later than Saturday,
DECEMBER 9.**

Homeschool Book Discussion Grades 3-5
2:15 - 3:15 pm

Books: The Phantom Tollbooth by Norton Juster
Writing Poems by Benjamin Proudfit

Registration: **Required no later than Saturday,
DECEMBER 9.**

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm
Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

American Girls, 6:30 - 7:30 pm
K-2 and 3-5

Topic: Kirsten Larson, 1854

Registration: **Required no later than Monday,
DECEMBER 11.**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15

Story Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16

Block Party: 10:30 - 11:30 am

Registration: **Required no later than Wednesday,
DECEMBER 13.**

MONDAY, DECEMBER 18

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

Story Time: 1:30 - 2:15 pm

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

Family Story Time: 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Topic: Family Holiday Party

Registration: **Required no later than Thursday,
DECEMBER 14.**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19

STEM Club, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 1-2, Room A

Topic: Gummy Bear Challenge

Registration: **Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 15.**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19 (continued)

STEM Club, 6:00 - 7:00 pm

Grades 3-5, Room B

Topic: Electromagnetic Exploration Part 2

Registration: **Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 15.**

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20

Story Time: 10:30-11:15 am

Rhyme Time: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

Toddler Time: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21

Rhyme Time: 10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

Toddler Time: 11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22

Story Time: 10:30 - 11:15 am

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23

THERE ARE NO CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS.

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 24 - MONDAY, JANUARY 1

THERE ARE NO CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS, EXCEPT FOR

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 26

LEGO Club, 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Grades K-5, Room A

Project: Build Your Own TOY.

Legos are provided.

Registration: **Required no later than Friday,
DECEMBER 22.**

Ongoing Children's Programs

Registration is necessary for **most** of these programs.

You are always welcome to join us for the programs that require no registration or sign-up!

RHYME TIME:

Age: Birth through 18 months
Length: 20 minutes Registration Required: no
Sing, clap and bounce along to interactive rhymes, stories and songs.

MONDAYS/THURSDAYS:

10:05 - 10:25 am, 10:35 - 10:55 am

MONDAYS/WEDNESDAYS: 5:15 - 5:35 pm

TODDLER TIME:

Age: 18 months through 36 months
Length: 20 minutes Registration Required: no
Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and fun!

MONDAYS/THURSDAYS:

11:10 - 11:30 am, 11:40 - 12:00 pm

MONDAYS/WEDNESDAYS: 5:45 - 6:05 pm

STORY TIME:

Age: 3 - 6 years
Length: 45 minutes Registration Required: no
Join us for stories, songs, finger plays, and rhymes.

MONDAY: 1:30 - 2:15 pm

WEDNESDAY: 10:30 - 11:15 am

FRIDAY: 10:30 - 11:15 am

FAMILY STORY TIME:

Age: All ages
Length: 1 hour - **MONDAYS:** 6:30 - 7:30 pm
Registration Required: yes, on or before preceding Friday
Bring your whole family for books, songs, rhymes, and crafts.

BLOCK PARTY

Age: All ages
Length: 1 hour
Registration: Required no later than three days prior
1ST and 3RD Saturdays 10:30 - 11:30 am

KINDERGARTEN READINESS CLASS:

Age: Children who are eligible to enter Kindergarten in the fall of 2018
Length: 1 hour
Registration Required: yes, a one-time registration
Each session consists of a series of 9 classes designed to help children acquire and sharpen the readiness skills to succeed in Kindergarten.

Four Sessions: 1ST Tuesday or 1ST Thursday afternoon of each month September - May 1:00 - 2:15 pm

1ST Tuesday or 1ST Thursday evening of each month September - May 6:00 - 7:15 pm

LEGO CLUB:

Age: K - 5th Grade
Length: 1 hour
Registration: Required no later than three days prior
4th Tuesday of each month 6:30 - 7:30 pm

KINDERGARTEN CLUB:

Age: Enrolled Kindergarten students
Length: 1 hour
Registration: Required no later than three days prior
Join us for stories, songs, and activities based on school curriculum themes.

2nd Saturday of each month September - May

10:15 - 11:15 am

FIRST GRADE CLUB:

Age: Enrolled First Grade students
Length: 1 hour
Registration: Required no later than three days prior
Join us for stories, songs, and activities based on school curriculum themes.

2nd Saturday of each month September - May

11:30 - 12:30 pm

STEM CLUB:

Age: 1ST - 2nd Grades and 3RD - 5TH Grades (two sessions)
Length: 1 hour each month

Registration: Required no later than three days prior
Imagine, design, explore, construct and discover using
Science, Technology, Engineering and/or Math!

3RD Tuesday of each month September - May

6:00 - 7:00 pm

AMERICAN GIRLS CLUB:

Age: K - 2ND Grades and 3RD - 5TH Grades
Length: 1 hour each month
Registration: Required no later than three days prior
Join us for discussion and activities focusing on a girl from the American Girls book series and her historical time period.

2ND Thursday of each month September - May

6:30 - 7:30 pm

HOMESCHOOL BOOK DISCUSSION CLUBS:

Join us to discuss the 'book of the month' and to make a craft.

Length: 1 hour each month

Registration: Required no later than three days prior

Two Sessions:

Age: K - 2nd grade homeschool students meet the

2nd Wednesday of each month September - May

1:00 - 2:00 pm

Age: 3rd - 5th grade homeschool students meet the

4th Wednesday of each month September - May

1:00 - 2:00 pm

TWEEN Scene:

Age: 4th - 5th grades

Length: 1 hour, **6:30 - 7:30 pm**

Registration: Required no later than three days prior

1st Tuesday of each month September - May