FREE Pre-School Academy
at your Pinellas County Public Library!

Preschool through kindergarten-aged children need to learn basic concepts and build a strong foundation in letter knowledge and sound. The curriculum in “Miss Humblebee’s Academy” gradually becomes more challenging as the child advances. You can use this service in your public library, on your own computer at home, or on your mobile device – anywhere you go! Miss Humblebee’s Academy language and literature helps children develop skills required by the Head Start Child Development and Early Learning Framework.

Children will learn:

- Alphabet knowledge, sounds each letter represents and writing practice sheets
- Upper and lowercase letter recognition
- Rhyming
- Segmenting and putting sounds together to create words
- Parts of a book
- Comprehension
- Categorizing “like” words

In addition, your child and you will enjoy hours of educational and entertaining reading that spans many literature styles. You'll find traditional stories such as The Crow and the Pitcher and The Lion and the Mouse, as well as new stories and poems written exclusively for Miss Humblebee’s Academy, all richly illustrated.

According to Cheryl Morales, Director of the Pinellas Public Library Cooperative, “Miss Humblebee’s Academy is the first measurement tool for pre-school learners, and it’s fun for children, parents, and educators. We are very enthusiastic about the positive impact on the pre-school population, and encourage everyone to create a free account today.” Miss Humblebee’s Academy is supported by the Florida State Aid to Libraries Grant.

- Miss Humblebee’s Academy helps children ages 3 to 6 learn from beginning skill level through kindergarten proficiency with hundreds of lessons.
- The curriculum is delivered in a choice of two ways or a combination of both.
- A guided step-by-step approach to learning that progresses sequentially. As the child advances through the curriculum, lessons become more challenging.
- Parents and educators can choose the order of curriculum topics according to their own preference. This is a great tool to be used in a blended learning environment and a flipped classroom setting.
- The curriculum is interactive with full sound cues.
- All lessons are read aloud in audio files, driving engagement and active participation through the interactive curriculum.
- Children DO NOT need to know how to read to use Miss Humblebee’s Academy.
- Parents and educators receive weekly progress reports via email or can access them online anytime.

Get Started Today!

- Educators can go to one place to track classroom success. Principals can go to one place to track school success.
- The program is interactive, with full sound cues.
- Includes all major subjects: math, science and social studies, language and literacy, art and music.
- Learning concepts are based on Common Core State Standards, incorporating findings from field research and hands-on experience in international early childhood education.
- Children who complete the program will be kindergarten proficient.

Phyllis Gorsche, Director of the Dunedin Public Library

There are HUNDREDS of lessons for you and your child to explore, and there’s no better time than now!
Clearwater Public Library System

Main Library

SHINE One-on-One Counseling: Tuesdays, by appointment. Register on myclearwater.com/cpl.

Chess Club: Tuesday, 1:00 pm. Chess boards will be provided.

Sunsets on the Roof: Tuesdays, 5:30 pm.

Smart Travel Tips – How to Book Corporate Travel: Tuesday, Feb. 2, 6:30 pm.

SCORE Workshop – Creating your Web Presence: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 5:00 pm. Register online at https://pinellascounty.score.org/localworkshops.

Meet a Local Author: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 1:00 pm. David Melesky, In the Shadow of a Tree.

Experts-in-Residence Series:

Reverse Mortgages: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 5:30 pm. Register at myclearwater.com/cpl.

A Century of Service – Checking out the History of the Clearwater Library: Saturday, Feb. 20, 2:00 pm.

Effective Communication Strategies for Caregivers: Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6:00 pm.

Color My World-Adult Coloring: Wednesday, Feb. 24, 5:00 pm.

Beach Branch

Writer’s Support Group: Wed., Feb. 3, 1:00 pm.

Clearwater Beach Shell Crafter’s Club: Thursdays, Feb. 11, 25, 1:00 pm. To join, call (727) 447-5882.

Countryside Branch

Mind Stretching Mondays: Monday, Feb 1, 8, 2:30 pm.

Color My World, Adult Coloring: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 17, 10:30 am.

Afternoon Escape Film Series @ Countryside: Wednesdays, 2:00 pm. Weekly film series on travel, entertainment and history.

Cello Concert, with piano accompaniment: Sunday, Feb. 21, 2:00 pm. Virtuoso cellist and recording artist, Theresa Villani, will perform.

Adult Classes & Events

Dunedin Public Library

Casual Scrabble Club: Monday, Feb. 1, 6:00 pm.

Tuesdays at Two Film Program: Tuesdays, Feb. 16, 23, 2:00 pm. For more info, call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707 or check out the Library website, www.dunedingov.com/library.

Chess Club: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 23, 5:00-7:00 pm. Everyone welcome.

Children’s Writer’s Group: Third Wednesday, Feb. 17, 10:00 am.

S.H.I.N.E Medicare Counseling: Wednesdays, To set up an appt., call 298-3080, ext. 1707.

Great Decisions Discussion Group: Wednesdays, 1:30 pm. Registration is required.

Genealogy Assistance: Every Thursday, 1:00-3:00 pm.

Friends of the Library Annual Book Sale: Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Feb. 4, 5, 6, 7. Check the Library website or call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707 for the sale hours.

Coloring for Adults! Monday, Feb. 8, 6:00 pm. All supplies will be provided.

The American West Travelogue: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 2:00 pm.

Introduction to the Ukulele Beginner Workshop: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:30 pm. Presented by the Tampa Bay Ukulele Society.

For the Love of Music! Music Appreciation Group: Thursday, Feb. 11, 10:00 am.

Civics Series – Is it unconstitutional? The Case of the Scarlet Tag: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 7:00 pm.

Alzheimer Caregiver Training: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 10:00 am.

Reading Workshop: Saturday, Feb. 20, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Sign up at the Adult Information Desk.

Scrabble @ The Library: Sunday, Feb. 7, 12:00 pm.

Upload Your Brain: Saturday, Feb. 13, 2:00 pm. Topics will include navigating Facebook, Pinterest, Twitter, Snapchat and more.

East Branch

Chess Club for Adults: Wednesdays, 1:00 pm. Boards are provided.

A Stitch in Time: Fridays, 2:00 pm.

Difficult Conversations with Alzheimer’s Patients: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 11:00 am. Serena Duncan from the American Alzheimer’s Association.

Socrates Café: Saturday, Feb. 20, 2:00 pm. Andrew Dianiska moderates.

North Greenwood Branch

Thursday Afternoon @ the Movies: Thursday, Feb. 4, 2:00 pm. The Imitation Game starring Benedict Cumberbatch and Keira Knightly.

Florida’s First People: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 3:00 pm. Teens and youth also welcome.

Black History Month Special – Evening with the Authors: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 5:00 pm. An evening with prominent authors from the community. Barbara J. Sorey, Linda Mobley, Lorna Marie Moore, Swiyyah Muhammad Woodard and Veronica James.

Ask-a-Lawyer: Landlord/Tenant Issues: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:00 pm. Registration required. Register at the library or call BAVLP-NW (Bay Area Volunteer Lawyers Program-NW) at 490-4040.

Get a High Tech Career with SPC-Florida Trade: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2:00 pm. Let SPC-Florida Trade help you qualify for programs in high technology.

Chess Club for Adults: Wednesdays, 2:00 pm. Chess boards will be provided.

Steal Away – The Story of America’s Greatest Black Migration: Wednesday, Feb. 24, 5:00 pm.

Why Lincoln Matters: Thursday, Feb. 25, 3:00 pm. Bonnie E. Paull, author of Lincoln’s Springfield Neighborhood.
Irish Folk Concert: Sunday, Feb. 28, 3:00 pm. Get in the spirit for St. Patrick’s Day with native Irishman, Brendan Nolan.

