

1000 BOOKS BEFORE KINDERGARTEN

We invite you to join this online personal reading challenge!

- Open to children ages birth to 5 years-old.
- Read a book (any book) to your newborn, infant, &/or toddler, then log
 it on your child's Beanstack account. The goal is to have read 1,000
 books (yes you can repeat books!) before your child starts kindergarten.
- Logging books will earn virtual badges & fun prizes throughout their reading journey.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: https://hwlibrary.beanstack.org/reader365





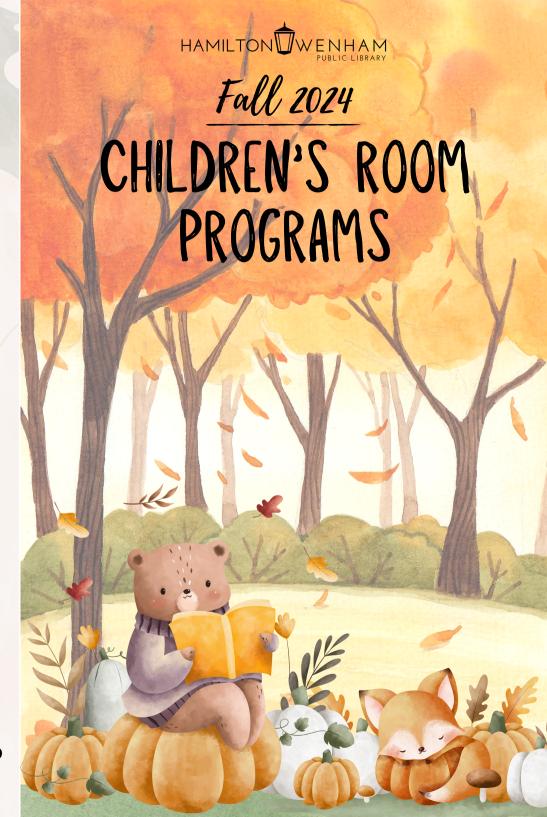


LIBRARY HOURS

Monday 10 AM - 5 PM | Tuesday - Thursday 10 AM - 8 PM
Friday 10 AM - 5 PM | Saturday 10 AM - 4 PM | Sunday CLOSED

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MUSICAL MONDAYS | MONDAYS | 10:15 - 11:00AM SEP 16 - DEC 9 (no group on 10/14, 11/11 or 11/25)

Join Ms. Katie of Early Childhood Partners for this fun early literacy music and movement story time. Space is limited.

Children ages birth - 6 years.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: www.earlychildhoodpartners.com

BABY BOOKWORMS | TUESDAYS | 11:30AM - 12:00PM SEP 17 - NOV 19 (no group on 10/29 or 11/5)

Join Sue Shepard for 30 minutes of stories and songs that promote early literacy.

Children ages birth - 18 months.

No Registration Needed.

MUSIC & MOVEMENT | WEDNESDAYS | 10:15 - 11:15AM SEP 18 - DEC 11 (no group on 11/27)

Join Lisa Davis of Cape Ann Early Intervention for stories, songs, movement, and literacy fun. Space is limited.

Children ages 18 - 36 months.

REGISTRATION REQUIRED: eicapeanngroups.corsizio.com

PROCESS ART WORKSHOP | WEDNESDAYS | 6:00 - 7:00PM SEP 18 - DEC 11 (no group on 10/2 or 11/27)

Join Ms. Eva of Early Childhood Partners for a themed story and fun activities that practice process art methods.

Children ages 2 - 6 years and their caregiver. Older children welcome. No Registration Needed.

BOUNCING BABIES | THURSDAYS | 10:00 - 11:00AM SEP 19 - NOV 7

Join Eileen Livermore, RN, IBCLC for a 30-minute walk outside (weather permitting) with your little one. Gather after at the library to play, make new friends, and discuss lactation/bottle feeding & infant care.

Children ages birth - 12 months. Older siblings welcome.

REGISTRATION REQUESTED: www.earlychildhoodpartners.com

WILD ABOUT NATURE! | THURSDAYS | 4:30 - 5:15PM

2 SESSIONS: SEP 26: "What Lives in a Shell?"

OCT 17: "Scaly, Slimy & ...Scary?"

Nature makes for happier & healthier kids! Join us outside (weather permitting) as we explore the natural world with stories & fun activities. **Children ages 5 - 10 uears.**

No Registration Needed.

DROP-IN FAMILY LEGO | SELECT FRIDAYS | 3:15 - 4:15PM SEP 20 & 27; OCT 18 & 25; NOV 8 & 22; DEC 13 & 20

Put your imagination & building skills to the test at this self-directed drop-in program.

Children ages 3 years & up with a caregiver due to small parts. No Registration Needed.

SENSORY PLAY | SELECT FRIDAYS | 10:30AM - 12:00PM SEP 13: OCT 4: NOV 15: DEC 6

Join us for a morning of sensory exploration and fun at this self-directed drop-in play program.

Children ages 2 years & up with a caregiver due to small parts.

No Registration Needed.

STORY TIME & CRAFT | SELECT SATURDAYS | 10:30 - 11:15AM SEP 14; OCT 12; NOV 2; DEC 7

Families will enjoy seasonal stories, songs and a fun craft.

Children ages 2 years & up.

No Registration Needed.

<u>TALES & TREATS</u> | SELECT SATURDAYS | 10:30 - 11:15AM SEP 28; OCT 19; NOV 23; DEC 14

Families will enjoy seasonal stories, songs & a tasty snack.

Children ages 2 years & up.

No Registration Needed.

PAWS to READ | WEDNESDAY SEP 25 | 3:30 - 4:30PM OCT, NOV & DEC Dates TBA

Read to Keeva the Therapy Dog! Keeva and her trainer, Ms. Fleming, visit the library to help children practice reading. Therapy dogs provide a calm & nonjudgmental environment that's perfect for practicing readaloud skills

Open to Emerging Readers in Grades K - 3.
No Registration Needed.