

Children's – Early Learning

So You Want to Learn a New Language: Hebrew

Herndon Branch

Fridays, September 1–22, 10:30 a.m.

Join us for a fun-filled language learning experience designed for your preschooler with hands-on activities, songs and interactive technology using our Little Pim Database powered by Mango Languages. We will be learning Hebrew. Ages 3–5.

Baby Bash

Southwest Branch

Friday, September 1, 10:30 a.m.

Alafaya Branch

Monday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.

Bring your baby to our fun series where we will sing, play and work on developing motor skills. Ages 0–2.

Storytime Crafts

Winter Garden Branch

Fridays, September 1–29, 10:30 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch

Tuesdays, September 5–26, 10:35 a.m.

Drop in after storytimes to create a make-and-take craft. Ages 3–5.

Cuentame un Cuento: Tell Me a Story Bilingual Stories and Fun

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, September 1, 11 a.m.

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, September 2, 11 a.m.

Windermere Branch

Monday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.

Enjoy bilingual stories and crafts for children. The Library provides an interactive storytime in English and Spanish suitable for speakers of either or both languages. The whole family is welcome.

Can You Touch Taste Hear Smell See?

South Creek Branch

Saturday, September 2, 11 a.m.

Edgewater Branch

Friday, September 8, 10:30 a.m.

Hiawassee Branch

Friday, September 8, 11 a.m.

South Trail Branch

Tuesday, September 12, 4:30 p.m.

Herndon Branch

Thursday, September 21, 10:30 a.m.

West Oaks Branch

Thursday, September 28, 2 p.m.

Sense your way to the library for fun stories, games and crafts about touch, taste, hearing, sight and smell. Ages 3–5.

Busy as a Bee!

Eatonville Branch

Tuesday, September 5, 10:30 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Tuesday, September 5, 10:30 a.m.

Hiawasse Branch

Friday, September 15, 11 a.m.

Orlando Public Library

Wednesday, September 20, 10 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch

Wednesday, September 20, 11 a.m.

Edgewater Branch

Friday, September 22, 10:30 a.m.

Windermere Branch

Tuesday, September 26, 10:30 a.m.

Herndon Branch

Thursday, September 28, 10:30 a.m.

Buzz on down to the library to learn about bees and engage in skill building activities guaranteed to keep your little one busy. Ages 2–4.

Soar Into Science

North Orange Branch

Tuesdays, September 5–26, 11 a.m.

Start learning some basic science skills through stories, activities, crafts and resources from Miss Humblebee's Academy. Ages 3–5.

SMART Start

Orlando Public Library

Wednesday, September 6, 10 a.m.

Southwest Branch

Wednesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m.

Edgewater Branch

Thursdays, September 14 & 28, 10:30 a.m.

Make way for hands-on early learning adventures observing science, math and art in a sensory-rich environment. Dress for a mess. Ages 2–4. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Kids Corner Crafts

North Orange Branch

Wednesdays, September 6–27, 10:30 a.m.

Kids can create a fun craft each week! Ages 3–5.

K Ready!

North Orange Branch

Mondays, September 11–25, 10:30 a.m.

South Creek Branch

Wednesdays, September 7–28, 10:30 a.m.

This eight-part series readies preschool children to excel in kindergarten through creative play, cooperative learning and activities that stimulate the imagination! This series introduces important concepts and skills

that align with the Florida Early Learning and Developmental Standards for Four-Year-Olds. In order to fully experience this series, please register and attend all eight sessions. For more information, call 407.835.7323 or visit ocls.info/kready. Ages 4–5.

Mama Goose for Little Geese

Chickasaw Branch

Wednesday, September 6, 11 a.m.

North Orange Branch

Mondays, September 11–25, 11 a.m.

Enjoy nursery rhyme themed learning, fun and activities with your little goose. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Literacy & Locomotion

Orlando Public Library

Wednesday, September 13, 10 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch

Monday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.

