



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH MES DE LA HERENCIA HISPANA

You are invited to celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month (Sept. 15-Oct. 15) at the library! We have special events planned for all ages. See page 11 for more information.

¡Le invitamos a celebrar el Mes de la Herencia Hispana (15 de sept.–15 de oct.) con la biblioteca! Hemos planeado eventos especiales para todas las edades. Vea las página 11 para más información.

FLU VACCINE CLINIC / CLÍNICA DE VACUNACIÓN CONTRA LA GRIPE

Hamdard Health Alliance will be at the library to offer free flu shots! Pre-register online at addisonlibrary.org/events, scan the QR with your device, or visit the Adult Services Desk for help getting registered.

¡Hamdard Health Alliance estará en la biblioteca para ofrecer vacunas contra la gripe gratis! Por favor pre-regístrese en línea siguiendo este enlace addisonlibrary.org/events o visite el escritorio en el segundo piso de la biblioteca para recibir ayuda con la registración.



Sat., Sept. 30 / Sábado 30 de septiembre
2:00-4:30 Large Meeting Room

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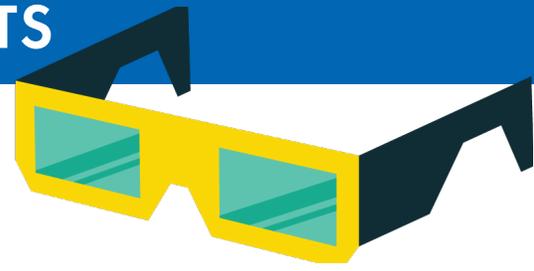
SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN UP MONTH!

Be part of our community! Sign up for a library card by Sept. 30 to receive a gift. Learn more on page 4.

¡Sé parte de nuestra comunidad! Obtenga su tarjeta de la biblioteca antes del 30 de septiembre y reciba un regalo. Más información en la página 5.



LIBRARY NEWS & SPECIAL EVENTS



"Where Is Away?" Recycling Exhibit Coming This September



Recycling can be very confusing – it can trip up even the most avid recycler. This September, keep an eye out for the exhibit "Where Is Away?" provided by SCARCE, where you can explore how to responsibly dispose of common items found around the home. SCARCE is an environmental education non-profit organization located in Addison that is dedicated to creating sustainable communities.

The exhibit will be displayed on the second floor of the library near the elevators between Sept. 5 and Oct. 1.

The Solar Eclipse is Coming!

Solar Eclipse Viewing Party

Don't miss this extraordinary opportunity to witness the upcoming solar eclipse in a safe and engaging environment! All ages are invited to join us at the library for a live-stream of the eclipse, NASA lotería, and more! Solar eclipse glasses and goodie bags will be available on a first-come, first-served basis starting on Sat., Oct. 7 at 9:00.

Sat., Oct. 14 10:00-12:00 Teen Program Room

Become an Accessibility Ambassador

Project Sidewalk Wants You!

The University of Illinois Chicago is seeking community advocates and citizen scientists! Join us as we learn about Project Sidewalk, an online tool that allows users to collect sidewalk accessibility information, which supports improved pedestrian accessibility and safety. Learn how to use Project Sidewalk and hear about opportunities to become accessibility ambassadors in your community!

Mon. Oct. 9 5:00-7:00 Large Meeting Room



Visit Us in the Community!

Pop-Up Library Visits

Look for us at the Park District! You can sign up for a library card, renew a library card, check out items, or return items.

Mon., Sept. 11 and Oct. 16
9:00-11:00 Club Fitness

Tues., Sept. 19 and Oct. 17
11:00-1:00 Community Rec

A Sneak Peek into November...



National Novel Writing Month

Join us for National Novel Writing Month. All ages are invited to stop by the library starting November 1 to get your NaNoWriMo starter kit, inspiration to kickstart your project, and chances to connect with other local writers.

Small Business Saturday

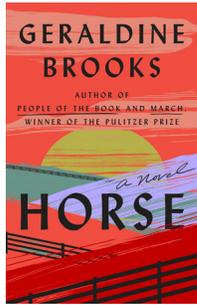
Small Business Saturday kicks off on November 25! We'll be partnering with local businesses for a fun, interactive activity and a celebration of small business in our community! Stay tuned for more details and how you can participate!



Stay up-to-date on renovation news! Visit addisonlibrary.org/renovation for the latest information.

Upcoming Book Discussions

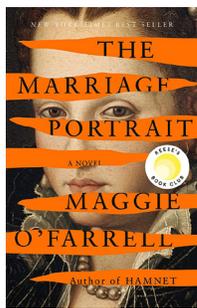
Books are available at the library.



Horse by Geraldine Brooks

Geraldine Brooks weaves together the compelling stories of an enslaved man and his bond with a phenomenal racehorse in pre-Civil War America with the artist who painted their portrait, a gallery owner in the 1950s, a Smithsonian scientist from Australia and a Nigerian American art historian in 2019. Through the connecting threads, Brooks meditates on power, racism, and art.

Tues., Sept. 12 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

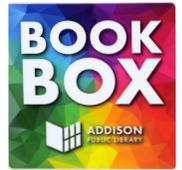


The Marriage Portrait by Maggie O'Farrell

Lucrezia, third daughter of the grand duke, is comfortable with her obscure place in the palazzo: free to wonder at its treasures, observe its clandestine workings, and devote herself to her own artistic pursuits. But when her older sister dies on the eve of her wedding to the ruler of Ferrara, Modena, and Reggio, Lucrezia is thrust unwittingly into the limelight: the duke is quick to request her hand in marriage, and her father just as quick to accept on her behalf.

Tues., Oct. 10 7:00-8:00 Creative Studio

Sign Up for a Book Box!



The December Book Box theme is "**Eco Entertaining**". Registration begins October 1 and ends November 3. Book Boxes will be available for pickup December 1-30.

