Early Learning Events (Ages 0-5)

Get Ready for K
Washington Park Branch
*Mondays, May 1–22, 10:15 a.m.*
Eatonville Branch
*Tuesday, May 2, 10:15 a.m.*
Hiawassee Branch
*Tuesdays, May 2 & 9, 10:15 a.m.*
Preschoolers will hear songs and stories to help them begin learning the skills that they will need to start kindergarten. The series of six events will introduce reading, math, basic concepts, basic skills, health and safety and art. Ages 3–5. Registration is required. Call 407.835.7323 to register. Get more ideas to prepare your child at [ocls.info/kindergarten](http://ocls.info/kindergarten).

SMART Start
Alafaya Branch
*Monday, May 1, 10:30 a.m.*
Orlando Public Library
*Wednesday, May 3, 10 a.m.*
Winter Garden Branch
*Thursday, May 18, 10:30 a.m.*

Tiny House: Garage Play
Chickasaw Branch
*Monday, May 1, 10:30 a.m.*
Inviting little explorers to learn, grow and play with garage inspired activities! Ages 2–4. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Mama Goose for Little Geese
Southwest Branch
*Monday, May 1, 10:30 a.m.*
Windermere Branch
*Monday, May 15, 10:30 a.m.*
Hiawassee Branch
*Friday, May 19, 11 a.m.*
West Oaks Branch
*Sunday, May 21, 2:30 p.m.*
Orlando Public Library
*Wednesday, May 24, 10 a.m.*
Enjoy nursery rhyme themed learning, fun and activities with your little goose. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Red, Yellow, Blue
Windermere Branch
*Monday, May 1, 10:30 a.m.*
Chickasaw Branch
*Wednesday, May 10, 11 a.m.*
Herndon Branch  
**Thursday, May 11, 10:30 a.m.**  
Join us for an adventure in colors as we share stories, songs and activities starring the three primary colors: red, yellow and blue. Ages 3–5.

**So You Want to Learn a New Language – American Sign Language**  
North Orange Branch  
**Tuesdays, May 2–30, 11 a.m.**  
This fun-filled language learning experience is designed for your preschooler with hands-on activities, songs and interactive technology using our Little Pim Database powered by Mango Languages. Ages 3–5. Registration required.

**Sensory Play: Star Wars Edition**  
Herndon Branch  
**Tuesday, May 2, 12:30 p.m.**  
Explore the galaxy through touch, sight, smell and taste! Ages 1–6.

**Bubble Playtime**  
Alafaya Branch  
**Wednesday, May 3, 10:15 a.m. & 10:45 a.m.**  
Hiawassee Branch  
**Friday, May 5, 11 a.m.**  
Winter Garden Branch  
**Thursday, May 11, 10:30 a.m.**  
Chickasaw Branch  
**Thursday, May 18, 11 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.**  
Southwest Branch  
**Friday, May 26, 10:30 a.m.**  
Help your child with their motor-development skills in this interactive bubble class. Recommended for toddlers and preschoolers. Limited space available.

**Toddler Playground**  
Southwest Branch  
**Wednesday, May 3, 10:15 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.

**Rails and Tales**  
Chickasaw Branch  
**Wednesday, May 3, 11 a.m.**  
Edgewater Branch  
**Thursday, May 4, 10:15 a.m.**  
Hiawassee Branch  
**Friday, May 12, 11 a.m.**  
Southwest Branch  
**Monday, May 15, 10:30 a.m.**  
Orlando Public Library  
**Wednesday, May 17, 10 a.m.**
Herndon Branch  
Wednesday, May 17, 10:30 a.m.  
All aboard for exciting stories and activities about trains. Dress for a mess and come ready to play. Ages 2–4.

Artsy Toddler  
Winter Garden Branch  
Thursday, May 4, 10:30 a.m.  
North Orange Branch  
Fridays, May 5 & 19, 11 a.m.  
Southwest Branch  
Mondays, May 8 & 22, 10:30 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Monday, May 15, 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.

