# What's On At The Library

September-October 2019







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All programs are free and drop-in, unless otherwise noted. All programs are filled on a first come, first served basis.

Children 10 years of age and younger must have a caregiver in the library at all times. Library programs are for everyone. If a participant with a disability is accompanied by a support person, the support person will be admitted at no charge.

For more information about a program, please contact the library location. **Registration and ticket sales begin on Saturday, August 17**. Programs fill up quickly, so register/purchase tickets early to avoid disappointment.

**R** = registration required **T** = ticketed events

Libraries are closed: Monday September 2 (Labour Day) and Monday October 14 (Thanksgiving).

# Land Acknowledgement Statement

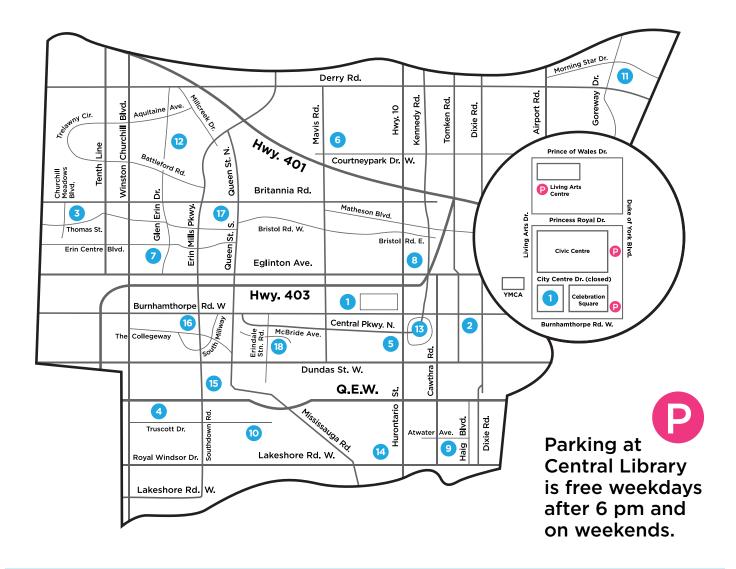
We acknowledge the land on which we stand is part of the Treaty Lands and Territory of the Mississaugas of the Credit First Nation Territory, Traditional Territory of the Anishinaabe, Huron-Wendat, Haudenosaunee and Ojibway-Chippewa Sovereign Nations. This Territory is covered by the Upper Canada Treaties, as well as the Dish with One Spoon Wampum Belt Covenant. We are grateful to have the opportunity to work with the community on this Territory.

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# **Library Locations**

- **Central Library** 301 Burnhamthorpe Rd. W. 905-615-3500
- 2 Burnhamthorpe Library 3650 Dixie Rd. 905-615-4635
- **3 Churchill Meadows Library** 3801 Thomas St. 905-615-4735
- 4 Clarkson Library 2475 Truscott Dr. 905-615-4840
- 5 Cooksville Library 3024 Hurontario St., Suite 212 905-615-4855
- 6 Courtneypark Library 730 Courtneypark Dr. W. 905-615-4745

- **7 Erin Meadows Library** 2800 Erin Centre Blvd. 905-615-4750
- 8 Frank McKechnie Library 310 Bristol Rd. E. 905-615-4660
- 9 Lakeview Library 1110 Atwater Ave. 905-615-4805
- **Lorne Park Library** 1474 Truscott Dr. 905-615-4845
- 1 Malton Library 3540 Morning Star Dr. 905-615-4640
- **12 Meadowvale Library** 6655 Glen Erin Dr. 905-615-4710

- Mississauga Valley Library
  1275 Mississauga Valley Blvd.
  905-615-4670
- A Port Credit Library 20 Lakeshore Rd. E. 905-615-4835
- **15 Sheridan Library** 2225 Erin Mills Pkwy. 905-615-4815
- **16 South Common Library** 2233 South Millway Dr. 905-615-4770
- **Streetsville Library** 112 Queen St. S. 905-615-4785
- 18 Woodlands Library 3255 Erindale Station Rd. 905-615-4825

# A

# Early Literacy Begins With **You**.

You are your child's first teacher and your home is where your child begins to learn. Learning to read begins before children start school. Developing early literacy skills will make it easier for children to read once they begin school. Help your child get ready to read with these simple activities every day.



# Jalking

Talking with children is one of the best ways to help them learn new words and information.



# Playing

Children learn a lot about language through play. Playing helps children express themselves and put thoughts into words and to think symbolically.



# Reading

Reading together is the single most important way to help children get ready to read.



# Singing

Singing, which also includes rhyming, increases children's awareness of the sounds in words. This helps prepare children to read print.



# Writing

Writing and reading go together. Scribbling and writing help children learn that letters and words stand for sounds and that print has meaning.

# Children

# Storytime

Storytime encourages a lifelong love of reading, builds reading readiness in children, and shows parents and caregivers how to help their child get ready for and excited about reading.

# **Family Storytime**

Join us for a weekly interactive program with stories, songs, rhymes and early literacy activities that the whole family will continue to enjoy at home! All Ages. 6 weeks. 30 min.

Central Tuesdays Sep 17-Oct 22 | 11:15 am Central Wednesdays Sep 18-Oct 23 | 7 pm Central Saturdays Sep 21-Oct 26 | 11 am Burnhamthorpe Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6 pm Churchill Meadows Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10 am Clarkson Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 6:30 pm Clarkson Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 11:15 am Cooksville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:30 am Erin Meadows Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 7 pm Frank McKechnie Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 10:30 am Lakeview Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:15 am Lorne Park Tue Oct 15 | 4:30 pm Malton Fridays Sep 20-Oct 25 | 4 pm Meadowvale Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10 am Meadowvale Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7 pm Mississauga Valley Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10 am Port Credit Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 4 pm Sheridan Mon Oct 14 | 10 am South Common Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm Streetsville Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 11 am Streetsville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6:30 pm Woodlands Tuesdays Sep 17-Oct 22 | 7 pm Woodlands Thursdays Sep 19-Oct 24 | 10:15 am

# **Halloween Storytime**

What a treat this is! Wear your favourite costume or come as you are to enjoy some Halloween themed stories, songs, rhymes, and early literacy activities. All Ages. 30 min.

Cooksville Sat Oct 26 | 2 pm
 Cooksville Tue Oct 29 | 7 pm
 Lakeview Fri Oct 25 | 10:15 am
 Lorne Park Tue Oct 22 | 4:30 pm
 Meadowvale Thu Oct 31 | 10 am
 South Common Sat Oct 26 | 2 pm
 Woodlands Tue Oct 29 | 7 pm
 Woodlands Thu Oct 31 | 10:15 am

# Stay & Play

Playing is an important early literacy activity that helps children put thoughts into words. We welcome you and your child to "stay & play" after storytime! All Ages. 6 weeks. 30 min.

