



Youth Programs & Services

December 2022

Do Your Homework @ the Library!

Got Homework?

Students in K-8 can get FREE personalized assistance throughout the school year. Any questions? Visit mysdpl.org/DYHL.

Hours:

Monday – Thursday: 3:00 – 6:00 p.m. (Closed from Dec. 19 to Jan. 2 for school break)

Everything you need to help you succeed!

For more information about all of our programs and services, please visit: www.SanCarlosFriendsoftheLibrary.org



Library Hours

Monday......11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. Tuesday.....11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. Wednesday...9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Thursday......9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Friday......9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. Saturday......9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m.

All City libraries will be closed on the following day: Dec. 24, 2022

Dec. 26, 2022 Dec. 31, 2022





San Carlos Branch Library



Events & Activities

• Kids' Craft Time

2nd & 4th Mondays • 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Drop in and create a fun craft anytime between 3:30 and 4:30 p.m. A different craft is offered each time. Ages 3–11.

• San Carlos Chess

2nd & 4th Tuesdays • 5–7 p.m. (*no class Dec.* 27) Learn the ancient game of kings or hone your skills. All levels welcome. Ages 18 and under.

Children's Yoga + Stories

Wednesdays • 2:30–3:15 p.m. (*no class Dec.* 21 or 28) Join us for story-inspired stretches, music, and props! Please bring a mat or towel. Ages 3–8.

• Storytime at the Community Garden 2nd Saturday • 10:00–10:30 a.m.

Join us for an outdoor storytime! Youth services librarian Ms. Erin brings the fun of the library to the San Carlos Community Garden (6460 Boulder Lake Avenue) with books, songs & more. Ages 7 & under.

• Discover & Go

Ongoing Program

Visit San Diego attractions for FREE! The Library's *Discover & Go* program offers family day passes to several of our city's biggest attractions, including the New Children's Museum, the Museum of Us, the San Diego Museum of Art, the San Diego Ballet, Skateworld, Eco Boat Rentals, and more. Reserve your tickets online at mysdpl.org/discoversd.

Inspire Literacy

• Holly Jolly Book Surprise Entire month of December

Unwrap a good read! Our library elves have wrapped up some great kids' books that are ready for you to borrow. You won't know what book you're getting until it's checked out. Open the surprise when you get home and enjoy! 1 surprise book per visit.

MatchBook

Personalized reading suggestions just for you!

Not sure what to read next? We can help. Get a list of reading recommendations prepared for you by a library staff member with knowledge in multiple subjects. All you have to do is complete and submit a reading profile online. All ages are welcome to participate. Please visit sandiego.gov/matchbook.

• 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten Ongoing Program

A literacy program for pre-readers. Reach milestones and earn rewards! Ages 0-5. Register at sandiego.gov/1000books.

All library services are FREE!

Online Programs

Space may be limited. To sign up, please go to sandiego.librarymarket.com. After you register, you will receive a Zoom link.

• Exploring the Science of Harry Potter Monday, December 5 • 5:00–6:30 p.m. (*Grades* 3–5) Topics include parseltongue, herbology, and more.

The Making of a Super Hero

Saturday, December 10 • 3–4:30 p.m. (*Grades 3–5*) Explore the hero's journey in literature and real life.

• Space Out

Tuesday, December 13 • 4:00–5:30 p.m. (*Grades 6–8*) Plan your mission to space! Investigate our own solar system, then move on to faraway galaxies.

• **Game Development and Design Tuesday, December 20 • 5–6:30 p.m.** (*Grades 6–8*) Learn how to build a professional 3D video game.

Preschool–Kindergarten Storytime

Tuesdays • 10:30–11:15 a.m. **Fridays** • 10:30–11:15 a.m. A virtual storytime with Mr. Luan. Ages 4–6.

Baby–Preschool Storytime

Wednesdays • 10:00–10:30 a.m. A virtual storytime for the youngest with Ms. Carrie.

• Preschool Storytime

2nd and 4th Thursdays • 10:30 – 11:00 a.m. A virtual storytime with Ms. Rebecca.

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