Sign up at addisonlibrary.org/book-box. Open to all Addison Public Library cardholders. Space is limited.

Banned Books Week is Oct. 1-7

More books were challenged or removed from U.S. libraries in 2022 than any other since the American Library Association starting tracking book censorship more than 20 years ago. Our library serves everyone in the community and we celebrate the different interests, views, and tastes of our patrons. Not every book in our collection will appeal to everyone in our community, but we pride ourselves on connecting each person with the right book for them. That's why every September, libraries across the country celebrate the freedom to read, highlighting the diversity of our materials and the right of each person to choose what they want to read.

During Banned Books Week, we'll have fun activities and giveaways celebrating your Freedom to Read. Come find out more about why books are being challenged and how a librarian can help you find the book that's right for you.



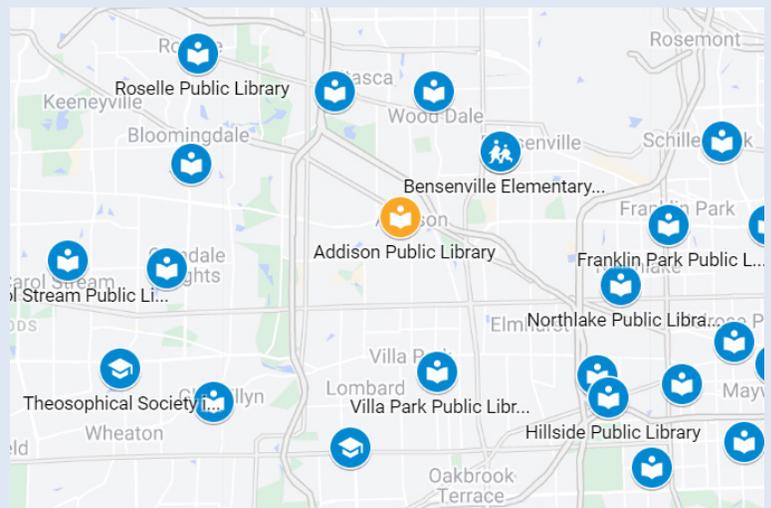
We're joining SWAN on November 14!

On November 14, 2023, we will be joining a network of 100 libraries, called the SWAN Libraries consortium. A library consortium is a cooperative, collaborative association of libraries that coordinates resources and/or activities on behalf of its member libraries. Many libraries in our area are also members of SWAN: Wood Dale, Bensenville, Itasca, Villa Park, Northlake, Bloomingdale, and many more. To see all of the SWAN libraries, visit: swanlibraries.net/member-libraries.

So what does this mean for you?

- You will have access to 1.5 million titles – books, DVDs, CDs, audiobooks, and more!
- You can visit any of the 100 libraries in SWAN and check out with your Addison Public Library card.
- Easily request materials from other SWAN libraries and have them sent here for pickup.
- Plus, you also have the option to get your holds sent to another SWAN library for pickup, if you prefer!

Stay tuned for more information on our very exciting migration to SWAN.



SEPTEMBER IS LIBRARY CARD SIGN UP MONTH

Be our neighbor!

Sign up for a library card by Sept. 30 to receive a gift!



How to Get a Library Card

What do I need to get a library card?

To register yourself or your child for a library card, you need a photo ID with your current address. If your photo ID doesn't have your current address, please bring in an item from the proof of address list on our website at addisonlibrary.org/get-a-card.

Does it cost anything to get a library card?

Residents of incorporated Addison can sign up for their library card at no cost.

Residents of unincorporated Addison may purchase a library card for a fee that will be calculated using your property tax bill. This fee is based on a formula determined by the Illinois State Library and is equal to the percentage of property taxes incorporated residents automatically pay.

Free library cards are available to any student living in an unincorporated area whose household falls at or below the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Income Eligibility Guidelines. Learn more at addisonlibrary.org/get-a-card.

How do I replace a lost card?

If you have lost your library card, please let staff at Guest Services know as soon as possible and they will be happy to issue you a new card for free.

Using Your Library Card

Your library card is the most valuable card in your wallet. The more you use your library card, the more you save!



Borrowing books, movies, & more instead of buying saves you money

- 5 books borrowed = \$85 saved
- 5 children's books borrowed = \$60 saved
- 5 movies borrowed = \$80 saved
- 5 eBooks/eAudiobooks downloaded = \$75 saved



Visit local attractions

Use your library card to log into Explore More Illinois or Museum Adventure Pass and get offers from museums, park districts, and more! More information: addisonlibrary.org/explore.



Learn a new language

Start at addisonlibrary.org/research and create a free account with Mango Languages using your library card!