East Lake Community Library

AARP Smart Driver Course: (Ages 55+) Saturday, Feb. 13, 10:00 am-4:00 pm. Register online, by phone or in person with payment made the day of the course - $15 for AARP members and $20 for non-members (check only).

Bridge Game: Monday, Feb. 1, 15, 29 and Tuesday, Feb. 16, 1:00-3:00 pm.

Cinema Café @ East Lake: Saturday, Feb. 20, 1:00-3:00 pm.

Concert @ the Library - Peter Fletcher, Classical Guitarist: Sunday, Feb. 14, 2:00-3:00 pm. Advance tickets are available at the library circulation desk for a donation of $12 for one concert ticket or $45 for a 2016 season ticket.

ELCL Author Showcase: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 6:30-7:45 pm. Mary Ellen Smith Hastings, author of *Happy as 2 Pigs in a Blanket: Lessons Learned from 50 Years of Marriage*. For more info on this author, go to https://www.facebook.com/ FollowYourHeartForLife.

Fiber Arts Group: Monday, Feb. 8, 22, 6:30 pm.

FTRI – Amplified Phones Free for Hearing Impaired FL Residents: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

Night Life @ the Library – the Chinese New Year and the Art of Feng Shui: (Adults Only) Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:30-7:45 pm. Pre-registration required, space is limited.

Palm Harbor Garden Club: Monday, Feb. 8, 9:30 am-12:00 pm.

SHINE Medicare Help: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 23, 10:30 am-1:30 pm. Registration required.

Town Hall Meetings: Wednesday, Feb. 24, 7:00-8:30 pm. Commissioner Dave Eggers is asking for input.

Writers’ Critique Group: Monday, Feb. 8, 22, 6:00-7:45 pm.

Gulf Beaches Public Library

International Film Movement: Tue. Feb. 2, 4:00 pm. *Secrets of War*.

Winter Film Series: Wednesdays, 2:30 pm.

Global Hits: Tuesday, Feb. 23, 4:00. These are foreign movies that were blockbusters in their countries.

Writer’s Group: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.

Investment Club: Thursdays, 2:30 pm.

Scrabble: Fridays, 1:00-4:00 pm. Learn some new two letter words.

Gulfport Public Library

Ukulele Group: Tuesdays, Feb. 2, 16, 2:00-4:00 pm. Everyone is welcome! Group meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays.

Lunch & Learn, Topic TBA: Thursday, Feb. 4, 12:00-1:00 pm. Call (727) 893-1073.

Healing Thoughts Book Club: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1:00-3:00 pm. Contact klane@untieyourwings.com.

Free Family Movie Day: Saturday, Feb. 20, two movies, 10:30 am and 1:30 pm. For titles, call (727) 893-1074.

Ukulele Instructional Workshop: Saturday, Feb. 27, 1:00-2:30 pm.

Open Mic: Monday, Feb. 29, 5:00-7:00 pm. Call (727) 893-1073.

Largo Public Library

Largo Turns a Page: The 2nd Annual Largo Turns a Page program will engage the community in a celebration of reading with a series of Florida author lectures called the Fabulous Florida Five.

Fabulous Florida Five – Fringe Florida with Lynn Waddell: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 6:00 pm. Pick up a free pass at the library to reserve your seat.

Canning Basics – Preserving Florida’s Harvest: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 6:00 pm. This free, informational class covers the basics of food preservation.

Author Deanna Bennett: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 6:00 pm. Join us for a special talk with Deanna Bennett, author of the *Anna* trilogy.

Winter Wonder Read: Ends Feb. 29. Visit Circulation Desk for more info.

Groundhog Day at the Movies: Tuesday, Feb. 2, 3:00 pm. Join us to watch this Groundhog Day classic.

Authors’ Club: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 6:00 pm. Group facilitated by author, Kirk Bailey.

Creative Coloring: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 6:30 pm. Materials provided.

Beginning Soap-Making: Monday, Feb. 8, 3:00 pm. Limited to 8 participants. Registration required.

Poets Live: Monday, Feb. 8, 6:30 pm.

Crafter Dark: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:00 pm. Registration is required.

Socrates Cafe: Thursday, Feb. 11, 1:00 pm.

GENEALOGY EVENTS

Pinellas Genealogy Society 2016 Seminar & Book Sale: Saturday, Feb. 13, 8:00 am-4:00 pm. A detailed schedule of events and registration form are found at http://tinyurl.com/pgx14cr. Questions can be addressed to pgsla@yahoo.com.

Rootsmagic: Tuesdays, 6:00 pm.

Ancestry.com: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 10:00 am.

Franco-American Discussion Group: Friday, Feb. 5, 10:00 am.

Family Tree Maker User Group: Saturday, Feb. 6, 10:00 am.

Swedish Genealogy Interest Group: Monday, Feb. 8, 2:00 pm.

Family Tree Maker 2012 Basics: Mondays, Feb. 8, 22, 29, 6:00 pm.

Italian Genealogy Interest Group: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 1:00 pm.

English and Welsh Records: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 10:00 am.

Irish Genealogy Interest Group: Thursday, Feb. 11, 1:00 pm.

England/Wales Interest Group: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 1:00 pm.
Adult Classes & Events

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History Geo: Thursday, Feb. 25, 1:00 pm.
Google Earth Tours: Friday, Feb. 26, 10:30 am.
Rootsmagic User Group: Saturday, Feb. 27, 10:00 am.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Writer’s Critique Group: Mondays, Feb. 1 6:00-8:00 pm. Registration required, email getpublishednow.biz@gmail.com to reserve a space (include CRITIQUE in the subject line).

SCORE — Free Small Business Counseling: Tuesdays, Feb. 2, 16, 10:00 am-12:00 pm and 1:00-3:00 pm. By appt. only, register at the reference desk or by phone.

Friends of the Library: Thursday, Feb. 4, 1:00 pm. General meeting.

Living to be 100: Thursday, Feb. 4, 6:30 pm. Topic: Nutrition.

Movies & Popcorn: Friday, Feb. 5, 1:00 pm.

Wii Gaming for Teens & Adults: Friday, Feb. 5, 5:00 pm. Fun Wii games after the library closes - Super Smash Bros, Mario Kart and snacks!

Oldsmar Centennial Celebration — Pinellas History: Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:30 pm. Guest speaker James A Schnur, Oldsmar Centennial Celebration — Automobile History: Thursday, Feb. 18, 6:30 pm. Guest speaker Lou Lawrence, retired auto executive.

Oldsmar Centennial Celebration — Florida Culture: Thursday, Feb. 25, 6:30 pm. Guest speaker Jeff Klinkenberg.

Fiber Arts Club: Saturday, Feb. 27, 1:00 pm.

Palm Harbor Library

No classes Monday, February 15, the library is CLOSED.

Tai Chi for Movement and Balance: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29. Wednesdays, Advanced Level: 1:00-2:00 pm.
Beginner-Intermediate Level: 2:00-3:00 pm. Registration required.

Master Gardener Plant Clinic: Wednesdays, 10:00 am-2:00 pm.

Master Gardener Series: Thursday, Feb. 11, 2:00 pm and 6:15 pm. Master Gardeners present “Repotting Orchids.” Admission free, space limited. Reserve a seat; call Pinellas County Extension at (727) 582-2603.

Socrates Café: Feb. 2, 6:00-7:45 pm and Feb. 18, 1:00-2:45 pm.

