

# TEEN SUMMER 2019 PROGRAMS



**MAIN LIBRARY** • 601 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD • 310-458-8621

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

## Summer Teen Volunteers Needed

**Morning and Afternoon Shifts, June 17 – August 19**

Get involved in your community this summer! Fill out a Teen Volunteer Interest Form if you'd like to help during programs, events, and story times. In exchange, we will give you community service hours. Summer volunteers must sign up for and complete (read 30 hours) the Teen Summer Reading program.

## 📖 Finals Study Hall

**Wed, Thu & Mon, Jun 5, 6 & 10 | 3:00 to 9:00 pm**

**Activity Room & Teen Lounge | For High School Students**

Come grab some coffee and snacks, use our computers, study in groups or by yourself, and participate in stress-relieving activities. *Presented by the Santa Monica Public Library Teen Advisory Council.*

## Bookmark Mania

**Mon, Jun 17 through Fri, Jun 21 | 2:00 to 4:00 pm | All Ages | Main Lobby**

Create a handmade bookmark to keep your place in your favorite summer read. A different project each day.

## Parent Knowledge Night: For Parents of Soon-To-Be Seniors

**Wed, Jun 26 | 7:00 pm [60 MIN.] | Parents of incoming 12th Graders | Multipurpose Rm**

Learn how to motivate and help your teen to take advantage of the summer months to complete work on their college applications – a great way for them to practice time management and reduce their stress levels in the busy fall application season. Includes a Summer College Checklist. *Presented by college counselor Nick Soper and teen therapist Kristine Tye of TeenLAUNCH.*

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## Blackout Poetry

**Fri, Jul 12 | 2:00 to 4:00 pm | Teens & Adults | Lobby & Central Courtyard**

Unleash your inner poet and artist by bringing new meaning and life to old book pages. Create a poem by selecting certain words on a page and marking through the rest with a permanent marker or adding an illustration around the text. *Presented as part of Santa Monica Reads.*

## Life Lessons: What High School Didn't Teach You

**2:00 pm [2 HRS.] | Recent High School Grads & College Students | Multipurpose Rm**

Take the fear and uncertainty of "adulting" away by attending our workshops before you go off to college or live on your own! We're bringing in experts to educate you on budgeting, avoiding credit card debt, and managing your time. *Limited to 25 people. Registration required; registration opens June 15.*

- **Tue, Jul 16 – How to Find a Job; Time and Stress Management**

*Presented by Santa Monica College Career Services Staff.*

- **Wed, Jul 17 – How to Prepare for an Interview; How Not to Get Fired**

*Presented by Chrysalis Staff.*

- **Thu, Jul 18 – Don't Be Broke: Managing Your Money; Avoiding Credit Card Debt**

*Presented by financial expert and author Natalie Torres.*

## Family Game Night

**Thursdays, Jul 25 & Aug 29 | 6:30 to 8:00 pm | Families**

Back by popular demand! Play our board games or bring your own! Pizza provided.

## 📖 Dog Days @ The Library

**Sat, Aug 24 | All Ages**

Puppy love at the library! Canine crafts, a screening of *Pick of the Litter* (2018), and more four-legged fun for all ages! Complete your Summer Reading goals by reading to a Paws 2 Read therapy dog. See flyer for details.

- **11:00 am to 1:00 pm: Crafts and Activities**

- **1:00 pm: Movie Screening**

## 📖 Teen Advisory Council

**Mon, Aug 26 | 4:00 pm [60 MIN.] | High School Students Only**

Learn leadership, event-planning and customer-service skills as you serve throughout the academic year, advocating for the library and working on special projects with your peers in exchange for community service hours and letters of recommendation for college, jobs and internships. Meetings are twice monthly, on Monday afternoons. More info: 310-458-8604.



SATURDAY  
JUNE 15  
THROUGH  
SATURDAY  
AUGUST 24  
  
GRADES  
6 AND UP

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## FAIRVIEW BRANCH

2101 OCEAN PARK BLVD • 310-458-8681

### Volunteer at Fairview Library

Looking for opportunities to serve your community? Earn community service credit over the summer by helping with special projects and programs at the library. Call branch for details. For grades 7-12.