 Central Mondays Sep 16-Oct 21 | 10:45 am Burnhamthorpe Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6:30 pm Churchill Meadows Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10:30 am Cooksville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 11 am Cooksville Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7:30 pm Lakeview Wed Sep 11-Oct 16 | 11 am Lakeview Fri Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:45 am Malton Sat Sep 28, Oct 12, 26 | 11:30 am Sheridan Mon Oct 14 | 10:30 am Streetsville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 11 am Streetsville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 11 am

# "Welcome to Canada" Family Storytime

Join us for stories, songs, music and rhymes with an emphasis on simple English vocabulary and concepts. This program helps build early literacy skills and empowers parents and caregivers to be their child's first and best teacher. All Ages. 6 weeks. 30 min.

Central Thursdays Sep 19-Oct 24 | 7 pm Cooksville Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7 pm

# **Baby Storytime**

Sing, clap, bounce, tickle, laugh and read together with your baby! It's never too early to introduce your child to books and reading. Ages Birth-18 months. 6 weeks. 45 min.

Central Mondays Sep 16-Oct 21 | 10 am
 Courtneypark Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 2 pm
 Erin Meadows Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 7 pm
 Frank McKechnie Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 10:30 am
 Lakeview Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:15 am
 Lorne Park Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 4:30 pm
 Meadowvale Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10 am
 Mississauga Valley Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10 am
 South Common Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm
 Port Credit Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 4 pm

# Wee Ones Storytime

Sing, clap, bounce, tickle, laugh and read together with your wee ones! It's never too early to introduce your child to books and reading. Ages Birth-36 months. 6 weeks. 45 min.

Central Tuesdays Sep 17-Oct 22 | 10 am
 Clarkson Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10:30 am
 Port Credit Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10:30 am
 Streetsville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10:15 am
 Streetsville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:15 am

# **Toddler Storytime**

This program features shared stories, silly songs, dancing, interactive rhymes and lots of fun for children with a parent or caregiver. Ages 18-36 months. 6 weeks. 45 min.

Central Thursdays Sep 19-Oct 24 | 10 am
 Burnhamthorpe Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10 am
 Courtneypark Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 9:30 am
 Erin Meadows Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 10:30 am
 Lorne Park Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10:15 am
 R South Common Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 10:30 am

# Preschool Storytime **R**

Get your child excited about learning to read! Stories, songs, rhymes and hands-on activities for children with a parent or caregivers. Ages 3-5. 6 weeks. 45 min.

Central Wednesdays Sep 18-Oct 23 | 10 am
 Courtneypark Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10:45 am
 Woodlands Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 10:30 am



# **Multilingual Family Storytime**

Join us for an interactive program with stories, songs, rhymes and early literacy activities in English and another language that the whole family will continue to enjoy at home! All Ages. 30 min.

# **French Family Storytime**

Malton Sat Sep 28, Oct 12, 26 | 11:00 am

# **Hindi Family Storytime**

Cooksville Tue Oct 22 | 7 pm

# **Mandarin Family Storytime**

Meadowvale Tue Sep 3, Oct 1 | 7 pm

# **Russian Family Storytime**

Woodlands Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7 pm

# **Spanish Family Storytime**

Mississauga Valley Sat Sep 7, Oct 5 | 10:30 am

# **Urdu Family Storytime**

Churchill Meadows Tue Oct 22 | 6:30 pm
 Meadowvale Sat Sep 14, Oct 12 | 11:30 am
 Mississauga Valley Sat Sep 14, Oct 12 | 10:30 am

# **Arts & Crafts**

# Spirograph Art 🔞

Create hypnotizing patterns with Spirographs. Ages 4-8. 45 min.

Sheridan Thu Sep 12 | 6 pm

# Stories & Crafts **R**

Enjoy a storytime with your child and make a craft related to one of the stories you just heard! All Ages (under 5 with caregiver). 60 min.

# Fall Fun

Churchill Meadows Sat Sep 21, Oct 19 | 2:30 pm
 Clarkson Sat Sep 28 | 11:15 am
 Meadowvale Thu Oct 3 | 10 am

# Happy Thanksgiving

Clarkson Sat Oct 12 | 11:15 am
 Courtneypark Sat Oct 12 | 2 pm
 Sheridan Fri Oct 11 | 2 pm

# Halloween

Erin Meadows Sat Oct 26 | 2:30 pm
 Sheridan Sat Oct 26 | 2 pm

# **Children's Clubs**

#### **After School Club**

Bring a friend or come on your own and enjoy art, crafts, games, puzzles, stories, and other fun activities. Ages 6-8. 60 min.

Erin Meadows Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 4 pm

# 7 & Up Club

Join us for active games, pen and paper activities, board games, simple crafts and, most of all, fun! Ages 7-8. 60 min.

Woodlands Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 3:45 pm

#### 7 & Up Book Club

Get together, share and talk about the books you have been reading. Check out what others are reading and discover all that the library has to offer. Ages 7-8. 60 min.

Woodlands Wed Oct 23 | 3:45 pm

# **EarlyON Programs in the Library**

Meet and connect with other families in your community while engaging your child in songs, stories and play. Partnered with the Region of Peel. Ages Birth-6 years. 6 weeks.

 Burnhamthorpe Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 10-11 am Courtneypark Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 9-11 am Meadowvale Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10:15-11:15 am Mississauga Valley Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 11:30 am-12:30 pm

**Port Credit** Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10 am-12 pm **Sheridan** Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10 am-12 pm

# Family Hangouts

Intergenerational activities for the whole family. Work together on a project or just have fun hanging out at the library together. All Ages. 90 min.

# **Family Feud Library Edition**

Work with your family members to challenge another family to a game of library trivia. Ages 4-8. 60 min.

Cooksville Tue Sep 24, Oct 15 | 7 pm

#### **Game Time**

Challenge your family members to a game of your choice.

Cooksville Tue Sep 3, Oct 1 | 7 pm Port Credit Sat Sep 21 | 2:30 pm

# SCIENCE LITERACY WEEK

#### Hands-On Science

Celebrate Science Literacy Week with hands-on science demonstrations. Learn more about oceans, climate change, and what action your community is taking to help! Local and national exhibitors will be sharing their expertise on a variety of topics. All Ages (under 5 with caregiver).



# **Holidays & Celebrations**

#### **Halloween Haunted House**

Come if you dare! Bring your friends and family to experience a haunted house like no other! All Ages.

Burnhamthorpe Sat Oct 26 | 2-4 pm Lakeview Thu Oct 31 | 5:30-8 pm

#### Halloween Spooktacular

Have a howling good time with your friends and family! There will be pumpkin decorating, spooky crafts, and Halloween games. All Ages. 2 hr.

Courtneypark Sat Oct 26 | 2 pm

#### **PA Day Programs**

Looking for something to do on a PA day? Join us for a variety of fun-filled programs such as storytime, movies, scavenger hunts, crafts, games, LEGO®, and much more! Ages 5-12. 60 min.