Genealogy Workshop for Beginners: Fridays, 1:30-4:00 pm. There is a $25.00 fee for materials and handouts. Registration is required online or at the Adult Services desk.

Medicare Assistance: Mondays, Feb. 8, 22, 1:00-5:00 pm. Schedule an appt.: 1-800-963-5337 or by stopping at the library’s Adult Services desk.

Color Me Happy! Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:00-7:45 pm.

Friday Movie Matinee: Friday, Feb. 12, 2:00-4:00 pm. Call 727-784-3332, ext. 3006 for movie title. Registration required.

Florida Fanfare Brass: Saturday, Feb. 13, 2:00-3:30 pm. “Love ‘n Dixie” will celebrate the eve of Valentine’s Day as well as the carnival season of Mardi Gras.

Flashers, Floaters, and Shadows in the Eye: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2:00-3:00 pm. Registration is required.

Suncoast Genealogy Society-Roots Magic General Meeting: Saturday, Feb. 20, 2:00-4:30 pm.
And the Winner Is: Friday, Feb. 26, 2:00-3:00 pm. Registration is required.

Suncoast Genealogy Society-Roots Magic User’s Group: Saturday, Feb. 27, 1:00-1:45 pm.

Genealogy Assistance: Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 1:00-4:00 pm.

Pinellas Park

Barbara S. Ponce Public Library

Trivia Night (Ages 18+) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 7:00 pm.

Afternoon Movies: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 2:00 pm.

Friends of the Library Meeting: Thursday, Feb. 4, 6:00 pm in the Library Quiet Room. Currently recruiting Book Shop Volunteers.

Volunteer Fair: Saturday, Feb. 6, 10:00 am-2 pm.

Intermediate Ukulele Workshop presented by the Tampa Bay Ukulele Society: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 6:30 pm. Registration is required, call (727) 369-0667.

Coloring Your Cares Away: (Ages 16+) Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6:00 pm.

Supplies provided.

Bad Art Night: Wednesday, Feb. 24, 6:00 pm.

Adult Writers Group: Saturday Feb. 27, 10:00 am.

Re (Up) Cycling: Monday, Feb. 29, 6:00 pm Create a Craft-turn magazine pages into flowers. Registration is requested (727) 369-0667.

Safety Harbor Public Library

SHINE-Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders: Thursdays, bi-weekly. Appointments available between 11:00 am-4:00 pm. Sign up at www.SafetyHarborLibrary.com or call 727-724-1525, ext. 4107.

SCORE Small Business Counseling: Tuesdays, Feb. 9, 23. Appointments available from 10:00 am-2:00 pm.

Classical Guitar Concert: Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:30 pm. Peter Fletcher, internationally known guitarist.

Creative Writers Group & Story Circle: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 6:00 pm. Facilitators Jan Golden and Sheila McNaughton provide lessons.
Vietnamese Cooking with the Ph Queen: Thursday, Feb. 18, 6:30 pm. Registration required; $5 donation at time of registration.


Collective Coloring for Adults: Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6:30 pm.

Safety Harbor Writers & Poets: Thursday, Feb. 25, 5:30 pm.

Home Delivery Service: For Safety Harbor residents who are unable to get to the library. Call (727) 724-1525, ext. 4107 for info.

St. Pete Beach Public Library

Local Island History: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:00 pm and Thursday, Feb. 18, 1:00 pm. Historian and storyteller Lance Peterson.

Movie Night at the Library: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 6:00 pm, Everest.

PLARN (recycling with plastic yarn): Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2:30 pm.

St. Petersburg Public Library System Main Library


Ukulele Workshop: Thursday, Feb. 4, 6:00 pm. More info at meetup.com/tampabayuke.

Sunday Funday-Ukulele Jam: Sunday, February 7, 2:00 pm. More info at meetup.com/tampabayuke.

Florida Writers Association: Thursday, Feb. 11, 5:30-7:30 pm. See http://fwastpete.blogspot.com/ for speaker schedule.

Author Roy Peter Clark presented by The Friends of Main Library: Saturday, Feb. 13, 10:00 am.

Sunday Funday-Coloring for Adults: Sunday, Feb. 14, 3:00 pm.


Cellist Mikel Thomas & Violinist Bonnie Deeds presented by the New Music Conflagration: Sunday, Feb. 28, 2:30 pm.

Mirror Lake Community

Needle Craft Club: Saturday, Feb. 13, 1:00-3:00 pm.

James Weldon Johnson Community

Veterans of Color Film & Discussion Program: Saturday, Feb. 20, 1:30 pm. Join the African American Heritage Association of St. Petersburg.

Marques Clark presents 15 Mintues of F.A.M.E. – A Success Manifesto: Saturday, Feb. 27, 1:00 pm. Will discuss his newest title, 15 Mintues of F.A.M.E. (Focus Attitude Motivation Education).

South Community

Family Yarn Guild: (Ages 8+) Saturday, Feb. 13, 27, 12:00-2:00 pm.

Florida-Friendly Landscaping & Invasive Exotice Plants: Tuesday, Feb. 23, 5:00-6:00 pm.

South Community Knitting Guild: (Ages 8+) Thursdays, 11:00 am.

Book Sale in the Lobby: Saturday, Feb. 13, 12:00-2:00 pm.

West Community

Excellent Nutrition: Thursday, Feb. 11, 7:00 pm.

Seminole Community Library


Doodle & Dazzle: Coloring for Adults: Monday, Feb. 29, 6:00 pm. Wednesday, Feb. 24, 2:00 pm.

Pause for Poetry: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 7:00 pm.

Scrabble Club: Tuesdays, 2:00-5:00 pm. Bring your Scrabble set!

Seminole Chess Club: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm.

Socrates Café: Monday, Feb. 8, 1:00 pm.

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Seminole Chess Club: Wednesdays, 6:30-8:30 pm.

Socrates Café: Monday, Feb. 8, 1:00 pm.


A Thinker’s Haven Discussion Group: Monday, Feb. 29, 1:00 pm. “How is the Prospect of World Over-Population a Myth or Reality?” For info, send an e-mail request to: athinkershaven@yahoo.com.

Thrilling Tales! A Story Program for Adults: Thursday, Feb.11, 2:00 pm.

Two Towers Chess Club: Monday, Feb. 8, 22, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Wordsmiths Writing Group: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 6:00-8:00 pm.

SPC Toastmasters: Tuesdays, 6:15 pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library

Genealogy Assistance: One-on-one research help on Tuesday afternoons with Gary.

Tarpon Springs Fiction Writers: Wednesdays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Call David at (727) 942-9540 or Gino at (727) 808-0290.

Writers Group: Fridays, 10:00 am-1:00 pm. Call Rebecca Roberts (727) 940-4327, for info.

Genealogy Research Group: Tuesday, Feb. 2, 6:30-8:30 pm.

History Discussion Group: Thursday, Feb. 4, 2:00 pm. Topic: “The History of the U.S. Coast Guard.”

Needlecraft Group: Monday, Feb. 8, 6:30-8:30 pm.

DIY Craft: Wednesday, Feb. 10, 6:30 pm. Create gifts and décor inspired by craft projects on Pinterest. Registration is required by Saturday, Feb. 6th, call (727) 943-4922.

Cinema Saturday: Saturdays, Feb. 13, 27, 2:00 pm. Seating is limited to 80.

Elements of the Marketing Plan presented by SCORE: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 7:00 pm. Call (727) 943-4922.

Alien Plant Invaders in the Home Landscape: Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6:30 pm. Presented by UF/IFAS Urban Horticulture Agent Theresa Badurek.

