

Kids&Teens

NOVEMBER 2017

Story Times

MAIN LIBRARY & BRANCHES

Baby Time Story series for babies ages 0 to 17 months accompanied by an adult. (20 min.)

Fairview

Mondays at 10:00 am
October 2 – November 6
(NO STORY TIME ON 10/9)
November 27 – December 18

Main

Tuesdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am
October 31 – December 12

Montana

Wednesdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am
October 25 – December 6

Ocean Park

Thursdays at 10:00 and 10:45 am
October 12 – November 16

Toddler Time Story series for toddlers ages 18 to 35 months accompanied by an adult. (20 min.)

Pico

Mondays at 10:30 am
November 6 – December 4

Ocean Park

Tuesdays at 10:00 am
October 10 – November 14

Main

Thursdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am
November 2 – December 14
(NO STORY TIME ON 11/23)

Montana

Thursdays at 10:15 and 11:15 am
October 26 – December 7
(NO STORY TIME ON 11/23)

Preschool Story Time

Story series for 3 to 5 year olds. (30 min.)

Main

Wednesdays at 11:15 am
November 1 – December 13

CUENTOS PARA PEQUEÑOS

SPANISH STORY TIME

Para niños de 2-5 años de edad. (30 min.)

en Fairview Miércoles a las 10:00 am
4 de octubre al 8 de noviembre

en Pico Martes a las 10:00 am
7 de noviembre al 5 de diciembre

THE PATH TO COLLEGE:

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18
11:00AM [2 HRS]
GRADE 11
MULTIPURPOSE ROOM
MAIN LIBRARY

WHAT EVERY JUNIOR NEEDS TO KNOW



PARENTING WORKSHOP: HOW TO START YOUR CHILD'S MUSIC EDUCATION

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 14
6:00PM [60 MIN]
FOR PARENTS OF CHILDREN
AGES 5-9

MONTANA BRANCH



eBOOKS FOR KIDS

TumbleBooks are animated talking electronic books with added music and narration kids can read, or have read to them. TumbleBooks también esta disponible en español.

TumbleBooks
e-books for e-kids



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THE MAIN & BRANCH LIBRARIES
WILL CLOSE AT 5:30PM ON WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22
WILL BE CLOSED ON THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23

SANTA MONICA PUBLIC

LIBRARY

Programs for Kids

Main LIBRARY

601 Santa Monica Blvd • 310-458-8621

All programs are held in the Activity Room unless otherwise noted.

Family Foodie Game Day

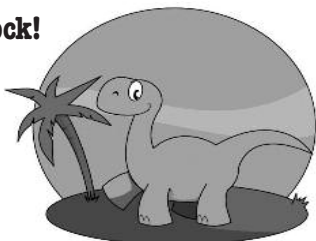
SAT, NOV 4, 2-4:00 pm / AGES 5-11 & PARENTS

Play fun food games, like Candyland and Hungry Hungry Hippos, and make a yummy craft with food (while supplies last).

Dinosaurs Rock!

TUE, NOV 7,
3:45 pm [60 MIN]
AGES 5-10

Celebrate Dinovember with dinosaur stories and activities.



Butterflies, Butterflies Everywhere

THU, NOV 9, 3:45 pm [60 MIN] / AGES 5-10

Discover facts about monarch butterflies in a short story time with a craft. Learn how to make a butterfly sanctuary and watch as we release real butterflies!

This is a City of Santa Monica Sustainability Green Prize program.



Creative Kids Club: Turkeytime!

WED, NOV 15, 3:45 pm [60 MIN] / GRADES K-4

Gobble, gobble! Create a turkey craft using paper and other supplies.

Preschool Explorers: Pumpkins

SAT, NOV 18, 10:30 am [60 MIN] / AGES 3-5

Join us for pumpkin-themed science and stories for preschool learners.

Kids' Writers Group: Food!

TUE, NOV 21, 3:45 pm [60 MIN] / AGES 8-12



Join this group for kids who love to write. This month we are writers for the imaginary magazine, YumYum.

Fairview BRANCH

2101 Ocean Blvd • 310-458-8681

Reading Mentors

SATURDAYS, SEP 30 - NOV 4, 10:00 am [45 MIN]

GRADES K-5

Need reading practice?

Join our read-aloud program, led by volunteers.

Limited space; registration required.