Churchill Meadows Fri Oct 11 | 2 pm
 Cooksville Fri Sep 13 | 10 am, 2 pm
 Cooksville Fri Oct 11 | 10 am, 2 pm
 Courtneypark Fri Sep 13 | 2 pm
 Courtneypark Fri Oct 11 | 2 pm
 Erin Meadows Fri Oct 11 | 10:30 am
 Lorne Park Fri Sep 13 | 2 pm
 Meadowvale Fri Oct 11 | 2 pm
 Mississauga Valley Fri Oct 11 | 11 am
 South Common Fri Sep 13, 20, Oct 11 | 2 pm
 Woodlands Fri Oct 11 | 11 am

# **Thanksgiving Celebration**

Celebrate and be thankful together with other families! Stories, songs, crafts and other fun activities for everyone. All Ages. 60 min.

Erin Meadows Sat Oct 12 | 3 pm
 Lakeview Sat Oct 12 | 2 pm
 Lorne Park Sat Oct 12 | 2 pm

# **Movies & Music**

#### **Family Movies**

Join us for a family-friendly movie. All Ages (under 5 with caregiver). 2 hr.

Frank McKechnie Sat Sep 28, Oct 26 | 2 pm Meadowvale Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6 pm

#### **Family Music Makers**

Learn basic music theory and experience the joy of making music. No musical experience necessary. Instruments provided. All Ages (under 5 with caregiver). 90 min.

#### Glockenspiel

Cooksville Tue Sep 10, Oct 8 | 7 pm
 Cooksville Fri Sep 13 | 2 pm

# **Reading Buddies**

Does your child need extra practice and some encouragement with reading? Children are paired up with a teen volunteer for one-on-one reading sessions. Priority is given to first-time applicants. Visit your library to register. Offered in 6 week sessions, see start dates below. Grades 1-3. 30 min appointments.

# Reading Buddies (English) 🛛 🕄

Central Tuesdays Sep 18-Oct 23 | 6 pm
 Burnhamthorpe Mondays Sep 9-Oct 7 | 5:30 pm
 Churchill Meadows Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6 pm
 Clarkson Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6 pm
 Courtneypark Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6-8 pm
 Erin Meadows Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6:30 pm
 Frank McKechnie Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 5 pm
 Lakeview Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10 am-12 pm
 Malton Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 5:30 pm
 Meadowvale Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 5:30 pm
 Mississauga Valley Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 5:30 pm
 South Common Tuesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6 pm

# Reading Buddies (French) 🛛 🛛 🕄

Central Tuesdays Sep 18-Oct 23 | 7 pm
 Churchill Meadows Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 6 pm
 Erin Meadows Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6:30 pm
 Frank McKechnie Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 5 pm
 Lorne Park Tuesdays Sep 17-Oct 29 | 6:30 pm
 Malton Mondays Sep 16-Oct 21 | 5:30 pm
 Port Credit Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 6 pm
 Sheridan Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm
 South Common Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 5:30 pm

# Stories with Stuffies **R**

Children are invited to bring their favourite stuffie to the library to practice reading fluency with a nonjudgemental and easy going friend. Participants are encouraged to continue this practice at home. Ages 5-7. 30 min.

Cooksville Saturdays Oct 5-Oct 26 | 10 am





# **Tweens**

# Arts & Crafts

# Crafts for Tweens **R**

Fold, cut, glue, draw, paint. Get crafty at the Library! Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Churchill Meadows Sat Sep 14, Oct 12 | 2:30 pm Meadowvale Tue Sep 24, Oct 22 | 7 pm

# **Books & Reading**

# **Spooky Stories for Tweens**

Be extra brave and ready to be spooked with some bone-chilling stories, fables, myths and tales! Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Central Wed Oct 30 | 6 pm

# Tween Book Club R

Get together with other tweens to talk about the books you have been reading. Check out what others are reading and discover all that the library has to offer! Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Burnhamthorpe Tue Sep 3, Oct 1 | 6 pm
 Churchill Meadows Wed Sep 4, Wed Oct 2 | 6 pm
 Frank McKechnie Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 4 pm

# Clubs

# Tween Scene **R**

Discover, create, learn and inspire yourself and others while making new friends at the library. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Churchill Meadows Sat Sep 28, Oct 26 | 2:30 pm
 Cooksville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 4 pm
 Malton Thursdays Sep 5-Oct 24 | 6 pm

# **Movies & Music**

# **Tween Music Maker**

Learn basic music theory and experience the joy of making music. No musical experience necessary. Instruments provided. 90 min. Ages 9-12.

# Glockenspiel

Cooksville Thu Sep 5, Oct 24 | 4 pm

# Language Learning

# **French Conversation Circle**

Practice your French language skills with other learners your age. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Erin Meadows Sat Sep 21, Oct 5, 19 | 2:30 pm

# Maker Mississauga

Maker Mississauga brings new opportunities for learning to children, teens, and adults. Making means sharing ideas, exploring new technologies, developing new skills and having fun in the process.

# **Maker Open House**

Drop in and discover all the equipment and technology available through the Mississauga Library! Robotics, Circuitry, Handicrafts, and more. All Ages. 2 hr.

Frank McKechnie Sat Oct 12 | 2 pm

# **3D Design & Printing**

# 3D Design with Tinkercad 🔞

Learn the basics of 3D design with Tinkercad. All Ages (under 12 with adult). 60 min.

Sheridan Thu Oct 17 | 6 pm

# 3D Design with Tinkercad for Tweens **R**

Learn the basics of 3D design with Tinkercad. Ages 9-12. 60 min

Meadowvale Sat Sep 21, Oct 19 | 2:30 pm

# **3D Printer Introduction**

Learn about 3D printing and the process for printing your own designs. All Ages (under 12 with adult). 30 min.

Central Wed Sep 18 | 7 pm
 Central Thu Oct 10 | 7 pm
 Burnhamthorpe Tue Sep 17, Oct 15 | 6:30 pm
 Courtneypark Mon Sep 16, Oct 21 | 7 pm
 Erin Meadows Wed Oct 23 | 7 pm
 Malton | By appointment
 Meadowvale | By appointment
 Sheridan Tue Oct 15 | 7:30 pm
 South Common Sat Sep 21, Oct 10 | 11 am

# **Building**

#### **Fusion Beads**

Use colourful plastic beads to create works of art. Ages 6-8. 60 min.

Cooksville Sat Sep 7 | 2 pm

# LEGO<sup>®</sup> Club

Drop in and build with LEGO<sup>®</sup>. Playing with LEGO<sup>®</sup> encourages STEAM learning, promotes teamwork, problem solving, cooperation and social skills. Ages 5-12. 60 min.