CrafterSpace: Wednesday, Feb. 24, 6:30-8:30 pm.

History Discussion Group: Monday, Feb. 29, 1:00 pm.

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**Book Lovers Bistro:** Tuesday, Feb. 2, 12:00 pm. Call (727) 562-4970.

**Circula de Lectura:** Wed., Feb. 24, 1:00 pm. Spanish language book discussion group. Call (727) 562-4970.

**Countryside Branch**

The Book Group at Countryside: Thursday, Feb. 18, 2:30 pm. *The Promise of a Pencil* by Adam Braun.

Socrates Café: Sunday, Feb. 28, 2:00 pm. Featuring Christopher Phillips.

North Greenwood Branch

Beyond the Book Club: Thursday, Feb. 18, 4:00 pm.

Dunedin Public Library

**Contemporary Book Discussion Group:** Tuesday, Feb. 2, 7:00 pm. *Family Life* by Akhil Sharma.

East Lake Community Library


Gulf Beaches Public Library


GB Goodreads: Wed., Feb. 3, 1:00 pm.

Gulfport Public Library

Coffee/Talk Book Club: Thursday, Feb. 18, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. *Mystic River* by Dennis Lehane.

Largo Public Library

**Last Word Book Discussion Group:** Wed., Feb. 3, 6:00 pm. *The House Girl* by Akhil Sharma.

**Booktalking with Iris:** Wed., Feb. 10, 12:00 pm.

Largo Public Library Presents

**Barley Mow Book Club:** Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:30 pm. *It Ended Badly: Thirteen of the Worst Breakups in History* by Jennifer Wright. Barley Mow is located at 518 W. Bay Drive in Largo.

Oldsmar Public Library System

**Books and Brews – Book Discussion Group:** (Ages 21+) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 6:00 pm. Meets at the Oldsmar Tap House (300 State Street East) *Alligators in B Flat* by Jeff Klinkenberg.

Palm Harbor Library

**PHil’s Book Club:** Monday, Feb. 8, 11:00 am-12:00 pm. Library Director, Gene Coppola, facilitates discussion on *The Blueest Eye* by Toni Morrison.

**Ales & Tales Evening Book Club:** Monday, Feb. 8, 6:00-7:00 pm. *A Spy Among Friends: Kim Philby and the Great Betrayal* by Ben Macintyre.

**Barley Mow Book Club: Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:30 pm. *The Giant’s House* by Elizabeth McCracken.

**Graphic Novel Book Discussion:** Thursday, Feb. 11, 6:00 pm. *Persepolis* by Marjane Satrapi

**Afternoon Book Discussion:** Thursday, Feb. 18, 2:00 pm. *The Invention of Wings* by Sue Monk Kidd.

**Safety Harbor Public Library**

**Words & Wine Book Club:** Monday, Feb. 15, 6:30 pm. Whistle Stop Bar and Grill, 915 Main Street. *The Love Song of Miss Queenie Hennessy* by Rachel Joyce.

**Books & Bagels Book Club:** Tuesday, Feb. 16, 10:30 am. *Unbroken* by Laura Hillenbrand.

**Citywide Book Club – Meet Author Jeff Klinkenberg:** Thursday, Feb. 4, 6:30 pm.

**Main Library**

**Speculative Fiction Book Club:** Tuesday, Feb. 2, 6:30 pm.

**LGBT Book Club:** Saturday, Feb. 13, 11:00 am. *Redefining Realness: My path to Womanhood, Identity, Love & So Much More* by Janet Mock.

**Reflections Book Club:** Saturday, Feb. 20, 2:00 pm.

**The Real Deal Book Club:** Thursday, Feb. 25, 6:30 pm.

**North Community**

**Thursday Morning Group:** Thursday, Feb. 4, 11:00 am.

Murder by the Book (Mystery Book Club): Thursday, Feb. 4, 6:30 pm.

**Carl G. Jung Society Reading Group:** Saturday, Feb. 13, 10:00 am.

**South Community**

South Book Club: Wed., Feb. 10, 2:00 pm.

Mahogany Book Club: Saturday, Feb. 20, 12:00 pm.

**Seminole Community Library**

Backward Travelers Historical Fiction Book Discussion: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 2:00 pm. *The Last Days of Dogtown* by Anita Diamant.

**Book Buzz:** Tuesday, Feb. 2, 2:00 pm.

**Booktalkers:** Wed., Feb. 3, 2:00 pm. *Persuasion* by Jane Austen.

**Great Books:** Wed., Feb. 17, 2:00 pm. *Physics and World Philosophy* by Max Planck.

**Super Novels:** Thursday, Feb. 25, 2:00 pm. *Lord Jim* by Joseph Conrad.

**Winning Fiction By Women:** Monday, Feb. 8, 2:00 pm. *Foreign Bodies* by Cynthia Ozick.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library**


**Mystery, Murder and Mayhem Book Club:** Wed., Feb. 17, 7:00 pm. *Bone Key* by Les Standiford.

**Books and Beyond Book Club:** Thursday, Feb. 25, 12:00 pm. *And Then There Were None* by Agatha Christie. Call Sherri at (727) 934-5926.

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Let’s Grow Baby-Oh: (Ages 0-24 mos.) Mondays, 10:30 am.

Toddler Move ‘N’ Read Storytime (Ages 12-36 mos.) Tuesdays, 10:30 am.

After School Chess Club: (Grades K-12) Mondays, 3:30 pm.

Bright Minds Family Storytime: Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

Game On: (Grades 6-12) Wednesdays, 3:30 pm.

Doggone Reading Fun: Saturday, Feb. 6, 12:00 pm.

Pokémon League: (Grades 5-12) Sunday, Feb. 14, 2:00 pm.

Sensory Storytime at Main: Sunday, Feb. 28, 2:00 pm.

Countryside Branch

Toddlers 123: Tuesdays, Feb. 2, 9, 16, 10:30 am.

Homework Help: Wednesdays, 3:00 pm.

Little Learners: Thursdays, 10:30 am.

Junior Robotics: (Grades 2-6) Thursday, Feb. 11, 4:30 pm. Limited to 20 participants. Online registration required at myclearwater.com/cpl.

Grow with Baby: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 11:00 am.

East Branch

Homework Help: Tuesdays and Thursdays, 4:00 pm. Reserve a 30-minute session up to one week in advance. Walk ins will be accommodated on a space-available basis and limited to 20-minute sessions.

Mother Goose on the Loose: (Ages 0-3 yrs.) Thursdays, 11:00 am.

Lego Free Build: Monday, Feb. 6, 3:30 pm.

Preschool Bricks 4 Kidz: (Ages 3-5) Wednesday, Feb. 10, 11:00 am. Register online at myclearwater.com/cpl.

Junior Robotics: (Grades 2-6) Saturday, Feb. 13, 2:00 pm. Limited to 20 participants. Online registration required at myclearwater.com/cpl.

Doggone Reading Fun: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 5:30 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. will bring four therapy trained dogs to the library for preregistered 20-minute reading sessions. Call (727) 562-4970 to preregister.

North Greenwood Branch

Video Game Madness: Wednesday, Feb. 3, 4:00 pm.

Doggone Reading Fun: Thursday, Feb. 4, 4:30 pm. Paws for Friendship Inc. will bring therapy-trained dogs to the library for preregistered 20-minute reading sessions. Call (727) 562-4970 to register.

