

Desert Foothills Library 2018 Youth Events



Happy New Year!

2018 is going to be a great year and we can't wait to see you at the library! Make the Desert Foothills Library one your regular destinations so you can attend great programming, learn new skills, read new books and checkout DVDs, music and more.

You may notice that a lot of the teen books are in

the kid's area right now but rest assured, it is just temporary, as we put the finishing touches on the new teen room.



Free Tutors Available

Parents do you have a child, or grandchild, in grades 2 or 3 that is struggling with spelling, reading comprehension or sounding out words? We have vetted retired teachers who are waiting to help your child. Tutoring is held at the Desert

Foothills Library (after school) on a day that is convenient for you. Call us at 480-488-2286, so your child can get the help they need to become a confident reader. We have 3 spots available. Ask for Colleen. Runs October to May.



Sensory Playdate

Monday, January 8

Monday, February 5

11am- Noon

We have a water table, play-able dough, tents & a tunnel, toys, games,

and more. Bring your children ages 2½ to age 6 for an hour of fun at the library. Come dressed to potentially get a little messed.



Kid's Tea Party

Tuesday, February 13
10:30-11:45am

Children ages 3 to 6 are invited to a library tea party! The Valentine Queen will be here to talk about manners and to entertain your children with stories. Crafts to follow. Hot tea, juice and snacks will be provided. Call to register.



Homeschool Game Day & CreateSpace

Families with children ages 5 to 10 & their siblings get together at the library to play board games and use building toys. Come to have fun and socialize with other

families. Registration is not necessary.

Friday, February 16, 10am - Noon



Gifted Kids 101 Workshop 4 Parents:

*How to Encourage your Gifted Student to
Develop & Maintain a Growth Mindset.*

with Donna J Campbell, M.Ed.

*Past-President of Arizona Association for
Gifted and Talented*

Saturday, February 17, 1:30 - 2:45pm

A mindset belief influences a student's self identity, the amount of effort he or she is willing to give to a task and the student's capacity to persevere. The topic is especially important for gifted students as they develop an understanding of their own abilities. This session will include a discussion on how parents can help guide their students toward a growth mindset. Call to register.

Simultaneous programming for children ages 6 to 11!

Youth ages 6 to 11 can register to attend a CreateSpace Builders Club program while parents go to the workshop.



CreateSpace

Kids in grades K-6 are invited to play with a variety of educational toys such as Geckobot, Snap Circuitry, Keva Planks®, K'Nex®, gears, magnatiles, and more. Call to register.

Saturday, February 17
1:30-3pm

Ongoing Events

Lego Club

Kids ages 4 & up meet each month for an hour to build with Lego® building blocks. You do not need to bring your blocks, we have plenty at the library. We have a monthly theme and we will display what you make at the end of each session.

Thursdays 4-5pm

January 25

February 22

LEGO® CLUB

4th Thursday of each month

4 - 5pm



Have some fun building with Miss Karen.
Legos & Duplo blocks for ages 4 & up

Storytimes

Tuesdays, Story Kids

9:45 - 10:30am

Ages 3 to 6 & siblings

Stories, music, flannel board stories, movement & art activities with rotating story leaders.

Registration is not required.



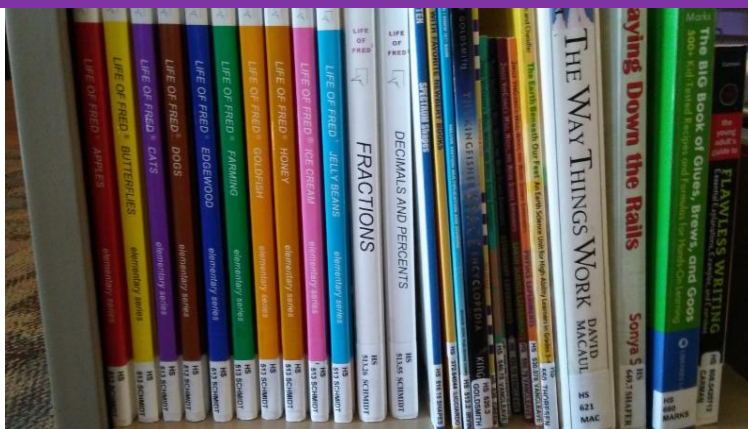
Thursdays, Family Lapsit

9:45-10:15am

Ages 10 to 40 months & their siblings

We teach concepts such as counting, colors and mother goose rhymes, in an interactive way with music, books, felt pieces, musical instruments, and movement.

Registration is not required.



Check out our Homeschool Collection. We just added more new things! Plus, Heirloom Audio historical adventures for all G.A. Henty Fans is coming soon.



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