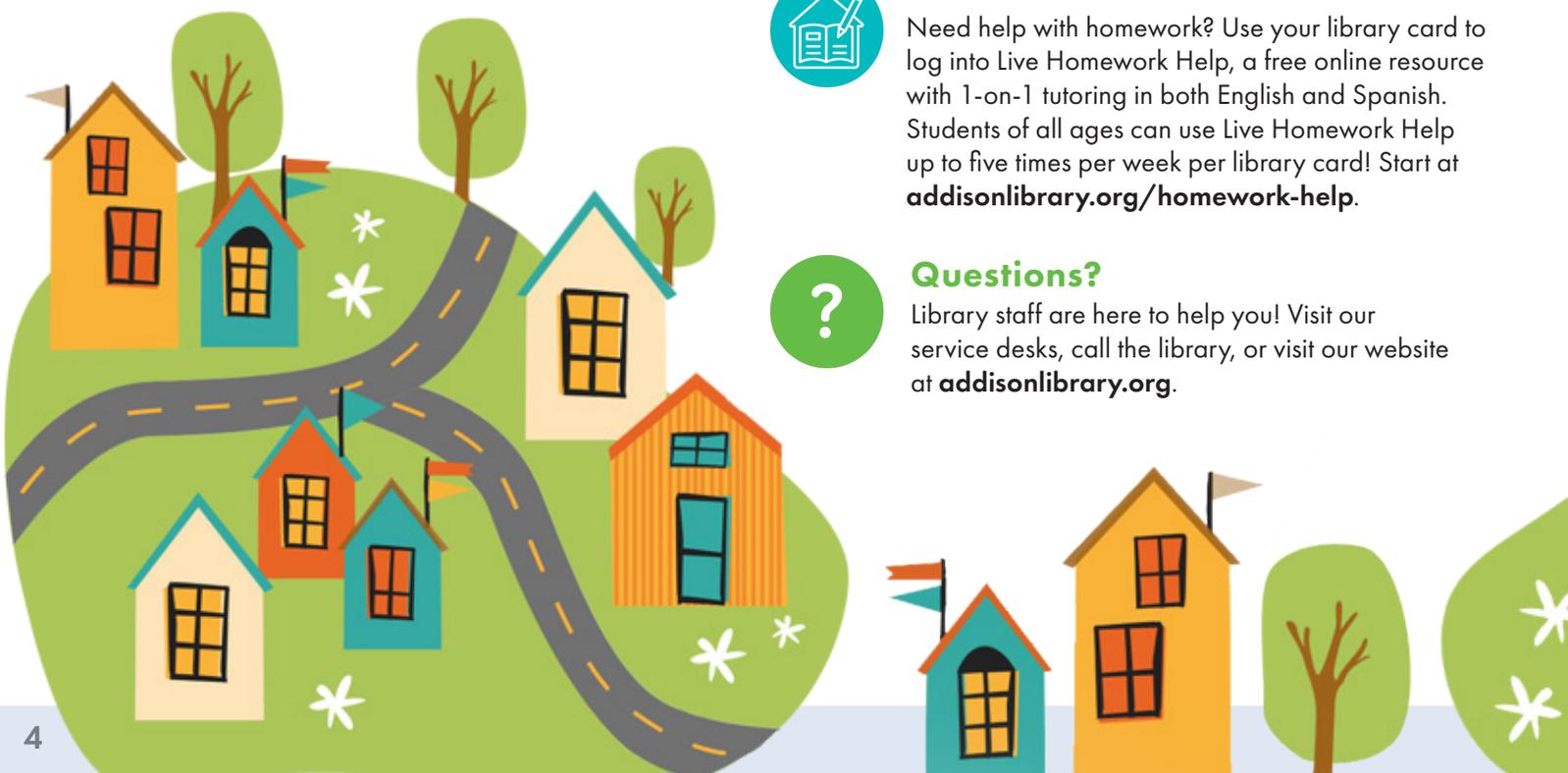
Connect with an online tutor

Need help with homework? Use your library card to log into Live Homework Help, a free online resource with 1-on-1 tutoring in both English and Spanish. Students of all ages can use Live Homework Help up to five times per week per library card! Start at addisonlibrary.org/homework-help.



Questions?

Library staff are here to help you! Visit our service desks, call the library, or visit our website at addisonlibrary.org.



¡Sé nuestro vecino!

¡Obtenga su tarjeta de la biblioteca antes del 30 de septiembre y reciba un regalo!

Cómo obtener una tarjeta

¿Qué necesito para obtener una tarjeta de la biblioteca?

Necesita una identificación (ID) con fotografía que indique su domicilio actual. Si no lo indica, favor de traer un documento de la lista de comprobantes de domicilio. Para más información visite addisonlibrary.org/tarjeta.

¿Tiene algún costo la tarjeta de la biblioteca?

Residentes incorporados de Addison pueden registrarse para obtener su tarjeta de la biblioteca sin costo.

Residentes no incorporados de Addison pueden adquirir una tarjeta de la biblioteca si paga una tarifa que se calcula en base a sus impuestos a la propiedad. Esta tarifa calculada se basa en una fórmula determinada por la Biblioteca Estatal de Illinois y equivale al porcentaje al porcentaje de impuestos a la propiedad que los residentes incorporados pagan automáticamente.

Las tarjetas de la biblioteca están disponibles gratis para los estudiantes que vivan en un área no incorporada y cuyo hogar esté dentro de los parámetros de elegibilidad de ingresos del U.S. Department of Agriculture. Para más información visite addisonlibrary.org/tarjeta.

¿Cómo puedo reemplazar una tarjeta perdida?

Si usted ha perdido su tarjeta de la biblioteca, favor de comunicarlo al personal del Servicio de Atención al Cliente lo antes posible. Con gusto le daremos una tarjeta nueva sin costo alguno. Visite nuestro mostrador la próxima vez que venga a visitarnos o llámenos al Tel: 630.543.3617.

Utiliza tu tarjeta de la biblioteca

Su tarjeta de la biblioteca es la tarjeta más valiosa en su billetera. ¡Mientras más la use, más ahorra!



Tomar prestados libros, películas, y más le ahorra dinero

- Tomar prestados 5 libros = \$85 ahorrados
- Tomar prestados 5 libros infantiles = \$60 ahorrados
- Tomar prestadas 5 películas = \$80 ahorrados
- Descargar 5 libros o audiolibros digitales = \$75 ahorrados



Visite atracciones locales

¡Use su tarjeta de la biblioteca para entrar a Explore More Illinois o Museum Adventure Pass y recibir ofertas a museos, distritos de parques y más! Más información: addisonlibrary.org/explore.



Aprenda un nuevo idioma

Visite addisonlibrary.org/colecciones/research para crear una cuenta de Mango Languages con su tarjeta de la biblioteca. ¡Es gratis!