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Gulfport Public Library

Juniper Live in Concert: Thursday, Feb. 4, 7:00-8:30 pm. Open to all. Call (727) 893-1074.
Science Club for K-5th Grade: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 3:00-4:00 pm.
Mommy & Me Yoga: (Ages 6 weeks-18 mos.) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 10:15-11:00 am.
Toddler Storytime: Thursdays, 10:30-11:00 am.
Reading Paws: Thursday, Feb. 18, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call (727) 893-1074.
Kids Yoga: (Grades K-5) Thursday, Feb. 25, 3:30-4:00 pm.

Largo Public Library

Bright Beginnings: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:30 am.
Sunset Stories: Mondays, Feb. 1, 22, 29, 6:00 pm.
Around America-Montana: (Ages 12 and under) Monday, Feb. 8, 6:00 pm. Explore a different state every month! Register in the Children’s Dept.
CPR Instruction: Monday, Feb. 22, 7:00 pm.
Wobbly Walkers: (Ages 12-24 mos.) Tuesdays, 10:30 am.
Toddler Tales: (Ages 24-36 mos.) Wednesdays, 10:30 am.
Cook-a-Book: Wednesdays, 6:00 pm. Following recipes helps to build a child’s reading comprehension and vocabulary.
Pre-K Hooray: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 11:00 am.
Character Bingo: (Ages 5-12) Thursday, Feb. 4, 4:00 pm.
Library LEGO’s: (Ages 5-12) Saturdays, Feb. 6, 20, 27, 2:00-4:00 pm. All materials are provided.
Puppets Aplenty: (Ages 12 and under) Friday, Feb. 26, 4:30 pm.
Pup Pals Reading Dogs: (Ages 5-12) Saturday, Feb. 27, 10:00 am. Register in the Children’s Dept.
Invention Convention: (Ages 5-12) Friday, Feb. 5, 4:00 pm. Join us in celebrating the contributions of African American inventors. Register in the Children’s Dept.
Library Lingo and Learning: (Ages 4-9) Tuesday, Feb. 16, 6:00 pm. Register in the Children’s Dept.
Leap Day: (Ages 5-12) Thursday, Feb. 18, 4:00-5:30 pm. Leap Day presented by Largo Public Library’s Teen Volunteers! Register in the Children’s Dept.
Dreammakers Fun Side of Math-Picture This: (Ages 8-12) Friday, Feb. 19, 4:30-5:30 pm. Will use digital cameras to take pictures in the library, then use those photographs to learn math concepts. Register in the Children’s Dept.
Hour of Code: (Ages 8-12) Friday, Feb. 19, 4:30-5:30 pm. No coding experience necessary. Register in the Children’s Dept.
Computer Whiz Kids-Word: (Ages 7-10) Tuesday, Feb. 23, 6:00 pm. Introductory class to Microsoft Word. Class limited to 8. Register in the Children’s Dept.

East Lake Community Library
Books & Bingo with Miss Barbara: Friday, Feb. 26, 3:00-4:30 pm.
LEGO Club: (School Age Youth) Friday, Feb. 19, 3:00-4:30 pm.
Happy Birthday, Laura Ingalls Wilder: (Ages 5+) Friday, Feb. 5, 3:00-4:30 pm. Celebrate the birthday of an American author with stories, activities, and pioneer crafts.
Passport to Adventure: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 3:00-4:00 pm. Travel the globe with art, food, stories, and fun as we explore many cultures and lands around the world!
Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 1:00-1:45 pm.
Sensory Time: Friday, Feb. 19, 9:30-10:30 am.
Valentine Cards & Crafts: Friday, Feb. 12, 3:00-4:40 pm.

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Baby & Me Storytime: (Ages 0-2 yrs.) Wednesdays, 10:30 am.
Pre-K Storytime & Art Class: (Ages 2-4) Fridays, 10:30 am.

Dunedin Public Library continued

Daniel Tiger Book Buddies Program: (Ages 3-5) Friday, Feb. 19, 10:30 am. Come have fun with Daniel Tiger and friends. Registration is required.
Saturday Stories: (Families) Saturday, February 20, 11:00 am.
Sunday Fun Day: (Youth) Sunday, Feb. 28, 1:00-4:30 pm.
Leap Year Party: (Ages 5-14) Monday, Feb. 29, 6:00 pm. Learn about Leap Year traditions while enjoying everything “hoppy.” Registration is required.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Toddler Time: (Ages 18 mos.-3 yrs.) Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29 and Tuesdays, 10:00 am.
Preschool Storytime: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 10:00 am.

Palm Harbor Library

Mother Goose Rhyme Time: (Ages 0-2 yrs.) Wednesdays, 10:00 am.
Toddler Storytime: (Ages 18 mos.-3 yrs.) Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:00 am.
Read, Sing, & Play Toddler Time: (Ages 0-35 mos.) Tuesdays, 11:00 am.

Music in Motion: (Ages 2-5) Wednesdays, 11:00 am.

Read, Learn & Imagine Family Storytime: Thursdays, 7:00 pm.

Therapy Dogs: Thursdays, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call (727) 369-0664 for info and registration.

Origami Workshop: Tuesday, Feb. 9, 6:30 pm. Registration is required; call (727) 369-0664.

Homework Help: Mondays, 3:30-5:30 pm. Students are helped on a first-come, first-served basis.

Adventures in Art: (Ages 5-12) Monday, Feb. 15, 6:00 pm. All art supplies are provided. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

Magic Tree House Book Club: (Ages 5+) Sunday, Feb. 28, 2:00 pm. Discussion based on book 7 in the Magic Tree House series, Sunset of the Sabertooth. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

Safety Harbor Public Library

Toddler Time: (Ages 18 mos.-3 yrs.) Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:30 am.

Story Yoga: (Ages 3-8) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 4:00 pm.

Puppets & PJ's: (Ages 8 and under) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 6:30 pm.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 2-5) Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

CoderDojo: (Ages 6-17) Thursdays, 4:00 pm. Learn how to code, develop websites, apps, and games and explore technology. Registration required.

Baby & Me: (Ages 0-18 mos.) Fridays, 10:00 am.

Homework & Reading Help: (Grades 2-8) Mondays, 4:00 pm. An adult volunteer will be available from 5:00-6:00 pm to help early elementary children with reading. Sign up at the Youth Desk.

LEGO League: (Ages 3+) Saturdays, all day.

Stories and Art: (Grades 2-5) Tuesday, Feb. 9, 4:00 pm. Registration required.


Wee Discoveries: (Ages 1-5) Thursday, Feb. 11, 11:00 am. Adult participation required.

Frozen Party: (All Ages) Saturday, Feb. 13, 11:00 am. Meet Princesses Anna and Elsa. Don’t forget to wear your favorite Frozen costume!

Tuesday Crafternoon — Valentine’s Day Pillow: (Ages 4-10) Tuesday, Feb. 16, 3:30 pm. Create and decorate a heart pillow! All supplies provided. Registration required.

Paw-some Readers Program: Thursday, Feb. 18, 5:00 pm; Friday, Feb. 19, 3:00 pm; Sunday, Feb. 21, 2:00 pm. Practice your reading with our specially trained therapy dog.

Zumba Kids: (Ages 4-10) Wednesday, Feb. 24, 4:00 pm.

Kids’ Yoga Dance: (Ages 10 and under) Thursday, Feb. 25, 4:00 pm.
Children’s Classes & Events

St. Petersburg Main Library continued

Family Story Time: (All Ages) Thursdays, 6:30 pm.

Humpty Dumpty Story Time: (Ages 0-18 mos.) Thursdays, 10:15 am and 11:00 am. Come join us for movement, music and fun with rhymes and puppets.

Library Lego Mania: (All Ages) Tuesdays, 3:30 pm.