Central Saturdays Sep 21-Oct 26 | 9:30 am Burnhamthorpe Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm Churchill Meadows Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10:30 am Clarkson Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10 am Cooksville Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm Courtneypark Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 6:30 pm Courtneypark Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2 pm Erin Meadows Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 26 | 10 am Frank McKechnie Sat Sep 14, 21, Oct 5, 12, 19 | 2 pm Lakeview Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 3 pm Lorne Park Saturdays Sep 7-Oct 26 | 2 pm Malton Saturdays Sep 7-Oct 26 | 3 pm Meadowvale Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10 am Mississauga Valley Sep 21, 28, Oct 19, 26 | 10:30 am Sheridan Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 6 pm Streetsville Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 6 pm

# Minecraft

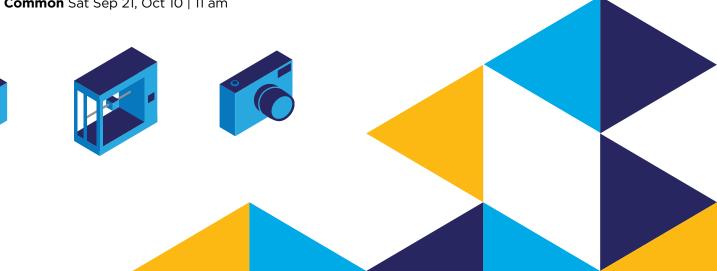
Join other Minecraft fans at the library and create a world together. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Churchill Meadows Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10:30 am
 Sheridan Thu Oct 3 | 6 pm

# **Tween Building**

Join us at the library for construction fun! Use KEVA planks, Makedo screws and other tools to build structures. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Erin Meadows Tue Jul 16 | 4 pm Meadowvale Sat Jul 27 | 10 am



# **Circuits**

Learn the basics of how electricity and circuits work with the easy to use Snap Circuits, Squishy Circuits, Makey Makey, and other circuit making kits.

# **Circuitry for Families**

All Ages. 90 min.

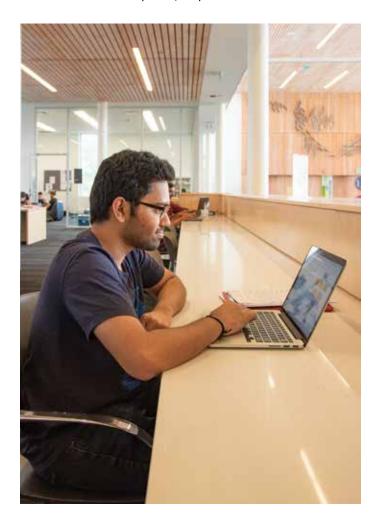
Malton Sat Oct 5 | 1 pm

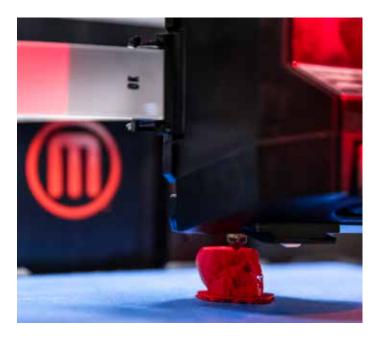
Junior Circuits Ages 4-8. 60 min.

Sheridan Thu Sep 19 | 6 pm

#### Tween Circuits Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Lakeview Tue Sep 24 | 12 pm





# **Coding & Robotics**

Learn to code through different activities. Coding programs can include hour of code, Scratch, robots, games and much more. Ages 4-8. 60 min.

Junior Coding R Ages 4-8. 60 min.

Frank McKechnie Fri Sep 13 | 3:30 pm

Tween Coding R Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Courtneypark Sat Sep 28 | 2 pm
 Lakeview Sat Sep 28 | 2 pm
 Meadowvale Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 5:30 pm
 Woodlands Sat Sep 28 | 11 am

# **Digital Editing**

# Stop Motion Animation for Families 🛛 🕄

Create your own stop motion animation movie using LEGO® characters and Lapse-It Pro on a tablet. All Ages. 90 min.

Malton Sat Sep 7, Oct 19 | 1 pm

# **Stop Motion Animation for Tweens**

Create your own stop motion animation movie using LEGO® characters and Lapse-It Pro on a tablet. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

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Lakeview Sat Oct 19 | 2 pm



# Handicraft

# Cross-Stitching for Tweens **R**

Design and create your own cross-stitching art. Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Mississauga Valley Wed Sep 11-Oct 30 | 4:30 pm

# **Knitting Circle**

Drop in with your knitting projects for a friendly, informal knitting circle. Open to all skill levels. Bring your own supplies. 90 min.

 Erin Meadows Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 2 pm Lakeview Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6 pm Lorne Park Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 7 pm
 Port Credit Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 1 pm
 South Common Mon Sep 9 | 7 pm

# Sew Your Own Halloween Costume \, 🛛 🕄

Learn the basics of working with a sewing machine, and use your skills to make your own Halloween costume! Bring your own fabric and accessories. Ages 13-19. 2 hr.

Central Oct 25, 30 | 6:30 pm

# Stitch and Sew

A knit, crochet, cross-stitch, sew, and needlework session for all levels of experience. Bring your own project to work on; get advice or give advice. All Ages. 90 min.

Clarkson Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 6:30 pm Cooksville Wed Sep 11, Oct 9 | 2 pm

# **STEAM Clubs**

#### **Makerspace Club**

Join us in our Makerspace to try out our equipment or bring your own handicraft project to work on, meet other handcrafters, get advice, or give advice! All levels of experience are welcome. 60 min.

Courtneypark Sat Oct 19 | 2 pm

#### **Junior STEAM Club**

Explore science, technology, engineering, arts and math! Explore new ideas in a fun and engaging way. Ages 4-8. 60 min.

**Burnhamthorpe** Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2:45 pm

# Teen STEAM Club

Explore science, technology, engineering, arts and math! Get inspired and discover coding, building, sewing, handicrafts, digital filmmaking and much more! Ages 13-19. 60 min.

Frank McKechnie Mon Sep 9, Oct 7 | 4 pm

# **Tween STEAM Club**

Explore science, technology, engineering, arts and math! Get inspired, become a critical thinker, create and discover new things! Ages 9-12. 60 min.

Malton Thu Sep 19, Oct 17 | 6:30 pm
 Meadowvale Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 10 am
 Sheridan Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 1 | 7 pm
 South Common Mondays Sep 9-Oct 14 | 4 pm
 Streetsville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 3:30 pm



# **Teens & Adults**



# **Arts & Crafts**

# Bad Art Night for Adults **(R)**

Come out for a night of fun and relaxation where you can create a masterpiece or disasterpiece! 90 min.

Central Wed Sep 25, Oct 30 | 6:30 pm
 Lorne Park Fri Oct 18 | 7 pm

# **Crafty Creations**

Work on a craft that you can take home and enjoy. 60 min.

Meadowvale Tue Sep 10, Oct 8 | 7 pm South Common Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 10 am

# Paint Party for Teens **R**

Set your inner artist free with our step-by-step paint session. Learn the basics and create a beautiful painting to take home. Ages 13-19. 60 min.

Central Mondays Sep 9-Sep 23, Oct 7 | 7 pm
 Courtneypark Wed Oct 2 | 6 pm & 7 pm
 Lorne Park Fri Sep 20 | 3 pm

# **Pumpkin Painting**

Help us decorate pumpkins for the Library that will stay on display until Halloween Storytime! Hosted by TAG. Ages 13-19.