Conéctese con un tutor en línea

¿Necesita ayuda con la tarea? Utilice su tarjeta de la biblioteca para acceder a Live Homework Help (ayuda con la tarea en vivo), es un recurso gratuito en línea con tutorías individuales en inglés y español. Los estudiantes de todas las edades pueden usar Live Homework Help hasta cinco veces por semana por cada una de las tarjetas de la biblioteca! Para más información visite addisonlibrary.org/homework-help.



¿Preguntas?

¡El personal de la biblioteca está aquí para ayudarte! Visite nuestro mostrador, llámenos, o visite addisonlibrary.org/en-espanol.



CREATIVE STUDIO



Registration is required for library programs unless listed as "Drop-In".

Register online at addisonlibrary.org/events, by phone at 630.458.3320, or ask staff for help.

Upcoming Workshops

Digital Converting: Vinyl-to-MP3

Learn how to preserve your 33 and 48 vinyl records by converting them to digital MP3 files. During the class, you will get a demonstration on how to use the Creative Studio's Vinyl-to-MP3 Converter.

Fri., Sept. 8 10:00-11:00 Adult Program Room

Teen Maker Monday

Drop in to make a craft using the Creative Studio equipment. First-come, first-served, while supplies last.

Mon., Sept. 11 4:00 Creative Studio

Mon., Sept. 25 4:00 Creative Studio

Mon., Oct. 16 4:00 Creative Studio

Mon., Oct. 30 4:00 Creative Studio

Sewing Basics: Sew a Produce Bag

Celebrate National Sewing Month by sewing a produce bag in the Creative Studio! Materials are provided for this craft. Sign up for a 30-minute time slot on our calendar at addisonlibrary.org/SewingBasics.

Weds., Sept. 13 1:00-6:00 Creative Studio

Silhouette Cameo: Tea Towel

Learn how to cut, weed, and heat an iron-on design to a tea towel using the Creative Studio's Silhouette Cameo vinyl cutter and Cricut EasyPress heat press. Towels, iron-on vinyl, and pre-made designs are supplied during this class.

Fri., Sept. 15 10:00-11:30 Adult Program Room

Silhouette Studio Basics

Learn the basics of Silhouette Studio, the design software used with the Silhouette Cameo cutting machine. The Silhouette can create vinyl, iron-on, and stencil decals to decorate cups, shirts, wood signs, and more!

Fri., Sept. 29 10:00-11:00 Adult Program Room

Mystery Creative Studio Kit

Pick up a mystery craft kit in the Creative Studio. Each kit has a different craft. Limit one kit per patron. Kits available on a first-come, first-served basis starting at 9:00 a.m.

Fri., Oct. 13 Creative Studio

Banned Books Week: Oct. 1-7

Drop-In Banned Books Week Craft

Stop by the Creative Studio on the 2nd floor for a Banned Books themed craft! While supplies last, patrons can make their own bag with a Banned Books themed design.

Mon., Oct. 2 5:00-8:00 Creative Studio

Tues., Oct. 3 1:00-3:00 Creative Studio

Weds., Oct. 4 10:00-12:00 Creative Studio

Thurs., Oct. 5 3:00-5:00 Creative Studio

Fri., Oct. 6 3:00-5:00 Creative Studio

For more information on Banned Books Week, see page 2.



Cricut Maker: Tea Towel

Learn how to cut, weed, and heat an iron-on design to a tea towel using the Creative Studio's Cricut Maker vinyl cutter and Cricut EasyPress heat press. Towels, iron-on vinyl, and pre-made designs are supplied during this class.

Fri., Oct. 20 10:00-11:30 Creative Studio

Sublimation Printing: Photo Mug

Create a custom mug with your photo on it! During this class, you will learn how to use the Creative Studio's Sawgrass sublimation printer and Cricut Mug Press to make custom mugs. Supplies will be provided for the class. Please bring a photo saved on a USB flash drive.

Mon., Oct. 23 6:30-8:00 Creative Studio

Cricut Design Space Basics

Learn the basics of Cricut Design Space, the design software used with the Cricut Maker cutting machine. The Cricut can create vinyl, iron-on, and stencil decals to decorate cups, shirts, wood signs, and more!

Fri., Oct. 27 10:00-11:00 Adult Program Room



The Creative Studio gets busy during the holidays!

Start your projects early in October and November to make sure they are done on time. Take one of our classes to learn the basics and get ideas. Once you're ready to start a project, request an appointment at addisonlibrary.org/appointments.



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Events For Businesses

Social Media Marketing Tools for Small Business

Join Hayley MacMillan, College of DuPage Social Media Specialist, and Marie Galvan, College of DuPage Digital Marketing Specialist, to review social media best practices. Learn how to use popular social media platforms and get tips for posting useful content that will help you make connections and better market your business.

Weds., Sept. 27 8:00-9:00AM Zoom

What Is a Business Plan and Why Do I Need One for My Business?

Do you want to create your own business, but need the security of your full-time job? In this interactive discussion, we will share how you can develop your own business while working full time. We will discuss the key steps that you need to take to make this successful conversion from working for an employer to becoming an employer.

Mon., Sept. 11 6:30-8:00 Zoom

SBA Resources and Services for Your Business

Have you ever thought of starting your own business or are looking to grow your business? Join Stephen Konkle from the Illinois District Office of the Small Business Administration (SBA) for a workshop explaining the resources offered to start or grow your business.

Tues., Sept 12 10:00-11:00 Large Meeting Room

Connect with Customers and Manage Your Business Remotely

Online interaction with customers is becoming more prevalent in business. Become more effective in connecting and communicating with your customers! Join us for this webinar with Elijah Litscher, a certified Google Agency Partner with online marketing experience that spans multiple industries, as he helps businesses to become competitive in e-commerce.