### Experience Outer Space through Virtual Reality

Wed, Jul 31 | 2:00pm [60 MIN.] | Ages 13-18

Did you ever wish you could travel to outer space? Well now you can with Oculus Rift VR! Join us for an "out of this world" experience. *Must be at least 13 yrs. old to wear equipment.*

### Bullet Journaling 101

Wed, Aug 21 | 3:00pm [60 MIN.] | Ages 10-15

Stay on track this school year with a bullet journal, a fun and creative way to organize your life. *Supplies provided.*

## MONTANA AVE BRANCH

1704 MONTANA AVE • 310-458-8682

### LED Constellation Card

Tue, Jun 25 | 4:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 6-12

Make a paper circuit of your zodiac sign that can light up!

### Space Trivia Night

Wed, Jun 26 | 6:30pm [60 MIN.] | Families

Test your knowledge of the universe to win prizes at this fun trivia event. We'll be using Kahoot, an online program, and will have a limited number of laptops for use. Optional: use your mobile device.

### VR & Retro Games

Tue, Jul 16 | 2:00pm [90 MIN.] | Ages 13-18

Escape to outer space with Oculus Rift and play classic games on Raspberry Pi. *Must be at least 13 yrs. old to wear equipment.*

### Searching for Asteroids

Fri, Jul 19 | 2:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 6-12

Spacecraft engineer Eric Rice will talk about how Jet Propulsion Laboratory builds space telescopes to discover asteroids.

## OCEAN PARK BRANCH

2601 MAIN STREET • 310-458-8683

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### We Read Diverse Books #weneeddiversebooks

Wed, Jun 26 | 7:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 8-12 & Adults

Join librarians as they share their favorite diverse reads.

### Mini Makers: Decorative Bookends

Tue, Aug 6 | 4:30-5:30pm | Ages 13-18

Use your creativity to decorate a bookend or two and add it to your own home library! *Materials provided.*

### Mars InSight Mission

Thu, Aug 15 | 7:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 8-12 & Adults

Dr. Farah Alibay, a space systems engineer at Jet Propulsion Laboratory (JPL), discusses her work on a mission called InSight, a Mars lander that safely touched down on the red planet in November 2018.

## PICO BRANCH

2201 PICO BOULEVARD • 310-458-8684

### Summer Reading Volunteer Training

Tue, Jun 4 | 4:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 8-12 | The Annex

Teens entering grades 8-12 in the fall are welcome to volunteer with the Summer Reading Program at Pico Branch! Register at the branch and attend this mandatory training. *Limited space.*

### 50th Anniversary of the

### Apollo 11 Moon Landing: An Artifact Display

Sat, Jun 15 | 10:00am to 1:00pm | All Ages | Front of Library

Columbia Memorial Space Center is celebrating the Apollo 11 Moon Landing and we want you to be part of it. See Apollo artifacts, participate in an activity, and sign up for Summer Reading.

### Zine Workshop: Pride Month

Thu, Jun 20 | 3:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 6-12 | The Annex

Zines (short for magazines) are easy to make and reproduce, and can be about any topic you like. This month, learn about LGBTQ zines and get inspired to create a zine of your own! *All materials provided; no registration necessary.*

### The Art of Bookmaking

Mon, Jul 8 | 5:30pm [90 MIN.] | Grades 6-12 | The Annex

Discover the artist and writer within while learning bookmaking skills in this hands-on workshop led by 18th Street Arts Center artist Debra Disman. *Space is limited and registration is required.*

### Learn to DJ

Sat, Jul 20 | 2:00pm [60 MIN.] | Grades 9-12 | The Annex

DJ Hapa shows you how to work the turntables, mixers and other equipment. Get hands-on experience in this workshop with a working, professional DJ. *Registration required; limited to 20 students.*

### Learn to Skateboard with GrlSwirl

Thu, Aug 8 | 5:00pm [120 MIN.] | Grades 4-12 | The Annex

Attend this interactive workshop to learn the basics of skateboarding and create skating-inspired art. Led by GrlSwirl, a Venice non-profit with a mission to bring equity to skateboarding and encourage sisterhood. *Space is limited and registration is required.*

☰: THIS PROGRAM IS A SAMO PRIDE MONTH EVENT

## LIBRARY HOURS THE MAIN & BRANCH LIBRARIES WILL BE CLOSED THURSDAY, JULY 4

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: CLOSED



WEB **smpl.org**

Check out all the latest news on teen events and link to resources for homework and research.

All programs are free and the public is cordially invited to attend.