Lorne Park Wed Oct 16 | 3 pm

# **Superhero Creation Station**

Get ready for MCX by drawing out your inner superhero. Ages 13-19.

All locations Oct 1-31

# **Books & Reading**

# **Book Clubs**

Love it or hate it, come and discuss it! Our Book Clubs are a great way to meet other readers and talk about books you might never have discovered yourself. Our professional book lovers (a.k.a. Mississauga Library staff) lead the groups. Print copies are available at the host location beginning one month before each session. Contact the host location for reading lists, to arrange book pick up, and for help with digital and accessible formats. New participants are always welcome! 90 min.

# **Book Club**

Central Thu Sep 26, Oct 24 | 7 pm Burnhamthorpe Mon Sep 16, Oct 21 | 10 am Churchill Meadows Wed Sep 25, Oct 23 | 7 pm Clarkson Wed Sep 4, Oct 2 | 7 pm Cooksville Thu Sep 19, Oct 17 | 7 pm Cooksville Wed Sep 25, Oct 30 | 2 pm Courtneypark Mon Sep 9, Oct 7 | 6:30 pm Erin Meadows Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 7 pm Frank McKechnie Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 10:30 am Lakeview Wed Sep 4, Oct 2 | 6:30 pm Lorne Park Thu Sep 5 | 7 pm Port Credit Tue Sep 3, Oct 1 | 10 am Sheridan Wed Sep 4, Oct 2 | 10 am South Common Wed Sep 25, Oct 30 | 6:30 pm South Common Thu Sep 26, Oct 31 | 10 am Streetsville Thu Sep 26, Oct 31 | 1:30 pm

# **Non-Fiction Book Club**

Lorne Park Thu Sep 19 | 7 pm

Social Justice Book ClubMeadowvale Tue Sep 17, Oct 15 | 7 pm

# Teen Book Club

Ages 13-19.

Central Mon Sep 30, Oct 28 | 7 pm
 Churchill Meadows Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 5 pm
 Courtneypark Tue Oct 1 | 6 pm

#### **Teen Graphic Fiction Book Club** Ages 13-19.

Lorne Park Fri Sep 13, Oct 11 | 3 pm



# Indigenous Reading Group **R**

Join traditional Indigenous Elder Cat Criger in sharing his thoughts and understanding of readings and current issues through an Indigenous lens. Participants are invited to enhance their understanding of the importance of building and deepening relationships with Indigenous Peoples. Discussions will be guided by the thoughts and guestions of the participants. Traditional Indigenous teachings and philosophies will be used to facilitate an intercultural dialogue. 2 hr.

Central Thursdays Sep 19-Oct 10 | 6 pm

# **Modernist Literature**

Dr. Sarah Copeland, Associate Professor of English at Edmonton's MacEwan University presents her take on modernist literature, using Jennifer Egan's Pulitzer Prize winning A Visit from the Goon Squad. 90 min.

Lorne Park Thu Oct 3 | 7 pm

# **Teen Read Week**

Celebrate Teen Read Week by guessing book titles and authors from short quotes. Ages 13-19.

All locations Oct 13-19



# **Celebrations & Holidays**

# Cooksville's Got Talent Auditions **R**

Audition for a spot at this year's Cooksville's Festival of Cultures on Sat Sep 21! An esteemed panel of judges will decide who gets a spot on the big stage. Register for your 15-minute time-slot by Tue Sep 10. All Ages.

Cooksville Tue Sep 17 | 6-8 pm

# **Customer Appreciation**

Celebrate your community at the Library. Enjoy entertainment, activities and light refreshments. All Ages. 2 hr.

Cooksville Wed Sep 18 | 6 pm

# **Ghosts in Our Backyard and Beyond**

Drop in and hear some scary ghost stories about historical sites in Mississauga and the surrounding area. Ages 13-19. 60 min.

Streetsville Thu Oct 24 | 6:30 pm

# Citizenship

# Canadian Citizenship: Get Ready!

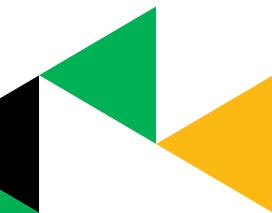
Information and orientation on eligibility requirements, application process, required documents, and how to prepare for the citizenship test. Canadian Citizenship Study Guide available to borrow from all library locations. 90 min.

Central Tue Sep 24 | 7 pm Central Wed Oct 23 | 7 pm

# Canadian Citizenship Preparation **R**

Learn about the rights and responsibilities of Canadian Citizenship, Canada's history and an overview of the Canadian Citizenship Test. Also, learn about Modern Canada, how Canadians govern themselves, as well as Federal elections, Justice System, Canadian symbols, economy and regions. Partnered with The Centre for Education & Training. 2 hr.

Malton Sep 10-12 | 6 pm



# **Computer Basics**

# **Environment & Science**

# Computer Buddies **R**

One-on-one computer learning with a teen volunteer. Suitable for beginners. Ages 55+. 60-min appointments.

Central Saturdays Sep 7-Oct 26 | 10 am-4 pm
 Burnhamthorpe Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 26 | 10 am-12 pm
 Frank McKechnie Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 11 am
 Malton Saturdays Sep 21-Oct 26 | 10 am
 Meadowvale Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 3:30-5:30 pm
 Meadowvale Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 9:30-11:30 am
 Port Credit Thursdays Sep 5-Oct 31 | 6-8 pm
 South Common Saturdays Sep 5-Oct 31 | 6-8 pm
 Streetsville Thursdays Sep 7-Oct 25 | 10 am-12 pm
 Woodlands Saturdays Oct 5-Oct 26 | 10-11 am

# Entrepreneurship

#### Business in a Box: Idea to Reality **(R**)

Want to be your own boss? Have a skill or hobby you want to turn into a business? Discover how to develop your idea, become an entrepreneur, and get support with your venture. Partnered with the Mississauga Business Enterprise Centre. 60 mins.

Erin Meadows Thu Sep 26 | 7 pm Port Credit Tue Oct 15 | 7 pm



**Climate Change and Freshwater Fish ®** Will shorter winters be bad or good for Ontario fish? Professor Bailey McMeans tells us what she's learned so far. Part of the Lecture Me! series. Partnered with UTM. 90 min.

Central Tue Oct 8 | 7 pm

#### **Climate Change and Waste Management**

Join Teresa Chan (Climate Change Specialist) and Christopher Pyke (Waste Management Supervisor) as they discuss City of Mississauga's climate change strategies and waste management tactics you can use to help. Partnered with Mississauga Environment. 90 min.

Lorne Park Thu Sep 26 | 7 pm



# **Environment & Science cont'd**



# Connecting Whales, Noise and Plastic **R**

Join Professor Christoph Richter as he traces our impact on the oceans, focusing on the effects of both plastic and noise on whales. Part of the Lecture Me! series. Partnered with UTM. 90 min

Central Tue Sep 17 | 7 pm

#### **Science of the Scary**

At a time of year when we celebrate fear, join us to explore the science behind the scary! Partnered with Royal Canadian Institute for Science. 60 min.