Mon., Oct. 16 6:30-8:00 Zoom

Events For Job Seekers

Resume vs. Robots

When you submit a resume online, the resume is first reviewed by a computer before making its way to a recruiter. Make sure your resume makes it past the applicant tracking system and into the hands of a human being! Learn how to create a resume that will beat the applicant tracking system and how to match your resume to the job you desire.

Thurs., Sept. 7 10:00-11:00 Zoom



Your Mental Health and Job Search

Join NAMI DuPage for a program series on maintaining your mental health during your job search. This virtual event will include topics such as being laid off, rejection, not hearing back from a potential employer, returning to the workforce, and more.

Tues., Sept. 19 10:00-11:00 Zoom

Tues., Oct. 24 10:00-11:00 Zoom

ChatGPT for Job Seekers

ChatGPT is a new artificial intelligence tool that has been in the news recently and has the potential to turn the job-seeking world upside down. In this workshop, learn how to use ChatGPT as a starting point in your job search, writing a cover letter, and creating a resume.

Tues., Sept. 26 10:00-11:00 Large Meeting Room

Resume and Cover Letter Reviews

Join us as we welcome the People's Resource Center (PRC) for a resume review session where you can meet with a job coach to review your resume or cover letter. The PRC's job coaches and resume writers will provide tips and insights to help you match your resume to the job you desire.

Thurs., Oct. 26 6:00-7:00 Large Meeting Room



Small Business: Next Level Networking

Are you a small business owner looking to connect with the small business community? Join entrepreneurs, small business owners, startup founders, influencers, non-profits, and many more for this new networking series. We will provide coffee and donuts as you make connections, share ideas, and get inspired by other businesses! This is a drop-in event.

Fri., Oct. 13 10:00-11:30 Large Meeting Room



Plan Your Future

FASFA Simplified

Learn about the updated formula for qualifying and receiving financial aid for the 2024-2025 school year. Who qualifies for financial aid and how much might you receive? Join us and get the essential information to plan ahead effectively and accordingly.

Mon., Sept. 18 7:00-8:00 Zoom

Medicare 101

Robin Dawson of Medicare Solutions Network will present on what Medicare covers, what it doesn't, your potential out-of-pocket exposure, and cost-saving strategies.

Sat., Oct. 7 3:00-4:30 Adult Program Room

Estate Planning Explained

Overwhelmed and intimidated by the idea of planning your estate? Tom Krausmann from Beltron Financial will discuss the estate planning process, including what steps to take to protect your beneficiaries and descendants.

Mon., Oct. 9 7:00-8:00 Adult Program Room

Let's Play!

Free Time Fridays

Join us for crafts, games, light refreshments, conversation and fun with friends old and new! We'll do something different each time we meet and it will always be a fun treat!

Fri., Sept. 22 — All Abilities UNO!

Fri. Oct. 20 — Spooky Lantern Craft

11:00-12:00 Adult Program Room

Trivia

Join our monthly online trivia game! Trivia will run on a continuous loop, so jump in whenever and you will get to answer all the questions. We will share the leaderboard on social media after trivia ends.

Mon., Sept. 18 – **Fri., Sept. 22**

crowd.live/CCZO4

Mon., Oct. 23 – **Fri. Oct. 27**

crowd.live/OYHJM

Sept. Trivia



Oct. Trivia



Movement & Meditation

Chair Yoga

Certified yoga instructor Marti Lahood will guide you through one of the gentlest forms of yoga.

Thurs., Sept. 14 and 28, Oct. 12 and 26

10:00-11:00 Large Meeting Room

Essentrics: Dynamic Stretching

Essentrics® is a low-impact, full-body workout that is safe for all ages and fitness levels and helps you improve flexibility. Wear comfortable clothes. We workout in bare feet or non-slip socks.

Weds., Sept. 20 and Oct. 18 1:00-2:00 Large Meeting Room

Monthly Meditation at the Library

Join friends old and new in-person to discover the life changing effects of meditation. No experience required.

Thurs., Sept. 21 and Oct. 19

10:00-11:00 Large Meeting Room

Tai Chi

Tai Chi is a mind-body exercise comprised of low impact, slow form moving meditation. Local instructor Sawat will guide participants in this practice. Beginners welcome!

Thurs., Sept. 7 and Oct. 5 10:00-11:00 Large Meeting Room

Zumba!

Instructor and performer Erika Ochoa leads this fun, fast-paced, musical exercise practice! No previous experience required. Instruction is bilingual, English/Spanish.

Mon., Sept. 18 and Oct. 2 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Changing Your Brain Can Be Easy and Fun!

Join Jenna Eisenberg from Ageless Grace® for a session that activates all 5 functions of the brain and simultaneously addresses all 21 physical skills needed for lifelong optimal function. Music and laughter guaranteed!

Weds., Oct. 4 1:00-2:00 Large Meeting Room

Meet Your Neighbors

Talking Politics

Get out of your echo chamber! Discuss and debate political issues with your neighbors in this safe space.

Weds., Sept. 6 and Oct. 4 7:00-8:30 Large Meeting Room

Hot Topics Roundtable

We'll be discussing three hot topics that can range from politics, foreign policy, business, education, and more. Let your voice be heard during this roundtable discussion!

Weds., Sept. 27 and Oct. 25 7:00-8:30 Large Meeting Room



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Featured Events



Terry Lynch: Illinois Inventors

Join us as we welcome Terry Lynch for a portrayal of an old-time newspaper hawker spreading the news about the amazing inventions of many everyday objects we rely on. *Co-sponsored by Addison Historical Society.*

Thurs., Sept. 21

7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Envelope Journals

Make your own journal using envelopes and other recycled materials! Our presenter will guide you through creating your journal, and then you can unleash your creativity by decorating them. These journals are perfect for recording memories, thoughts, ideas, and personal inspiration.

