

NOVEMBER

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Registration
opens at 9am
for Nov. events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
2	3 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Drop-In Storytime 10:30	4 Drop-In Storytime 9:30	5	6 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Preschool Storytime 10:30 ®	7 Preschool Playtime 10:00	8
9	10 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Drop-In Storytime 10:30 Wings of Fire Adventure 3:00 ®	11 Drop-In Storytime 9:30	12 Mini Makers 10:00 ®	13 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Preschool Storytime 10:30 ®	14 Baby Obstacle Course 9:30-11:00	15 Baby Sign Language 10:45 ®
16	17 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Drop-In Storytime 10:30	18 Drop-In Storytime 9:30 Crafternoon 4:00 ®	19 Kids Book Club 4:30 ®	20 Toddler Storytime 9:30 ® Preschool Storytime 10:30 ® Cartooning 4:30 ®	21 Baby Storytime 10:00 Drop-In Craft 12:00-5:00	22 Drop-In Craft 9:30-4:00
23	24 Pajama Family Storytime 6:00	25	26 LEGO Club 11:00 Library closes at 5pm	27 CLOSED	28	29
30	® Registration is required for these programs and begins Sat., Nov. 1 at 9am. Ela cardholders have priority registration. Non-Ela cardholders may be placed on the waitlist and notified by email. An adult must remain in the building while their children aged 10 and under are attending a program. If your plans change and you cannot attend a registered program, please call us at 847-438-3840 so we can offer the spot to a child on the wait list.					

November Events for Children at the Ela Area Public Library

Toddler Storytime – Late Fall Class Session

There's no sitting still in this lively storytime! Enjoy 30 minutes of stories, songs, and rhymes all selected to engage your active toddler, followed by 15 minutes of play time. Register once to save your spot for all five weeks of this late fall session. No class the week of Thanksgiving. For ages 18-35 months with an adult. Registration is required.

Mondays, Nov 3, 10, 17, Dec. 1, 8 at 9:30am
Thursdays, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11 at 9:30am

Drop-In Storytimes

Stop by with your kiddo for a casual storytime experience. For all ages with an adult. No registration.

Mondays, Nov. 3, 10, 17, Dec. 1, 8 at 10:30am
Tuesdays, Nov. 4, 11, 18, Dec. 2, 9 at 9:30am

Preschool Storytime – Late Fall Class Session

Young children will explore the world through stories, songs, and crafts, specifically selected for their developmental stage. Register once to save your child's spot for all five weeks of this late fall session. No class the week of Thanksgiving. For ages 3-5 with an adult. Registration is required.

Thursdays, Nov. 6, 13, 20, Dec. 4, 11 at 10:30am

Preschool Playtime

Learn and practice through play! Preschoolers can build important early childhood skills during a joyful workshop designed just for them. For ages 3-5 with an adult. No registration.
Friday, November 7 at 10:00am

Wings of Fire Adventure

Take flight to a world ruled by dragons! Along with fellow fans of the *Wings of Fire* book series, enjoy dragon-themed activities, trivia, and crafts. For unaccompanied kids in grades 2-5. Registration is required.
Monday, November 10 at 3:00pm

Mini Makers

Preschoolers can practice art and fine motor skills in a crafting class made just for them! Dress for a mess as we create original yarn tree paintings. For ages 3-5 with an adult. Registration is required.
Wednesday, November 12 at 10:00am

Baby Obstacle Course

Calling on-the-go babies and toddlers! Whether your little one is crawling, walking, running, or something in between, stop in for a fun challenge that will help develop motor and sensory skills. For ages 6-24 months with an adult. No registration.
Friday, November 14 from 9:30-11:00am

Baby Sign Language

Join instructor Katy Roth as she teaches basic American Sign Language vocabulary to you and your little one. Learning ASL is a great way for babies to communicate their wants and needs with caregivers before developing the ability to speak. ASL also builds valuable skills that help with language and literacy abilities later in life. For parents/caregivers and their children ages 0-3. Registration is required.
Saturday, November 15 at 10:45am

Crafternoon

Enjoy an afternoon crafting with friends and make a one-of-a-kind project. We'll have everything you need to create a woodland creature portrait. For unaccompanied kids in grades K-5. Registration is required.
Tuesday, November 18 at 4:00pm

Kids Book Club

Full of new friendships and fun adventures, *Bodega Cats: Picture Purrfect* by Hilda Eunice Burgos introduces Miguel and his newly adopted cat Lolo as they explore Washington Heights in NYC. We'll discuss the book and make a super cat-tastic craft! Registrants can pick up their copy of the book at the Children's Desk starting Nov. 1. For unaccompanied kids in grades 3-5. Registration is required.
Wednesday, November 19 at 4:30pm



Cartooning with Mark Anderson: Turkey Toons & Funny Foods

A funny feast just in time for Thanksgiving! Kids will draw their favorite foods in hilarious situations! Turkey-zilla! Stuffed stuffing! And mashed potatoes...IN SPAAAAACE! Join Mark for a lively, interactive cartooning class. For unaccompanied kids in grades K-5. Registration is required.

Thursday, November 20 at 4:30pm

Baby Storytime

So much more than stories! Join us for lots of movement and smiles as we share songs and rhymes specifically for this age group. You'll go home with new tools to make your day easier and enrich your child's language and literacy skills. Stay after storytime to chat with other caregivers as your little ones play. For ages 0-18 months with an adult. No registration.
Friday, November 21 at 10:00am

Drop-In Craft

Stop by the Children's Department to design a teetering toadstool craft! For all ages with an adult. No registration.
Friday, November 21 from 12:00-5:00pm
Saturday, November 22 from 9:30-4:00pm

Pajama Family Storytime

Gather the whole family for fun and cozy stories, songs, and a collaborative craft. Pajamas are encouraged! For ages 2-6 with an adult. No registration.
Monday, November 24 at 6:00pm

LEGO Club

If you enjoy building with LEGO bricks, this program is for you! Create and construct using your own ideas or try one of our challenges. For unaccompanied kids in grades 1-5. No registration.
Wednesday, November 26 at 11:00am

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