Use Your Hands  
North Orange Branch  
Thursdays, May 4–25, 11 a.m.  
Bring your toddler or preschooler to participate in activities designed to develop their fine motor skills. Ages 2–6. Registration recommended.

A Trip Back in Time  
West Oaks Branch  
Thursdays, May 4 & 18, 2 p.m.  
Grab your time travel gear and get ready to set off! This preschool series will introduce different historical periods through stories, activities and crafts. Ages 3–5.

Baby Bash  
Southwest Branch  
Friday, May 5, 10:30 a.m.  
Winter Garden Branch  
Monday, May 15, 11:15 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Monday, May 22, 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.

Mini Matisse  
South Creek Branch  
Saturday, May 6, 11 a.m.  
Learn about famous artist Henri Matisse and create your own bold and colorful work of art inspired by his cut-paper technique. Ages 3–5.

Mooove and Groooove  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturday, May 6, 2 p.m.  
Join us as we enjoy cow-themed stories, songs and games! Expect a special appearance by the Chick-fil-A cow courtesy of the Waterford Lakes Chick-fil-A.
Sensory Toys
Alafaya Branch
*Monday, May 8, 10:30 a.m.*
Get unplugged and join the fun of learning through play with sensory toys. Ages 1–3.

Bubble, Bubble, POP!
Eatonville Branch
*Monday, May 8, 10:30 a.m.*
Southwest Branch
*Wednesday, May 17, 10:15 a.m.*
Orlando Public Library
*Wednesday, May 31, 10 a.m.*
Blow, pop and explore with bubbles! Your toddler will have a blast hearing stories and creating their very own sudsy fun. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Barn Dance
Windermere Branch
*Monday, May 8, 10:30 a.m.*
Chickasaw Branch
*Wednesday, May 17, 11 a.m.*
Spring is here! Join chick and his barnyard friends for a fun-filled time with stories, activities and more! Ages 3–5.

Literacy & Locomotion
Orlando Public Library
*Wednesday, May 10, 10 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.

Little Bugs!
North Orange Branch
*Friday, May 12, 11 a.m.*
Edgewater Branch
*Thursday, May 18, 10:15 a.m.*
Herndon Branch
*Thursday, May 18, 10:30 a.m.*
Winter Garden Branch
*Saturday, May 23, 10:30 a.m.*
Orlando Public Library
*Monday, May 22, 10 a.m.*
Eatonville Branch
*Tuesday, May 23, 11 a.m.*
Chickasaw Branch
*Wednesday, May 24, 11 a.m.*
Let’s learn, grow and play as we learn about our favorite bugs with interactive stations for all! Ages 2–4.

Piggy Party
Alafaya Branch
Saturday, May 13, 11 a.m.
Grab your wellies and join us for lots and lots of fun! Enjoy stories, games and crafts about your favorite muddy-puddle-loving pig. Ages 3 and up.

Toddler Fingers, Toes, Hands and Feet!
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, May 15, 10:30 a.m.
Clap and stomp with your toddler at this event filled with a bit of messy art and play. Ages 18 months–3 years.

Storybook Yoga
Orlando Public Library
Saturday, May 20, 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.

Parachute Play
Chickasaw Branch
Monday, May 22, 10:30 a.m.
Winter Garden Branch
Thursday, May 25, 10:30 a.m.
Bring your toddlers for a special parachute playtime. Enjoy rhymes, songs and tons of parachute fun. Ages 18 months–3 years. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Sticky Toddlers
North Orange Branch
Friday, May 26, 11 a.m.
Explore all things sticky, from clingy art to gooey explorations, with your toddlers! Come dressed and ready to get a little sticky. Ages 18 months–3 years. Seating is limited. Registration recommended.

Get Active with Science
Winter Garden Branch
Saturday, May 27, 10:30 a.m.
Explore movement and literature while we walk through a series of basic concepts using science! Ages 3–5.

Rhyme Time
South Creek Branch
Saturday, May 27, 11 a.m.
This storytime features rhymes, songs, crafts and activities. Ages 3–5.