Mon., Sept. 25 7:00-8:30 Large Meeting Room



Fire and Burn Safety in the Home

Learn the latest in burn and fire protection for the safety of your home and family and discover new prevention methods. Uncover facts about smoke alarms and explore potential hazards related to microwaves while we discuss actions you can take to stay safe. Let's ensure a secure and protected living environment together!

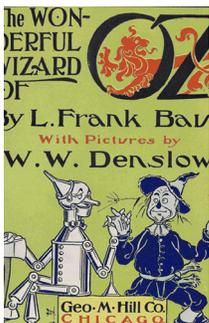
Thurs., Oct. 5 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Fri., Oct. 6 11:00-12:00 Adult Program Room

Autumn Sensory Craft

Join us for an all ages, all abilities, take home craft project — a seasonal leaf bowl! This program is being offered by the Addison Center for the Arts.

Weds., Oct. 11 1:00-2:00 Large Meeting Room



The Historical Wizard of Oz

Just hearing the name "Oz" conjures up fantastic images, adventures, and heartfelt memories. So many of us can recite the plot of the famous story, but how many of us really know what went into creating it? What influences did L. Frank Baum have in his life as he created what is widely acknowledged as "America's first fairytale"? Librarian

Laura Keyes will separate fact from fiction as she shares the fantastic story of the amazing man who created The Wonderful Wizard of Oz. *Co-sponsored by Addison Historical Society.*

Thurs., Oct. 19 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Financial Fitness Series



Financial Fitness is a collaborative series of virtual programs presented by Business Interest Group (BIG) — a group of business librarians in the Chicago suburbs who meet quarterly to discuss business programs, presenters, databases, and our current challenges. Join any of these virtual programs from home using Zoom or join us for a live viewing party at the library.

Investing Made Simple

Financial educator Karen Chan will make stocks, bonds and mutual funds clear by using her personal story. She will explain index funds and target retirement funds, and how they can simplify your investing decisions.

Tues., Oct. 3 7:00-8:30 Zoom/Large Meeting Room

Developing Retirement Income Strategies for Today's Markets

Join us for an evening with the past National President of the Financial Planning Association, Ed Gjertsen II, CFP, as he guides you through the various strategies and challenges of successfully navigating the important financial aspects of your retirement years.

Weds., Oct. 11 7:00-8:30 Zoom/Large Meeting Room

Terry Savage Talks Money

Terry Savage is a nationally recognized expert on personal finance, the economy, and the markets. She is an independent voice for the financial consumer. She will provide a reality check on the volatile economy, financial markets, and personal finance topics. As a registered investment advisor, Savage has no individual clients, nor does she represent any financial products or services.

Weds., Oct 18 7:00-8:30 Zoom/Large Meeting Room

Technology Made Simple

How to Use a Chromebook

Need help with your child's or your own Chromebook? Join us for an introduction to using a Google Chromebook laptop.

Mon., Sept. 25 6:00-7:00 Adult Program Room

Introduction to Google Docs

Learn the basics of Google Docs, a free online word processing tool by Google. Discover how to create and edit documents and collaborate in real-time! Google Docs can be used for personal, academic, and professional purposes.

Weds., Oct. 25 2:00-3:00 Adult Program Room

Mon., Oct.30 6:00-7:00 Adult Program Room

After School

Rush Hour

During our busiest time at the library, teens can expect a free snack, a fun place to hang out, and daily activities to spark their creativity. It could be painting, badminton, card games, riddles, a science experiment, or multiple options throughout the library. Drop by and check it out!
School days 2:45-4:00

Manos a la Obra

Make something special with us. We'll guide everyone in Spanish, but no Spanish language skills are required.
Weds., Sept. 6 and 20, Oct. 4 and 18 3:00-4:00

Solve a Library Murder Mystery!

There's been a murder in the library! Now it's up to you to figure out who did it using logic and science experiments.
Mon.-Fri., Oct. 23-27 3:00-4:00

Teen Loteria

Play this classic Spanish bingo game with a teen twist every Friday during Hispanic Heritage Month. Win prizes and boost your Spanish vocabulary.
Fri., Sept. 15-Oct. 13 3:00-4:00

Drawing with Mark Anderson

Professional illustrator and cartoonist Mark Anderson brings your drawings to life and helps everyone from newbies to experts improve their skills.
Thurs., Sept. 7 and Tues., Oct. 3 3:15-4:15



Thank you, teen volunteers!

Every summer, teens give back to the community by volunteering at the library's Free Summer Lunch program. Teen volunteers show up every weekday to set up tables, hand out meals, clean, and read with younger children. Through our volunteer program, teens learn the value of teamwork and gain customer service skills that they can use at school and their first jobs. We are so proud of their hard work and the positive connections they made with both the community and each other!

Night Programs

Teens and young adults are invited to join us for a variety of programs and events — at night!



BookTalk: A #BookTok Book Club

Join us for this drop-in book club for young adults with NO assigned reading! Come chat about the latest trends in books, titles you love (or hate!), and books you can't wait to read. We'll have snacks and provide a casual space to hang out with friends and meet other book lovers! Take part in games, activities, and add to your TBR list!

Weds., Sept. 13 and Oct. 11
6:30-7:30 Teen Program Room



LEGO @ Nite

LEGO. At night. For teens and young adults.
Tues., Sept. 12 and 26,
Oct. 10 and 24 5:00-6:30

Thunder Mursday

Join other amateur detectives and crime fans to solve a (fictional) murder mystery.
Thurs., Sept. 7, 14, and 21, Oct. 5, 12, and 19 6:00-7:30

Open Mic Night

Bring your writing, comedy, music, dance, art, or just yourself. Come and share, or just watch and support your friends (or enemies, just so long as it is positive)!
Thurs., Sept. 28 and Oct. 26 7:00-8:30



HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

MES DE LA HERENCIA HISPANA

For Children and Teens / Eventos para niños y adolescentes

Bilingual Stories & Crafts

Cuentos y Manualidades Bilingües

Enjoy drop-in stories and crafts, and learn some new words in Spanish!