Central Tue Oct 15 | 7 pm

# SCIENCE LITERACY WEEK

#### **Science Scavenger Hunt**

Celebrate Science Literacy Week by completing a science scavenger hunt card at your local library to win a youth fiction book. Ages 13-19.



# Game On

#### **Board Games**

Play board games with old friends and new. Ages 13-19.

Central Saturdays Sep 14-Oct 19 | 2-4 pm
 Frank McKechnie Fri Sep 6, Oct 4 | 3:30-5 pm

# Dungeons & Dragons R

Come play the world's most famous role playing game with us! Beginners are welcome. Everything will be provided to play. Ages 13-19. 2 hr

Central Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 4 pm

# Escape Room with TAG **R**

Come play a fun escape game where players work in teams to solve a series of puzzles. Hosted by TAG. Ages 13-19. 20 min appointments.

Cooksville Fri Oct 25 | 3:30-5:30 pm

#### **Teen Gaming**

Get your game on and play against friends old and new. Ages 13-19.

 Burnhamthorpe Wed Sep 25, Oct 23 | 3:45-4:45 pm Churchill Meadows Sat Sep 7, Oct 5 | 2-3:30 pm Churchill Meadows Fri Sep 6 Oct 4 | 11 am-12:30 pm Courtneypark Wed Sep 25 | 6-8 pm Courtneypark Fri Sep 20, Oct 18 | 3-4 pm Erin Meadows Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 31 | 11 am-1 pm

# Gardening

# Beginner Seed Saving **R**

Learn the basics of seed saving, including seed labelling and selecting plants for seed. Partnered with Ecosource. 90 min.

Burnhamthorpe Thu Sep 24 | 2 pm
 Port Credit Wed Sep 26 | 6 pm
 Woodlands Thu Sep 12 | 10:30 am

# Caring for Your Green Yard **R**

Learn environmentally friendly approaches to maintaining your garden this fall and preparing it for the winter. Activities will take place both indoors and outdoors. Partnered with Credit Valley Conservation. 90 min.

Port Credit Sat Sep 28 | 10 am



# Health & Wellness

# Try-It Fitness R

Discover ways to be active that suit your ability and comfort level. These sampler classes include dance, stretching, chair yoga, meditation, chair exercise and talks on health and wellness. Sessions are delivered in partnership with Mississauga Recreation and schedules may vary by location. 60 min.

Central Tue Oct 1 | 10:45 am
 Burnhamthorpe Thu Oct 10 | 2 pm
 Cooksville Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 2 pm
 Erin Meadows Wed Oct 30 | 2 pm
 Frank McKechnie Thu Oct 17 | 2 pm
 Lakeview Thu Oct 10 | 11 am
 Malton Fri Oct 25 | 11 am
 Meadowvale Wed Oct 2 | 10 am
 Mississauga Valley Fri Oct 25 | 10:30 am
 Lorne Park Thu Oct 10 | 2 pm
 Port Credit Fri Oct 25 | 2 pm
 Sheridan Wed, Oct 9 | 10 am
 Streetsville Wed Oct 30 | 11 am

#### **Wellness Series for Newcomer Women**

Empower yourself through emotional and physical health and wellness. Partnered with Newcomer Centre of Peel. 2 hr.

Cooksville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 31 | 10 am
 Mississauga Valley Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 29 | 10 am



# **Jobs & Careers**

#### Job Hunting Resources 🛛 🔞

Library staff highlight key library resources to help you look for work, including how to research companies. 75 min.

Central Mon Sep 9, Oct 7 | 7 pm

# LinkedIn for Job Search 🛛 🔞

Learn how to use LinkedIn as a job search and networking tool, to create a professional profile, maintain a broad professional network, as well as find and reconnect with colleagues and classmates. Partnered with The Centre for Education & Training. 2 hr.

Malton Tue Oct 1 | 10 am

#### One-On-One Resume Help 🛛 🔞

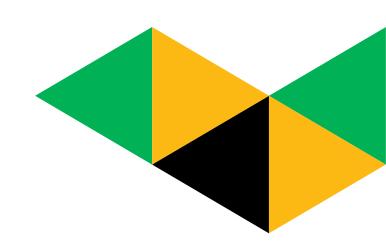
Get help in writing an effective resume and cover letter. Job hunting and interview tips are also provided. Bring a copy of your resume and cover letter. 30 min appointments.

- Central Thu Oct 17 | 1-4 pm
  Frank McKechnie Wed Sep 1, Oct 9 | 1-5 pm
  Meadowvale Tue Sep 24, Oct 22 | 10 am
  Malton Oct 1, Oct 15 | 1-3 pm
  Partnered with The Centre for Education & Training.
- Churchill Meadows Tue Sep 17, Oct 15 | 2-4 pm
  Courtneypark Thu Sep 19, Oct 17 | 12-2 pm
  Partnered with Peel Career Assessment Services Inc.
- Erin Meadows Tue Sep 24, Oct 29 | 10 am Partnered with Peel Multicultural Council.

#### **Resume and Cover Letter Workshop**

Learn the purpose of, and three main types of resumes as well as the do's and don'ts of resumes and cover letters. Partnered with The Centre for Education & Training. 2 hr.

Malton Tue Oct 15 | 10 am



# Language Learning

#### **English Conversation Circle**

Practice speaking English in a fun and relaxed environment. Meet new friends in the community. 60 min.

- Central Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 8 | 6:30 pm
  Central Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 9 | 10:30 am
  Clarkson Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 4 pm
  Cooksville Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7 pm
  Frank McKechnie Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 2 pm
  Mississauga Valley Tuesdays Sep 10-Oct 15 | 7 pm
  South Common Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 10 am
  Presented by Library staff.
- Churchill Meadows Tuesdays Sep 3-Oct 29 | 12:30 pm
  Erin Meadows Fridays Sep 6-Oct 25 | 12:30 pm
  Meadowvale Thursdays Sep 4-Oct 31 | 1 pm
  Partnered with Polycultural Immigrant
  & Community Services.
- Malton Mondays Sep 16-Oct 28 | 5:30 pm Partnered with Malton Women's Council
- Meadowvale Mondays Sep 9-Oct 29 | 4:30 pm Ages 13-19. Partnered with Big Brothers & Big Sisters of Peel.

#### **English Reading Circle**

Practice reading and comprehension with a focus on Canadian English. 60 min.

Cooksville Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 7 pm

#### Learn English Faster

Learn what to study, what not to study, and how to use your time effectively. Partnered with Professor Brett Reynolds, English Language Centre at Humber College. 60 min.

Central Thu Oct 24 | 7:30 pm

#### Prepare for IELTS **R**

Become familiar with the format of the IELTS test and learn about free preparation resources. Partnered with British Council Canada. 60 min.