Help your child learn by playing as we weave early literacy practices into fun interactive stories, songs, rhythm and dance. Ages 2–5. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Peek A Who

Chickasaw Branch

Thursday, September 7, 11 a.m.

You are invited to hang out with Owl and his night friends. Reading is a hoot with these songs, stories, activities and more! Ages 3–5.

All Aboard!

West Oaks Branch

Thursday, September 7, 2 p.m.

Chugga-chugga choo-choo, all aboard! Become a conductor and join us for trainloads of stories and crafts. Ages 3–5.

Leap Into Letters

Herndon Branch

Thursday, September 7, 10:30 a.m.

Practice phonics and letter recognition through stories, activities and crafts. Ages 3–5.

Artsy Toddler

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, September 8, 11 a.m.

North Orange Branch

Fridays, September 8 & 29, 11 a.m.

Alafaya Branch

Monday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.

Southwest Branch

Monday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.

Paint, paste, glue, stamp and create! Young children will enjoy stories, songs and exploring age-appropriate art experiences. Ages 1–3.

Little Chef: Rainbow Fruit Pizza

Southwest Branch

Friday, September 8, 10:30 a.m.

Windermere Branch

Monday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.

West Oaks Branch

Thursday, September 14, 2 p.m.

North Orange Branch

Friday, September 15, 11 a.m.

Orlando Public Library

Monday, September 18, 10:30 a.m.

You're never too young to start cooking! Bring your little one to learn about kitchen safety, pouring, measuring, smearing, tasting and presentation skills as you interact with hands-on recipes. This class is a "Mommy or Daddy and me" event. Ages 3–5. Space is limited. Registration required.

Under the Sea

South Creek Branch

Saturday, September 9, 11 a.m.

Travel under the sea and discover all the treasures therein with activities, crafts and more. Ages 3–5.

Move and Play

Alafaya Branch

Monday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.

Shake and shimmy, move and groove and play along with our favorite songs for a musical morning! Ages 2–5.

Stories & Stretches

Southwest Branch

Monday, September 11, 10:30 a.m.

Calling all little yogis and wiggleworms! Join us for a special movement storytime focusing on motor development that is filled with stories, songs and fun! Ages 2–5.

Bubble Playtime

Alafaya Branch

Wednesday, September 6, 10:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Tuesday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.

Southwest Branch

Friday, September 15, 10:30 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch

Thursday, September 21, 11 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.

Help your child with their motor-development skills in this interactive bubble class. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers. Limited space available.

Busy Builders

Herndon Branch

Tuesdays, September 12 & 26, Noon

Saturday, September 30, 11 a.m.

Come in and join us for some fun independent play and building activities! Ages 1–6.

Fin-tastic Tales

Chickasaw Branch

Wednesday, September 13, 11 a.m.

A swim-sational time with songs, stories and activities inspired by Nick Jr.'s *Bubble Guppies* awaits you! Ages 3–5.

Toddler Carnival

Herndon Branch

Thursday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.

Hiawassee Branch

Friday, September 22, 11 a.m.

West Oaks Branch

Sunday, September 24, 2:30 p.m.

Southwest Branch

Monday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.

Orlando Public Library

Wednesday, September 27, 10 a.m.

Come one, come all! Step right up with your little one to enjoy magnificent carnival games and a festive themed story. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Autumn Apples

Chickasaw Branch

Thursday, September 14, 11 a.m.

North Orange Branch

Friday, September 22, 11 a.m.

An apple a day may keep the doctor away, but apple-themed crafts and activities are just plain fun! Come celebrate the season of fall with everything apple. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Fall Festival

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, September 15, 11 a.m.

Celebrate fall with stories, games and activities featuring apples, pumpkins and autumn leaves. Ages 3–5.

Storybook Yoga

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, September 16, 11 a.m.

Join us for an introduction to yoga with Maggie Mathwich. Learn poses inspired by your favorite picture books. Ages 3–6. Registration required.