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Decora tu propia mini talavera con diseños mosaicos y colores llamativos. Inspirados por el arte cerámico que origina en Pueblo, Mexico.

Mon., Oct. 2 / Lunes, el 2 de octubre 6:00-7:00

For Adults / Por adultos

These programs will be presented in English.

Music as a Cultural History:

Latines in the USA and Illinois

Catalina Maria Johnson, music journalist and host of the radio show and podcast "Beat Latino," shares how music can be used as a tool, helping us learn about the cultural values, roots, and history of different peoples. Together, we'll explore the music and important moments from the last 150 years of Latin America and USA relationships, discovering history in a whole new and exciting way!

Mon., Sept. 11 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Manos a la Obra

Make something special with us. We'll guide everyone in Spanish, but no Spanish language skills are required.

¡Acompáñanos a crear algo especial! El programa será en español, y todos serán bienvenidos.

Weds., Sept. 6 and 20, Oct. 4 and 18 / Miércoles, 6 y 20 de septiembre, 4 y 18 de octubre 3:00-4:00

Teen Lotería

Play this classic Spanish bingo game with a teen twist. Win prizes and boost your Spanish vocabulary.

Gana premios y practica tu vocabulario en español en este juego de lotería que viene con un toque "teen".

Fri., Sept. 15-Oct. 13 / Viernes, 15 de septiembre-13 de octubre 3:00-4:00

Danza Azteca Xochitl-Quetzal

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Tues., Oct. 10 / Martes, el 10 de octubre 7:00-8:00



Chef Roberto Perez:

Black and Latino Culinary History

Culture doesn't always fit inside a box and neither does the food created by Chef Roberto Pérez. A chef, musician, and researcher of Afro-Caribbean traditions, Chef Pérez will guide us as we experience cuisine and stories that are traditional to many and new to others. We will make mofongo, caldo de pollo, and a tamarind drink.

Mon., Oct. 16 7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Storytimes & Early Learning Programs

Join us for storytimes in the building and outside on our west lawn!
All ages are welcome. Registration is required to attend unless otherwise noted.



Storytime Outside

Join us for storytime outside on the west lawn of the library. After storytime is finished participants are welcome to decorate the sidewalk with chalk and take home a craft. Please bring your own blanket to sit on if you would like one. This program is limited to 15 children total and their caregivers; all children must be accompanied by a caregiver. Please register for each session separately.

Fri., Sept. 1 and 15 10:00-10:30



Let's Move

Need to get some energy out? This storytime is perfect for you! We'll read stories and share songs that include lots of movement. There will be time for active play at the end too!

Fri., Sept. 8 and Oct. 6 10:00-10:30

Discovery Storytime

Join us for stories, songs, and action rhymes, and discover friends and fun! Geared toward ages 2-5 but all ages welcome. Please register for each session separately.

Mon., Sept. 11-Oct. 2 10:00-10:30

Mon., Oct. 16-Nov. 13 10:00-10:30 Registration opens Oct. 1



Pirate Story Time

Argh! 'Tis time for Pirate Storytime. Come and hear swashbuckling tales and sing seaworthy songs.

Weds., Sept. 13 10:00-10:30

Birth to 3 Jamboree

Stories, songs, and more! Geared toward ages birth-3, but all ages welcome. Please register for each session separately. Please make sure to sign up for just one as the material will be the same in both.

Thurs., Sept. 14 and 21, Oct. 5 10:00-10:30

Thurs., Oct. 19-Nov. 16 10:00-10:30 Registration opens Oct. 1.

Thurs., Sept. 14 and 21, Oct 5 11:15-11:45

Thurs., Oct. 19-Nov. 16 11:15-11:45 Registration opens Oct. 1.



Music & Motion

This fun program is focused on music and singing and includes plenty of movement too! Geared for ages 3-5, but all ages welcome.

Tues., Sept 19 and Oct. 17 2:00-2:30

Baby & Toddler Play Time

Join us for an informal play time and meet new people or see your friends from story time. Listen to some music, play with our special toys for babies and tots, and socialize!

Thurs., Sept. 28 10:00-10:45

Starry Story Time

The stars are out and shining! Join us for some stories and songs all about stars and the night sky.

Weds., Oct. 11 10:00-10:30

Spooky Story Time

It's almost Halloween! Join us for some spooky fun stories and songs. Costumes are welcome.

Weds., Oct. 25 10:00-10:30 Registration opens Oct. 1

Sat., Oct. 28 2:00-2:30 Drop-in

Halloween Hip Hop Dance Party

Join Innovation Arts Connection for a morning of fun, stories, and learning new dance skills, all to a Halloween Hip Hop theme! We'll explore hip hop style dance and read a Halloween story together. Please wear comfortable clothing and dance shoes if you have them. Limit 12 participants; please make sure to register. Ages 2 & up.

Fri., Oct. 27 10:00-10:30



Fall Reading Challenge

Join us for the Fall Learning Challenge! Starting Sept. 1, pick up your Learning Challenge Log at the Children's Services desk, along with a free book! Complete at least 5 challenges by Oct. 30 and you'll receive a goodie bag!

Registered Craft Kit

DIY Día de los Muertos Rosette

Make a decorative rosette to celebrate Día de los Muertos! Please register to make sure we set aside a kit for you to pick up starting Oct. 24.

Tues., Oct. 24 Registration opens Oct. 1.



Registration is required for library programs unless listed as "Drop-In." Registration for most children's events opens on or before **Sept. 1**. Register online at addisonlibrary.org/events, by phone at 630.458.3338, or ask staff for help.

For Grades K-5 *In-person; registration required*

Robot Club

Have you ever wanted your own robot? Come check out our Coji bots and learn how they work. Grades 1-5; limit 6 participants.