Churchill Meadows Mon Oct 28 | 6:30 pm
 Frank McKechnie Tue Oct 1 | 7 pm
 Meadowvale Wed Sep 18 | 5 pm

# **Music & Movies**

#### **Film Screenings**

Watch and discuss a different film each month.

 Lorne Park Fri Sep 27, Oct 25 | 2 pm Port Credit Thu Sep 19, Oct 17 | 6 pm Sheridan Wed Sep 25, Oct 23 | 10 am Woodlands Sat Sep 14, Oct 12 | 1 pm

#### Music Makers **R**

Learn basic music theory and experience the joy of making music. No musical experience necessary. Instruments provided. 90 min.

#### Glockenspiel

Cooksville Wed Sep 4, Oct 2 | 2 pm Meadowvale Sat Sep 21 | 10 am

#### **Teen Movies**

Join us for a movie. Ages 13-19.

Burnhamthorpe Fri Oct 25 | 3:45 pm Churchill Meadows Wed Oct 30 | 4 pm

# Socials

#### **Social Hour**

Meet new friends in your community! Enjoy conversation, light refreshments and a variety of staff-led activities. 60 min.

 Burnhamthorpe Wed Sep 25, Oct 30 | 2 pm Clarkson Wednesdays Sep 11, 25, Oct 9, 23 | 11 am Cooksville Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 3 pm
 Erin Meadows Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 2 pm
 Frank McKechnie Thu Sep 19, Oct 17 | 3 pm
 Lakeview Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 6:30 pm
 Lorne Park Thursdays Oct 10-Oct 31 | 3 pm
 Malton Sep 20, Oct 18 | 11 am
 Mississauga Valley Fri Sep 27, Oct 25 | 11:30 am
 Sheridan Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 10 am
 South Common Thursdays Sep 12-Oct 17 | 7 pm
 Streetsville Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 10 am

# **Teen Newcomer Club**

Talk about experiences at school, finding work, or adjusting to a new country, in a comfortable, youthled environment. Partnered with Newcomer Centre of Peel. Ages 13-19. 90 min.

• Woodlands Fridays Sep 6-20, Oct 4-18 | 3 pm

# **Teen Scene**

Join us for new activities each week and meet new friends in the community. Ages 13-19. 90 min.

Central Wednesdays Sep 11-Oct 16 | 7 pm

# Technology



SMRTCTY: Citizen-Centred Data Governance Build your digital literacy and help co-create the city's Smart City Principles. Partnered with SMRTCTY Mississauga. Register online at smartcity.mississauga.ca or in person at the event. 3 hr.

What is Smart City Data and Data Governance?Central Tue Sep 10 | 6 pm

Smart City Data in Context Central Tue Sep 17 | 6 pm

Co-Create SMRTCTY Principles Workshop
 Central Tue Sep 24 | 6 pm



# Teen Advisory Group (TAG)

Teens attend TAG meetings where they advise, plan, and organize programs in the Library for other teens. Earn volunteer hours and make a difference in your library and community. Apply online at mississauga.ca/volunteer. Ages 13-19.

• Central Fri Sep 13, Oct 11 | 4-5:30 pm Burnhamthorpe Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 3:45-5:15 pm Churchill Meadows Wed Sep 11, Oct 9 | 5:30-7 pm **Clarkson** Wed Sep 18, Oct 2, 16, 30 | 4-5 pm Cooksville Fridays Sep 13-Oct 18 | 3:30-5 pm **Courtneypark** Wed Sep 18, Oct 9, 16, 23 | 6-8 pm Erin Meadows Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 3:30-5 pm Frank McKechnie Mon Sep 9, Oct 21 | 4-5:30 pm Lakeview Wed Sep 25, Oct 16 | 3:30-4:30 pm Lorne Park Wed Sep 11, Oct 2 | 3-5 pm Malton Wed Sep 18, Oct 16 | 5:30-7 pm Meadowvale Thu Sep 12, Oct 10 | 4-5 pm Mississauga Valley Fri Sep 6, 20, Oct 4, 18 | 4-5:30 pm Port Credit Wed Sep 4, Oct 2 | 7-8:30 pm Sheridan Thu Sep 26, Oct 10, 24 | 6:30-8 pm South Common Thu Sep 26, Oct 10, 24 | 3:30-5 pm Streetsville Sat Sep 21, Oct 19 | 11 am-12 pm Woodlands Thursdays Sep 26-Oct 31 | 3-4:30 pm

# The Amazing Library Race 🛛 🔞

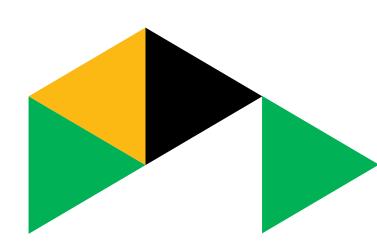
Race across Mississauga using MiWay and visit as many of our 18 library locations as possible between 11 and 3 pm. Complete challenges for points at each library; more points are awarded for distance and difficulty. Then race to the finish! Arrive at Central Library at 3 pm for a grand finale where you can gain extra points using your knowledge of Mississauga. Ages 13-19.

All Locations Sat Oct 5 | 11 am-4 pm

# **TAG Social**

Come hang out after school, listen to music, and see what TAG is all about. Ages 13-19. 90 min.

Lorne Park Wed Sep 25 | 3 pm





All MCX programs are free, drop-in, and for all ages, unless otherwise indicated.

Mississauga Central Library 301 Burnhamthorpe Rd W.

When: Fri Oct 18 & Sat Oct 19

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# Friday, Oct 18

# **Game Night**

# **Board Games**

Play new or retro board games. Partnered with LVLUP Games.

Glass Pavilion 4:30-8:30 pm

# Dungeons & Dragons R

Play with Adventurers League characters. Register at tabletop.events/conventions. Ages 13-99.

CL1, CL2, CL4, CL5 4:30-8:30 pm

# Escape Room **(R**)

Find clues to solve puzzles in this escape room adventure. Partnered with De Code Adventures. Register in-person. Ages 13-99.

Program Room B 4:30-8:30 pm

# **Friday Night Gaming**

Play a variety of fun card and table top games. Partnered with De Code Adventures. Ages 13-99.

CL3 4:30-8:30 pm

# Super Smash Bros Ultimate

Show off your skills and compete using your favorite Nintendo character.

**Noel Ryan Auditorium** 4:30-8:30 pm

# Saturday, Oct 19

# **Children's (Lower Level)**

# Superhero LEGO<sup>®</sup> Club

Build superheroes with Lego®! Ages 5-12.

Craft Room 9:30-10:30 am

# **Costume Creation Station**

Design a superhero costume to wear in the costume parade.

Light Well 10-11:30 am

# **Creative Zone**

Drop-in crafts all day including buttons, magnets, bookmarks and more.

Craft Room 11 am-4 pm

Superhero Storytime Superhero stories, songs, and activities.

Story Room 11-11:30 am

#### Children's Costume Parade Come show off your costumes at MCX!

Lighthouse 11:30 am-12 pm

# **Maker Open House**

Try out coding, electronics, handicrafts, and digital design.

