



Youth Programs & Services

Recurring Events 2024



San Carlos Branch Library

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.

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.

The San Carlos Branch Library will be closed on the following days:

January 1, 2024 January 15, 2024 February 19, 2024 April 1, 2024 May 27, 2024 June 19, 2024





Events & Activities

• San Carlos Chess

2nd & 4th Tuesdays • 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Learn how to play chess! Did you know that chess can improve logical thinking and math skills? This is a great class for beginners as well as students looking to hone their skills. All levels welcome. Ages 18 and under.

Children's Yoga + Stories

Wednesdays • 2:30-3:15 p.m.

Join us for story-inspired stretches, music, and child-friendly props! We conclude by using our body, brain, and breath to transition from silly to calm. Please bring a mat or towel. Ages 3-8.

• Toddler and Preschooler Storytime

Thursdays • 10:00-10:30 a.m.

Drop in for an interactive storytime that encourages a love of reading and builds essential early literacy skills! This program features books, songs, rhymes, and movement activities. Ages 5 and 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, the San Diego Archaeological Center, Skateworld, Eco Boat Rentals, and more. Reserve your tickets online at mysdpl.org/discoversd.



Inspire Literacy

• 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.

Homeschool Educational Support

For parents and caregivers who are homeschooling or who wish to supplement learning at school with opportunities at home, we have a curated list of free, well-established academic resources on a variety of subjects. To access, please visit sandiego.gov/public -library/homeschool-resource-center.

• 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.

All library services are FREE!

Online Programs

To get more information or sign up, please go to sandiego.librarymarket.com.

• Storytime with Ms. Carrie

Tuesdays • 10:00-10:30 a.m.

A virtual storytime for babies, toddlers, and preschoolers, presented by Ms. Carrie. Once you register for this storytime from the link above, you will receive a meeting ID and passcode, which is valid for future Tuesday morning storytimes.

• **Preschool-Kindergarten Storytime** Tuesdays • 10:30-11:15 a.m.

A virtual storytime that is fun, kinetic, and humorous. Mr. Luan will read books and then perform the stories. Includes songs and fingerplays. To register, email lpham@sandiego.gov. Ages 4–6.

• **Preschool-Kindergarten Drawing Class** Thursdays • 10:30-11:15 a.m.

Learn how to draw people, animals, cars, and more. We'll start with drawing basic shapes, then add various elements to create popular objects. All you need is crayons and standard white paper. To register, email Mr. Luan at lpham@sandiego.gov.

• **Preschool Storytime with Ms. Rebecca** 2nd and 4th Thursdays • 10:30-11:00 a.m.

A virtual storytime for toddlers and preschoolers, presented by Ms. Rebecca. After you register for this storytime from the link above, you'll receive a Zoom link the day before the program.