Sugar Skull Decorating

WED, NOV 1, 4:00 pm [60 MIN] / AGES 4-10



Decorate ceramic skulls and learn about the history of sugar skull art used to celebrate Day of the Dead. *Limited space; free tickets available 30 minutes before program.*

Tinker Tuesdays: Cardboard Playground

TUE, NOV 14, 4:00 pm [60 MIN] / AGES PRE-K-3



reDiscover Center will help kids engineer a pop-up playground using cardboard boxes and tubes. *Limited space and materials.*

Montana Ave BRANCH

1704 Montana Ave • 310-458-8682

Crafty Kids:

Turkeys

FRI, NOV 10

3:30-4:30 pm

AGES 2-10

Make a turkey puppet.



Parenting Workshop: How to Start Your Child's Music Education

TUE, NOV 14, 6:00 pm [60 min]

FOR PARENTS OF CHILDREN AGES 5-9

Learn how to choose an instrument, encourage children to practice, and navigate the early days of learning. *Presented by Josephine Moerschel of Elemental Music.*

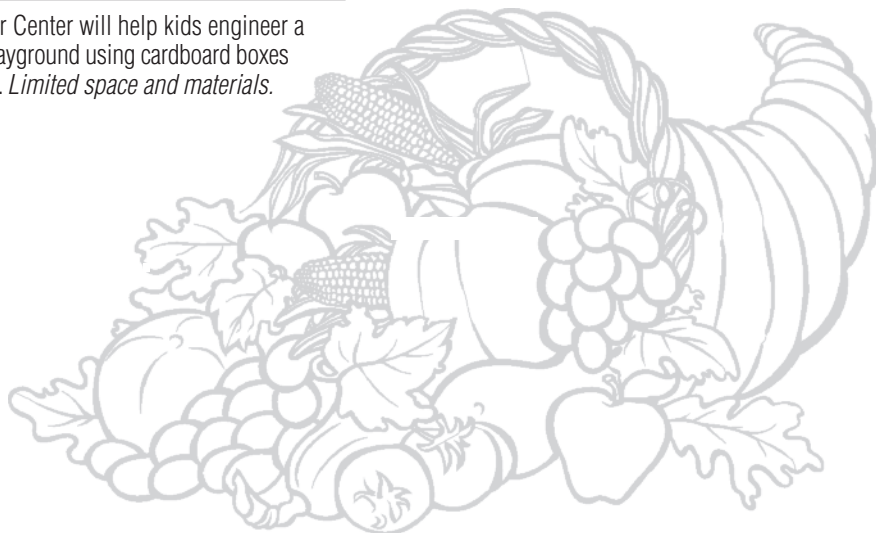
LEGO Club

SAT, NOV 18, 3:00-4:30 pm / AGES 4-10

Pajama Story Time

TUE, NOV 21, 6:00 pm [60 min] / FOR FAMILIES

Join us for a special evening story time in your PJs.



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Ocean Park BRANCH 2601 Main Street • 310-458-8683

Pajama Story Time

MON, NOV 6, 6:30pm [30 min]

FOR FAMILIES

Wear PJs and bring your favorite stuffed animal.

Preschool Explorers: Mars

MON, NOV 13

2:30pm [45 min]

AGES 3-6



Explore a new science topic each month with stories and hands-on activities.

Young Readers Day Celebration

WED, NOV 15, 3:30pm [45 min] / AGES 3-8



Hooray for young readers! Bring your favorite book to share during storytime and stay for a craft.

Family Visit to the Library

FRI, NOV 24, 2:00pm [45 min] / FOR FAMILIES

Have family in town for the holiday? Come on down to Ocean Park for short tour and a craft.

A LEGO-Building Afternoon

TUE, NOV 28, 3:30-5:00pm / AGES 4-11



Pico BRANCH

2201 Pico Blvd • 310-458-8684

Family Night Story Time / Noche de cuentos

WED, NOV 1, 6:00-7:00pm / FOR FAMILIES



THE ANNEX
Celebrate National Family Literacy Day with a bilingual (English/Spanish) story time and a surprise special guest. Light refreshments will be served.