Mother Goose: (Ages 0-3 yrs.) Fridays, 10:15 am & 11:00 am.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Wednesdays, 10:25 am.

Junior League Puppet Show: (All Ages) Monday, Feb. 8, 22, 10:30 am.

Super Saturday Puppet Show: (All Ages) Saturday, Feb. 27, 11:00 am.

South Community

Mother Goose: (Ages 0-3 yrs.) Thursdays, 10:15 am.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 11:00.

Water & The World Around Us: (All Ages) Saturday, Feb. 6, 2:00 pm.

West Community

After School Program: (Ages 6-12) Thursday, Feb. 4, 3:30 pm.

Mother Goose Story Time: (Ages 0-3 yrs.) Tuesdays, 9:30 am.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 10:30 am.

Seminole Community Library

Toddler Story Time: (Ages 18-36 mos.) Tuesdays, 10:00 am.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Tuesdays, 11:00 am.

Nature Walk: (Ages 0-5 yrs.) Tuesday, Feb. 16, 11:00 am. 30-minute nature walk on the beautiful Seminole campus and natural habitat boardwalk and observe the local wildlife. Space is limited. Free tickets available at 10:30 am on program day.

Crafty Kids: (Grades K-5) Tuesday, Feb. 2, 16, 6:00-7:00 pm.

Baby Time: (Ages Newborn-18 mos.) Wednesdays, 10:00 am.

Wiggle, Giggle and Sing: (Ages 0-5 yrs.) Thursdays, 10:00 am.

Family Movie Matinee: (All Ages) Saturdays, 2:00 pm. Free popcorn and soda. Feb. 06: Treasure Planet ©Disney.


Chinese New Year Celebration: (Toddlers-5th Grade) Monday, Feb. 1, 3:30-5:00 pm. Join us for crafts, games and refreshments in celebration of the 2016 Chinese New Year!

Two Towers Chess Club: (All Ages) Monday, Feb. 8, 22, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Tarpon Springs Public Library

Drop-In Homework Help: Tuesdays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Extra assistance with homework or reading. No appointment necessary.

Preschool Story Time: (Ages 3-5) Thursdays, 10:15 am. No registration required.

Toddler Time: (Ages 1-3) Fridays, 10:15 and 11:00 am.

Craft Club: (Ages 6-12) Friday, Feb. 5, 4:30-5:30 pm. Registration is required.

After School Make n’ Take Chinese New Year Craft: (All Ages) Monday, Feb. 8, 2:00-6:00 pm. 2016 is the year of the Monkey. Make a monkey craft.

Valentine’s Day Maker Place Craft: (All Ages) Tuesday, Feb. 10, 3:00-4:00 pm. All materials supplied.

Wee Sing with Mrs. Music: (Ages 1+) Saturday, Feb. 13, 10:30 am. Have fun learning colors, numbers, letters, sign language and Spanish. No registration required.

Makerspace After School STEAM: (Ages 6-12) Wednesday, Feb. 17, 3:00 pm. Engineering with Marshmallow Towers. Space limited; registration is required.
Literacy Classes & Events

Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library
Clase de Computacion en Espanol: Saturday, Feb. 6, 13, 1:00 pm. Feb. 6: Curso básico de Internet. Feb. 13: Curso de Internet II. Requiere inscripción.
Countryside Branch
English as a Second Language: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29 and Wednesdays, 2:00 pm.
East Branch
ESOL Tutoring: Mondays, 4:00 pm. Literacy tutors and students practice conversational English.

Dunedin Public Library
Conversation Club: Wednesdays, 5:45 pm. The Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas, with the support of the Dunedin Friends of the Library, hosts this Conversation Club.
Literacy Program: The Literacy Council of Upper Pinellas (LCUP), is looking for tutors. Call the Literacy Office at (727) 298-3080, ext. 1724 or visit the website at www.lcup.net.

East Lake Community Library
Baby Sign: (Ages 0-3 yrs.) Fridays, 11:30 am-12:30 pm. Miss Kathryn from the Deaf Literacy Center of the Pinellas Public Library Consortium will teach sign language.

Largo Public Library
English Language Learning Conversation Club: Mondays, 10:00 am, and Tuesdays, 6:00 pm.

English Language Learning Lab: Monday-Saturday. Reserve a computer at www.LargoPublicLibrary.org.
Naturalization Information Session: Monday, Feb. 1, 6:30-8:00 pm. This session is free.
English Language Learning Tutor Training and Orientation: Saturday, Feb. 6, 10:00 am-4:00 pm and Tuesday, Feb. 9, 6:00-8:00 pm. Register online at tinyurl.com/ELLTutor-registration or contact Nancy Coleman-Romanos, ELL Librarian, ncoleman@largo.com, (727) 587-6715, ext. 2547.
Baby Sign Language: Tuesdays, 9:30 am.
Adult Sign Language: Wednesdays, Feb. 10, 24, 6:00-8:00 pm.

Oldsmar Public Library System
Spanish Language Learner’s Group: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 6:30-7:45 pm.

Palm Harbor Library
American Sign Language for Adults: Tuesdays, Beginner Level: 6:00-7:00 pm. No experience is necessary! Intermediate Level: 7:00-8:00 pm. Some experience is required. Contact Rosa Rodriguez at (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120.
Infant/ Toddler Sign Language: (Ages 0-4 yrs.) Mondays, February 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:45 am. Registration recommended. Register with the Deaf Literacy Center via phone or email. Phone: (727) 724-1525, ext. 4120; TDD: (727) 724-1529; rrodriguez@pplc.us.
Conversation Classes: Thursdays, 6:30-7:30 pm.

Pinellas Park
Barbara S. Ponce Public Library
Children’s American Sign Language: Thursdays, 3:30 pm.

Adult American Sign Language, Level 1: Thursdays, 6:00 pm.
Adult American Sign Language, Level 2: Thursdays, 7:00 pm.
English Classes: Wednesdays, 6:00 pm.

Safety Harbor Public Library
ESOL Conversation Club: Wednesdays, 4:30-6:00 pm. Practice your English conversation skills.

St. Petersburg Public Library System
Main Library
Roll Over & Read: Monday, Feb. 1, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.
English Tutoring-St. Pete Speaks ESL at your library: A one-on-one, no cost tutoring program for non-native English speakers. If you are interested on becoming a tutor or student please contact esl.library@stpete.org.
James Weldon Johnson Community
Roll Over & Read: Tuesday, Feb. 2, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.
Mirror Lake Community
Roll Over & Read: Wednesday, Feb. 17, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.
North Community
Roll Over & Read: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.
South Community
Roll Over & Read: Friday, Feb. 5, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.
West Community
Roll Over & Read: Tuesday, Feb. 16, 3:30-4:30 pm. Call to register.

Tarpon Springs Public Library
ESOL Conversational Classes: Mondays, 6:00 pm and Tuesdays, 4:00 pm. Free, informal conversational English classes. No registration is required. Call (727) 943-4922, for info.
Tech Classes & Events

Clearwater Public Library System
Main Library

MakerSpace Drop-in Discovery Lab: Tuesdays, 5:00 pm.

Computer and e-Reader Help: Wednesdays, 10:30 am.

Introduction to Lynda.com: Wed., Feb. 3, 7:00 pm. Lynda.com helps anyone learn software. Register online.

MakerSpace Drop-in Session: (Adults) Thursdays, 2:00 pm.

Downtown Discovery Lab: (Grades 2+) Wed., Feb. 10, 5:30 pm. Explore the STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math).