Story Room 12-4 pm

# **Drawing Cartoons**

Join cartoonist Megan Kearney (Disney Princess comic series) to learn how to draw cartoon characters.

Light Well 1-2 pm

# **Ground Floor**

# **Board Games**

Play new and retro board games. Partnered with LVLUP Games.

Glass Pavilion 10 am-4 pm

# Escape Room **(R)**

Find clues to solve puzzles in this escape room adventure. Partnered with De Code Adventures. Register in-person. Ages 13-99.

Program Room B 10 am-4 pm

# **Sketch Challenge**

Four comic artists have 20 minutes to sketch characters selected by the audience.

Noel Ryan Auditorium 11:30 am, 3 pm

# **Creator Spotlight**

Stay tuned for our special guest announcement on Social Media.

Noel Ryan Auditorium 1-1:45 pm

#### **Behind the Scenes in Comics**

Three comic pros will share their creative process in digital comic art with live demos.

Noel Ryan Auditorium 2-2:45 pm

# **2nd Floor**

# **Indie Games Showcase**

Build superheroes with Lego! Ages 5-12.

Green Space West 10 am-4 pm

#### **Instagram Photo Booth**

Take pictures with our Instagram frame!

Yellow Art Wall 10 am-4 pm

#### Manga Lounge

Enjoy manga, origami, and anime all day.

Green Space East 10 am-4 pm

# **Post-it Note Art Gallery**

Draw a picture and add it to our art gallery.

Yellow Art Wall 10 am-4 pm

# **3rd Floor**

# **Adventurers Welcoming Party**

Learn the basics of how to play D&D! In the Canadiana Room. Ages 13-99.

 Creating D&D Characters 1-1:45 pm Drawing D&D Characters 2-2:45 pm Mini Dungeon Adventure 3-4 pm

# Dungeons & Dragons 🛛 🔞

Play with Adventurers League characters. Register at tabletop.events/conventions. Ages 13-99.

Northwest Tables 10-12 pm & 12-4 pm

# All about The Library

# 24/7 Library

# **Download and Stream**

Download our apps to enjoy free eBooks & eAudioBooks, resources, newspapers, magazines and streaming music and videos.

# **Multilingual Dial-a-Story**

Listen to children's stories in English, French and other languages. Call 905-615-3500 x5.

# **Online Learning and Research**

Access digital reference books, newspapers, scholarly journals and more. Research a variety of topics including arts, business, genealogy, health, literature and science. Learn business, software, technology and creative skills through video courses led by industry experts.

# Borrowing

# Books, Magazines, DVDS & More

Borrow from 1.25 million items including books, magazines, newspapers, DVDs, videos games, CDs and more. Place holds, renew items and manage your account and fines at mississaugalibrary.ca.

# **Books to Go**

Run your own book club with library books. Borrow reading guides and 6-15 copies of select titles. Call 905-615-3500 x3544.

# **Homebound Service**

Available to customers who are unable to visit the library due to illness or disability. Call 905-615-3500 x3544.

# Languages

The library offers materials in 23 languages. Learn English and 70 other languages with our Mango Languages app or language learning kits.

# **In-Library Services**

# Accessibility

The library offers many materials, technology and services in accessible formats. All library locations have accessibility enhanced computers.

# **Art Shows & Exhibits**

The library featured art shows and exhibits throughout the year. Art walls and display cases can be rented by the month. Contact staff at your local library for details. To rent a room for a meeting or event, call Facility Bookings at 905-615-4100.

# **Career Tours**

The library offers group tours that include strategies for career planning and job searching.

# **Class Visits & Library Tours**

Schools are invited to bring their K-12 classes to the library. Free bussing may be available.

# **Community Events**

We love getting out into our community to share our love of literacy and learning. If you know of an upcoming event that we could participate in, contact your closest library.

# **eLibrary Basics**

Learn how to use our apps to download and stream movies, music, TV shows, books, audiobooks and magazines. All locations. By appointment.

# **Exam Proctoring**

The library offers paid proctoring services for customers needing to write exams for distance education courses, online courses, or professional certifications. Call your local library or email info.library@mississauga.ca to book. Fees (+tax) for sessions are as follows: \$25 Pre-scheduled time \$40 Individual appointment

# **Group Study Space**

Group study space is available at select locations. Call your local library for details.

# Local History & Genealogy

The Central Library's Canadiana Reading Room offers in-library resources for research into local and family history. For assistance, call 905-615-3500 x3660

# **Open Window Hub**

Operating out of Central Library, our registered Social Worker provides a variety of services and supports to all locations.

#### **Makerspaces**

Get hands-on time with our maker equipment including robots, digital filmmaking, sewing machines, iMacs, and more. Available at Meadowvale, Courtneypark, and Burnhamthorpe libraries.

#### Print, Scan, Photocopy

Available at all locations. Print card required. \$0.15 for black and white print/photocopying; scanning is free. Subject to copyright laws.

#### Volunteer

Volunteer at your local Library as a Computer Buddy, Reading Buddy, or Teen Advisory Group member. Apply online. Space limited. Ages 14+.

#### WiFi & Hotspots

Access free WiFi at all library locations. Borrow hotspots from Cooksville Library for WiFi access at home or on-the-go



# **Newcomer Services**

# Commissioner of Oaths and Settlement Services **R**

Statutory declarations and legal oaths are administered by Commissioner of Oaths. Information about credential evaluation, employment, government programs, healthcare, housing, legal services and language training is also available. Call to book an appointment.

- Central Wed, Thu, Sat | 10 am-5 pm
  Cooksville Fri Sep 13, Oct 11 | 10 am-5 pm
  Lakeview Tue Sep 10, Oct 8 | 12-7 pm
  Call 416-528-9452.
  Partnered with Newcomer Information Centre.
- Central Tue | 9:30 am-4:30 pm Call 905-275-2369 ext. 244. Partnered with Indus Community Services.
- Meadowvale Wed, Thu, Sat | 10 am-5 pm
  South Common Sep 13, 27 Oct 11, 25 | 10 am-5 pm
  Call 416-524-3085.
  Partnered with Newcomer Information Centre.
- Mississauga Valley Tue Sep 3, 24, Oct 1, 22 10 am-5 pm Call 416-528-9452. Partnered with Newcomer Information Centre.
- Churchill Meadows Mon | 3-5 pm
  Erin Meadows Mon | 11 am-1 pm
  Call 905-677-6270 x2239.
  Partnered with Malton Neighbourhood Services.
- Malton Mon | 12-7pm, Tue-Fri | 9 am-4 pm Call 905-677-6270 x2239. Partnered with Malton Neighbourhood Services.
- Sheridan Mon-Fri Call 905-403-8860.
   Partnered with Polycultural, Immigrant and Community Services.

#### **English Language Learning**

English Language learning materials (e.g., IELTS, CELPIP, ESL) available in-library and/or through Learning Express.



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