Celebrate Native American Heritage Month with Los Angeles

Poet Society

WED, NOV 15

4:00pm [90 min]

AGES 6-13

Learn to write a poem about your dreams and make a talisman. *Limited space; registration starts 11/1.*



Thanksgiving: Turkey Tales

SAT, NOV 18, 11:00am [90 min] / AGES 4-8

Come listen to Thanksgiving stories, make a colorful turkey hat, and enjoy a piece of pie. *Limited space; registration starts 11/4.*



LIBRARY HOURS

MAIN LIBRARY MON-THUR: 10:00am-9:00pm
FRI-SAT: 10:00am-5:30pm / SUN: 1:00pm-5:00pm

BRANCHES MON-THUR: NOON-9:00pm
FRI: NOON-5:30pm / SAT: 10:00am-5:30pm
SUN: All Branches CLOSED

RIDE YOUR BIKE

Bicycle parking racks are available at the Main Library and all Branch Libraries.

big blue bus

MAIN LIBRARY Lines 1, 7, R7, R10 and 18

FAIRVIEW BRANCH LIBRARY

Lines 8, Crosstown 41 and Sunset 44

MONTANA AVENUE BRANCH LIBRARY

Lines 18 and Crosstown 41

OCEAN PARK BRANCH LIBRARY Lines 1 & 8

PICO BRANCH LIBRARY Line 7



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of partnering with the Library!

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All programs are free and the public is cordially invited to attend. Seating is on a first come, first served basis. Organized children's groups wishing to attend library programs are requested to make arrangements in advance with a children's librarian.

ALL PROGRAMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE.



The Santa Monica Public Library is wheelchair accessible. For special disabled services, call Library Administration at 310-458-8606 at least one week prior to event.

Main LIBRARY

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Design in 3D: Game Dice

MON, NOV 6, 4:00pm [90 min] / AGES 12-18
COMPUTER TRAINING ROOM

Create a 3D printed game die using Tinkercad and vector images. Skills learned can be applied to create a variety of fun and useful 3D printable objects. No experience required.

College Affordability: Financial Aid and FAFSA

THU, NOV 9, 7:00pm [90 min] / GRADES 10-12



MULTIPURPOSE ROOM

Diana Hanson of Magellan Counseling explains the different types of financial aid and answers questions about making college affordable. She also discusses the FAFSA and CSS Profile financial aid forms in detail.

College Application Drop-In Services

TUE, NOV 14, 21 & 28 AND THU, NOV 16 & 30

4:00-6:00 pm / GRADE 12 / COMPUTER TRAINING ROOM



Get free one-on-one assistance with college applications and essays. To submit your application, bring your transcript and Social Security, DACA or Green Card number. Computers provided, or bring your laptop.

Presented in collaboration with the Santa Monica Boys and Girls Club's College Bound Program and Diana Hanson of Magellan Counseling.

The Path to College: What Every Junior Needs to Know

SAT, NOV 18, 11:00am [2 HRS]

GRADE 11 / MULTIPURPOSE ROOM

Learn the steps to take at the beginning of junior year to prepare for the transition to college. *Presented by college counselor Nick Soper and therapist Kristine Tye of Teen LAUNCH.*



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Fairview BRANCH

2101 OCEAN PARK BLVD 310-458-8681

Fairview Teen Advisory Group



WEDS, NOV 1, 8 & 15, 3:30pm [60 min] / GRADES 8-12

Are you looking for opportunities to serve your community? Join our Teen Advisory Group, help improve teen services at the library, and earn community service credit.

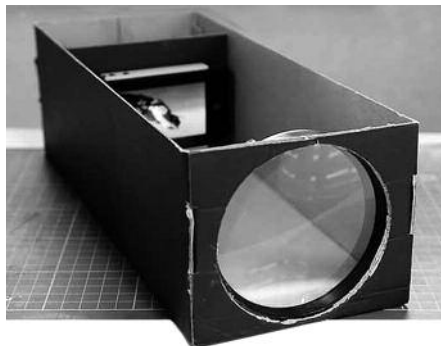
Montana Avenue BRANCH

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DIY Lab for Tweens: Smartphone Projector

TUE, NOV 14, 4:00pm [60 min] / AGES 8-12

Learn how you can construct a smartphone projector. All materials will be provided; bring your own smartphone. *Limited space; signups begin November 6.*



Pico BRANCH

2201 PICO BLVD 310-458-8684

Adulting 101: Bullet Journaling

MON, NOV 6, 5:00pm [90 min] / AGES 16-24 / THE ANNEX
Who said being an adult is boring? Get organized and creative with bullet journaling. *Materials provided, limited quantities available.*

How to Write a Winning UC Personal Statement

TUE, OCT 24 to NOV 21, 5:00pm [60 min]

GRADES 8-12 / THE ANNEX

Need assistance editing your personal statement? Join the Pico Branch Library and the Virginia Avenue Park's Teen Center for this workshop series. *Space is limited, registration required.*