Introduction to 3-D Printing: Wed., Feb. 10, 7:00 pm and Sat., Feb. 20, 12:00 pm. Learn about 3-D printing. Register online.

Meet the Eggbot and the 3-D Design: Wed., Feb. 17, 7:00 pm. The Eggbot is a robot that allows you to draw on curved surfaces. Register online.

Homeschool Discovery Lab: (Youth) Thurs., Feb. 18, 1:30 pm. Homeschool Families are invited to play, learn, and interact with others.

Quadcopters, Fly and Learn: Sat., Feb. 27, 1:00 pm.

Beach Branch

Computer Help! with Ray: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 10:00 am.

Countryside Branch

Basic Computer Skills: Tues., Feb. 2, 16 10:30 am.

Open Studio: Wednesdays, 3:30 pm. The Studio will be available for two hours of open use.

Computer and e-Reader Help! Thursdays, 12:30 pm.

East Branch

Computer and e-Reader Help: Tuesdays, 2:00 pm.

North Greenwood Branch

Computer and e-Reader Help: Mondays, Feb. 1, 8, 22, 29, 4:00 pm.

Dunedin Public Library

Please register for these classes at the Adult Reference Desk, or call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1707. No classes February 2, 4, 9 and 11.

Introduction to Windows 10 with Lynda.com: Tues., Feb. 16, 11:00 am. Registration required.

Tips and Tricks for Windows 10 with Lynda.com: Thurs., Feb. 18, 11:00 am. Registration required.

Getting Started with your Android Tablet: Tues., Feb. 23, 11:00 am. Registration required.

Getting Started with your iPad: Thurs., Feb. 25, 11:00 am. Registration required.

Tech Time: 45-minute sessions by appointment on Tuesdays, 2:00-4:00 pm. Stop by our Desk or call (727) 298-3080, ext. 1716.

One-on-One Computer Tutoring: One-hour sessions are available by appt., (727) 298-3080, ext. 1732.

East Lake Community Library

Computer Chat with Paul: Wednesdays, 12:30-2:30 pm. Call the to register for your individual session.

Gulf Beaches Public Library

Zinio Class: Wed., Feb. 10, 1:00 pm. Learn how to download a multitude of magazines from our library database.

Facebook: Mon., Feb. 22, 1:00 pm.

Largo Public Library

iPads for Beginners: Thurs., Feb. 4, 3:00 pm. Class size limited to 8. Registration required.

iPads for Beginners 2: Thurs., Feb. 11, 3:00 pm. Class size limited to 8. Registration required.

Intermediate iPads: Thurs., Feb. 18, 3:00 pm. Limited to 8 participants. Registration required.

Open ideaLAB: Fridays, 3:00-5:00 pm. Book your 3D experience by calling (727) 587-6715, ext. 2529.

Intro to 3D Printing: Tues., Feb. 23, 3:00 pm. Limited to 8 participants. Registration required.

Downloading Library eBooks: Thurs., Feb. 25, 3:00 pm.

Mouse and Keyboarding: Mondays, Feb. 1, 29, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 7 students.

Email: Tuesdays, Feb. 2, 16, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12 students.

Internet: Thursdays, Feb. 4, 18, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12 students.

Word Processing: Fri.s, Feb. 5, 19, 2:00 pm. Class size is limited to 12.

Oldsmar Public Library System

Drop-in Computer Help: Wed., Feb. 3, 17, 3:00-5:00 pm. 1st come 1st served.

Computer Class with Mark Opyd: Tues., Feb. 9, 2:00 pm. The topic is Windows 10 Part 2. Lecture/demonstration followed by Q & A.

Palm Harbor Library

All computer classes require registration. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3006.

Learn to Navigate Windows 8.1: Sat., Feb. 13, 2:00-3:30 pm.

Internet Basics: Wed., Feb. 10, 10:30 am-12:00 pm.

Borrowing Library eBooks: Sat., Feb. 27, 11:00-12:30 pm.

Email Basics: Wed., Feb. 24, 2:00-3:30 pm.

Doc’s Place — “Windows 10”: Mon., Feb. 1, 1:00-2:30 pm.

Doc’s Place — “How to Tell What’s True on the Internet”: Mon., Feb. 8, 1:00-2:30 pm. How can we determine what’s true and what’s false? Doc (Dave Dockery).

Doc’s Place — “Facebook Basics + Facebook for Business”: Mon., Feb. 22, 1:00-2:30 pm. Demonstrates the fundamentals of using Facebook.
Doc’s Place – “PowerPoint the Swiss Army Knife of Software”: Mon., Feb. 29, 1:00-2:30 pm. Microsoft’s PowerPoint is not only presentation software but can also be used to organize your photos.

**One-on-One Computer Instruction:** One-on-one help (30-minute sessions) available after 2:30 pm. Call (727) 784-3332, ext. 3017.

**Pinellas Park Barbara S. Ponce Public Library Introductory Computer Training Classes:** Classes offered throughout the month of February. Call (727) 369-0667 for schedule.

**One-on-One Technology Clinic:** Tuesdays, 3:00 pm. and Thursdays, 6:00 pm. Help is offered on a first-come-first served basis.

**E-book training:** Wednesdays, 10:00 am. Call (727) 369-0667 to inquire.

**Zinio Training:** Wed., Feb. 10, 10:00 am. Learn to checkout electronic versions of your favorite magazines.

**Safety Harbor Public Library Maintaining & Protecting Your Computer:** Wed., Feb. 17, 2:00-4:00 pm. Registration required.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Logan:** Sundays, 1:30-4:30 pm, by appointment.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Dan:** Select Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, 6:00-8:00 pm, by appt.

**Mobile Device Help with Michael:** Fridays, 3:30-6:00 pm, by appointment.

**One-on-One Computer Tutoring with Rahul:** Saturdays, 9:30 am-12:30 pm, by appointment.

**St. Pete Beach Public Library E-Reader Help Hour:** Tuesdays, Feb. 2, 16, 3:00 pm.

**Facebook for Beginners:** Wed., Feb. 3, 3:00 pm.

**Online Genealogy for Beginners:** Wed., Feb. 17, 3:00 pm.

**iPad for Beginners:** Thurs., Feb. 18.

**Seminole Community Library Gizmos, Gadgets & Geezers:** Need help with your devices? Contact the Youth Services Dept. at (727) 394-6913.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library Tech Tutoring:** Free one-hour session with a student volunteer. Registration is required. Call for appointment.

**One-on-One eBook Training:** Call or stop by to schedule an appointment.

**Doc’s Place — “PowerPoint the Swiss Army Knife of Software”:** Mon., Feb. 29, 1:00-2:30 pm. Microsoft’s PowerPoint is not only presentation software but can also be used to organize your photos.

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**Teen Classes & Events**

**Clearwater Public Library System**

**Main Library**

**After School Chess Club:** (Grades K-12) Tuesdays, 3:30 pm.

**Game On:** (Grades 6-12) Wednesdays, 3:30 pm.

**Pokemon League:** (Grades 5-12) Sunday, Feb. 14, 2:00 pm.

**Disney Villaintines Day:** (Grades 6-12) Sat., Feb. 13, 2:00 pm. Celebrate the most mushy of holidays in true Disney villain style.

**Tokyo Teen Nightclub:** (Ages 13-18) Thurs., Feb. 26, 6:30 pm. An evening of dancing and socializing to the beat of Asian dance, pop and rock music.

**Countryside Branch**

**Junior Robotics:** (Grades 2-6) Thurs., Feb. 11, 4:30 pm. Limited to 20 participants. Online registration required at myclearwater.com/cpl.