Use Your Hands

Winter Garden Branch

Tuesday, September 19, 10:30 a.m.

Herndon Branch

Wednesday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.

Windermere Branch

Monday, September 25, 10:30 a.m.

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, September 29, 11 a.m.

Winter Garden Branch

Saturday, September 30, 10:30 a.m.

Bring your toddler or preschooler to participate in activities designed to develop their fine motor skills. Ages 2–6.

Curious George Cartoon & Craft

West Oaks Branch

Thursday, September 21, 2 p.m.

Come see what Curious George has gotten himself into this time with a preschool-friendly cartoon screening and craft. Ages 3–5.

Tummy Time Sensory Play

Orlando Public Library

Friday, September 22, 10 a.m.

Interact with your little one as they play in their surroundings, stimulate their senses and become little explorers! Babies 0–6 months are welcome and encouraged! This class is a “Mommy or Daddy and me” event and floor blankets are recommended.

Preschool Dance Party

Chickasaw Branch

Friday, September 22, 11 a.m.

Get up off the floor as we play along with lively songs and dancing. Just say the magic words, “Dance Party!” Ages 3–5.

Little Bugs

Winter Garden Branch

Saturday, September 23, 10:30 a.m.

Let’s grow and play as we learn about our favorite bugs with interactive stations for all! Ages 2–4.

Parachute Play

Winter Garden Branch

Tuesday, September 26, 10:30 a.m.

It’s time for toddler fun at a special parachute playtime. Enjoy rhymes, songs and tons of parachute fun. Ages 18 months–3 years. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Crazy Caterpillar

Chickasaw Branch

Wednesday, September 27, 11 a.m.

Follow the crazy caterpillar for games and crawly fun! Ages 3–5.

Rock Star Fiesta

Chickasaw Branch

Thursday, September 28, 11 a.m.

You are invited for a rockin’ good time at the biblioteca with bilingual stories and activities! Ages 3–5.

Toddler Playground

Southwest Branch

Friday, September 29, 10:30 a.m.

Toddlers use unstructured play to advance their physical and cognitive development and to have FUN! This drop-in event will feature age appropriate toys for children and their caregivers to use for play and learning. Ages 1–3.

Sunshine Storytime

Orlando Public Library

Saturday, September 30, 11 a.m.

You are invited to a welcoming storytime with songs, stories and interactive play. This storytime is designed for children who prefer small group activities or have sensory, social or developmental challenges. Ages 3–8. Registration required.

Children’s – Contest

Check It Out: Merlin Entertainments

All Locations: September 1–29, 2017

Check out five items with your library card at any library location, September 1–29, and, while supplies last, receive a coupon for a free Child Ticket with the purchase of one Adult Ticket to Merlin Entertainments, home of the Coca-Cola Orlando Eye, SEA LIFE Orlando Aquarium and Madame Tussauds Orlando.

Merlin Entertainments, the second largest attraction operator in the world, invites you to experience three of its top global brands in the heart of Orlando’s International Drive. At I-Drive 360, guests can take flight on the iconic Coca-Cola Orlando Eye, a 400-foot tall observation wheel with breathtaking views of Central Florida; dive deep into three oceans of the world by exploring SEA LIFE Orlando Aquarium and its 360-degree ocean tunnel, floor-to-ceiling displays and bubble aquariums; or indulge in the ultimate fame experience at Madame Tussauds Orlando, the unparalleled celebrity wax attraction.

This promotion is only for OCLS juvenile cardholders (0–17 years) with a regular, property owner or fee card in good standing. In-person check out only. Coupons will not be mailed. Not valid for previous checkouts, home delivery or e-book downloads. Coupon may be redeemed for one free child admission with the purchase of adult admission to a single attraction at Merlin Entertainments. Original coupon must be presented in order to redeem offer and cannot be combined with other offers or used on advanced or online ticket purchases. Coupon expires 12/31/17. See coupon for more details.