**Seminole Community Library Gizmos, Gadgets & Geezers:** Need help with your devices? Contact the Youth Services Dept. at (727) 394-6913.

**Tarpon Springs Public Library Tech Tutoring:** Free one-hour session with a student volunteer. Registration is required. Call for appointment.

**One-on-One eBook Training:** Call or stop by to schedule an appointment.

**Hack the SATS (and ACTS too!):** Sun., Feb. 21, 2:00 pm. Eliot Schrefer reveals strategies and shortcuts.

**East Branch**

**Junior Robotics:** (Grades 2-6) Sat., Feb. 13, 2:00 pm. Limited to 20 participants. Online registration required at myclearwater.com/cpl.

**North Greenwood Branch**

**Video Game Madness:** Wed., Feb. 3, 4:00 pm.

**UNO Tournament:** (All Ages) Wed., Feb. 17, 4:00 pm.

Registration required. Visit aarp.org/home-family/personal-technology/tek to register.

**Walk-in Computer Help:** Tuesdays, 4:00-6:00 pm and Sundays, 1:00-3:00 pm.

**James Weldon Johnson Community One-on-One Computer Assistance:** Tuesdays and Thursdays, 10:30-11:30 am.

**Introduction to Microsoft Excel 2013:** Thurs., Feb. 25, 10:30-11:30 am.

**North Community One-on-One Computer Assistance:** Call or stop in to schedule an appt. with our volunteer tutor.

**South Community One-on-One Computer Assistance:** Computer assistance for adults. Call or stop in to schedule an appt. with our volunteer tutor.

**West Community Supervised Lab Time:** Fridays, 1:30-3:30 pm. Get help with all your computer issues.

**Seminole Community Library Gizmos, Gadgets & Geezers:** Need help with your devices? Contact the Youth Services Dept. at (727) 394-6913.

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Sidewalk Art: (All Ages) Tues., Feb. 23, 4:30 pm. Discover your inner artist! Weather permitting.
Dunedin Public Library
Registration begins two weeks prior to a program.

Teen 3D Design & Print Club: (Teens) Mon., Feb. 1, 5:00 pm.
Dunedin Youth Volunteers – Monthly Meeting: (Teens) Mon., Feb. 1, 6:30 pm.

Fret Club: (Ages 8-18) Wed., Feb. 3, 4:00 pm.

Hugs, Kisses & Valentines Party: (Ages 12-18) Mon., February 22, 6:00 pm. Registration is required.

ACT Practice Test — Huntington East Lake Community Library
Teen 3D Design & Print Club: (Grades 6-12) Wed., Feb. 17, 7:00 pm. This session is open only to participants already registered and that participated in the January meeting.

Teen Coffee House: (Grades 6-12) Tues., Feb. 16, 6:00 pm. Palm Harbor Library
Youth Advisory Board: (Ages 13-18) Thursdays, Feb. 11, 18, 25, 5:00-6:00 pm.

Drop-By Gaming: (Ages 9-18) Thurs., Feb. 21, 3:30-5:00 pm.

Anime Club: (Ages 11-18) Tues., Feb. 23, 5:00-6:00 pm. Ms. Marisa and Ms. Samma will be your guides to all things anime, new and old.

Anime Movie Night: (Ages 11-18) Thurs., Feb. 25, 6:00-7:45 pm. We’ll watch a Studio Ghibli film and share snacks!

Pinellas Park Barbara S. Ponce Public Library
Teen Art Club: Mon., Feb. 1, 6:00 pm. Call 369-0664 to sign up.


Teen Advisory Board: (Middle and High School Students) Thurs., Feb. 11, 6:30 pm. If interested, speak to a staff member at the Youth Services desk or call (727) 369-0664.

Death by Chocolate: (Middle and High School Students) Fri., Feb. 12, 7:00 pm. An evening inspired by one of the greatest foods to grace our taste buds—chocolate! Registration is required. Call (727) 369-0664 to sign up.

Seminole Community Library
Library Teen Board General Meeting: (Grades 8-12), Thurs., Feb. 18, 4:30-5:30 pm. For info, stop by the Youth Services Dept. or call Ms. Porcelli at (727) 394-6913.

Live the Books: (Grades 6-12) Tues., Feb. 23, 6:00-7:00 pm. This session is open only to participants already registered.

Manga/Anime Club: (Grades 6-12), Fri., Feb. 19, 4:45-5:45 pm.

Two Towers Chess Club: (All Ages) Mon., Feb. 8, 22, 3:30-5:30 pm.

Pause for Poetry: (All Ages) Wed., Feb. 17, 7:00 pm.

Teen Craft: (Grades 6-12) Wed., Feb. 17, 6:00 pm. Iron Chef Oriental!

Book to Movie Club: (Grades 6-12) Wed., Feb. 24, 4:30 pm. Shadow Hunters (TV) based on the Mortal Instruments series by Cassandra Clare and Pride and Prejudice and Zombies by Seth Grahame-Smith.

St. Petersburg Public Library System
Main Library
Tabletop Games Night: (Ages 11-18) Thursdays, 5:00-7:30 pm.

Anime & Manga Club: (Ages 11-18) Tues., Feb. 16, 6:15 pm.

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Teen Craft: (Grades 6-12) Wed., Feb. 18, 4:30 pm. All supplies provided.

After Hours Chocolate Party: (Grades 6-12) Fri., Feb. 19, 6:30-8:30 pm. Chocolate fountain, games, music.

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Tarpon Springs Public Library
Manga Book Club: (Ages 12+) Mondays, Feb. 4, 25, 7:30 pm.

Sweet Treat Party: (Ages 13-17) Sat., Feb. 6, 2:00 pm. Join us for games, snacks, and fun! It’s all about the sweet treats. Registration is required.
Federal income taxes.

and older citizens file their
volunteers assist low income
forms will be available
served. No phone calls or
Mondays and Tuesdays, 10:00
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Dunedin, FL 34698
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Community Library
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Palm Harbor, FL 34685
P: (727) 773-2665
www.eastlake.library.org

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200 Municipal Drive
Madeira Beach, FL 33708
P: (727) 391-2828
www.gulfbeacheslibrary.org

Gulfport Library
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Gulfport, FL 33707
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F: (727) 344-6386
Reference: (727) 893-1073
twwgulflibrary.org/gpl

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www.largopubliclibrary.org

Oldsmar Library
400 St. Petersburg Drive East
Oldsmar, FL 34677
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www.oldsmarlibrary.org
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Palm Harbor, FL 34683
P: (727) 584-3332
www.palmharborlibrary.org

Pinellas Park
Barbara S. Ponce Library
7770 52nd Street
Pinellas Park, FL 33781
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691 43rd Street South
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P: (727) 893-7714

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Community Library
1059 18th Avenue South
St. Petersburg, FL 33705
P: (727) 893-7113

Mirror Lake
Community Library
280 5th Street North
St. Petersburg, FL 33701
P: (727) 893-7268

North Community Library
861 70th Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33702
P: (727) 893-7214

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2300 Roy Hanna Drive S.
St. Petersburg, FL 33712
P: (727) 893-7244

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at SPC Gibbs Campus
6700 8th Avenue North
St. Petersburg, FL 33710
P: (727) 341-7199
www.spc.edu/scl
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Campus
9200 113th Street North
Seminole, FL 33772-2800
P: (727) 394-6905
http://www.spc.edu/scl
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Events at
Pinellas Talking Book Library

Low Vision Support Group:
Thursday, Feb. 11, 10:00 am-12:00 pm.
Pinellas Council of the Blind-Low vision meets at the Talking Book Library.

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