Thurs., Sept. 7 4:00-4:45

Mini Talaveras

Decorate your own mini talavera with mosaic designs and bright colors. Inspired by the ceramic art that originated in Pueblo, Mexico. Grades 1-5.

Mon., Oct. 2 6:00-7:00

DIY Calming Toys

Feeling stressed? Looking for something to calm your fidgets? Join us as we make some cool calming toys. Grades K-5; limit 8 participants.

Weds., Oct. 4 4:00-4:45

DIY Mini Furniture

Get creative making tiny furniture! We'll use both hands on and digital tools to create a tiny set of furniture that you can take home. Grades K-5; limit 8 participants.

Thurs., Sept. 28 4:00-4:45

Windows & Mirrors Book Club

Join us to discuss the book *Stuntboy, in the Meantime* by Jason Reynolds and participate in fun activities! Limit 6 participants; make sure to sign up in person to receive your free copy of *Stuntboy* so you can read the book ahead of the program. Recommended for grades 3-5.

Thurs., Oct. 5 6:00-6:45

Digital Monster Design

It is time for Halloween and the monsters are coming out. Join us to create your own monster to join the bunch! Grades 1-5; limit 6 participants.

Thurs., Oct. 26 4:00-4:45 Registration opens Oct. 1

Growing Readers

**1,000 Books
Before Kindergarten**

Register your child for 1,000 Books Before Kindergarten! When you register you'll receive a tote bag, a free book to keep, and materials about the initiative. For every 100 books you read with your child, they'll receive a prize.

Special Event

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For the Whole Family

Drop-In LEGOs

Join us for drop-in LEGO fun and create your own LEGO masterpiece!

Mon., Oct. 9 and Sat., Oct. 21 2:00-2:45

Evening Drop-In Crafts

Join us for an evening of crafts in the Children's Services department! Drop-in; all ages.

Tues., Sept. 19 6:00-6:45

Paletas!

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Sat., Sept. 30 2:00-2:45

DIY Halloween Costumes & Crafts for Families

Join us for an evening of Halloween costume-making and crafts!

Mon., Oct. 16 6:00-7:00

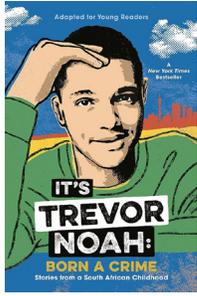
Día de Los Muertos Craft

Join us for an all ages craft to celebrate Día de los muertos!

Mon., Oct. 30 6:00-6:45

One-on-One Appointments

Looking for one-on-one help? Children's Services staff are available for reading, math, homework help, computer skills, and early literacy appointments. To get started, visit: addisonlibrary.org/appointments.



ELL Books & Bites

Are you an English learner that enjoys reading? Join us in reading *It's Trevor Noah: Born a Crime. Stories from a South African Childhood* by Trevor Noah. You will be able to pick up a copy of the book once you register. The book will be yours to keep! We will read the book individually and as a group. We will discuss the book as

we enjoy dinner and offer you a fun and safe environment to practice your English reading and comprehension skills!

Thurs., Oct. 5, 12, 19, and 26 6:00-7:00 Study Room S10

College of DuPage Classes

Looking for College of DuPage English classes or citizenship classes? Stay tuned for our November/December newsletter for the January testing and start dates!



Read and Write in Spanish

Do you know a Spanish-speaking adult who wants to learn basic reading and writing? This three-month literacy course teaches Spanish-speaking adults how to read and write in Spanish.

**Tues. and Thurs., Sept. 12-Dec. 14
6:30-8:30 Adult Program Room**



Literacy To-Go Kits

Pick up a bi-monthly kit with exercises and activities to help you improve your English. Stop by the second floor Adult Services desk or email Ana Beltran at abeltran@addisonlibrary.org for a digital copy!

English Conversation Groups

Have fun and make new friends as you improve your English-speaking skills!

Mondays 2:00 Zoom (Register for Zoom link) 

Wednesdays 7:00 Adult Program Room (Drop-in)

English Reading Circle

Build your vocabulary and reading skills in a small group setting.

Tuesdays 11:00 Adult Program Room (Drop-in)

EN ESPAÑOL

Aprenda inglés

Inglés para llevar: Literacy-to-Go Kits

Pase a retirar una carpeta de ejercicios y actividades para ayudarlo a practicar su inglés! ¡Tenemos una carpeta con nuevas actividades cada otro mes! Visite el segundo piso de la biblioteca para obtener su carpeta o mande un correo electrónico a Ana Beltran abeltran@addisonlibrary.org para recibir una copia digital!

Colegio de DuPage

¿Está buscando clases de inglés o ciudadanía?
¡Manténgase al tanto de nuestro próximo boletín con las fechas de comienzo en enero!



Grupo de conversación

¡Diviértase mientras practica sus habilidades de conversación en inglés!

Cada lunes 2:00 Zoom

Regístrese para recibir el enlace de Zoom 

Cada miércoles 7:00 Adult Program Room

No se requiere registración

Círculo de lectura

Desarrolle su vocabulario y habilidades de lectura en inglés participando en un grupo pequeño.

Cada martes 11:00 Adult Program Room

No se requiere registración

Eventos para adultos

Zumba

La instructora y artista Erika Ochoa presenta esta clase dinámica y entretenida de ejercicio musical. No se requiere experiencia previa. La instrucción se realiza en inglés y español.

Lunes, 18 de septiembre y 2 de octubre

7:00-8:00 Large Meeting Room

Eventos para niños

Cuentos y Manualidades Bilingües

¡Únete a nosotros para cuentos bilingües y manualidades, y aprende algunas palabras nuevas en español! No necesitas inscribirte.

Sábado, el 9 de septiembre 2:00-2:30

¡Paletas!

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Sábado, el 30 de septiembre 2:00-2:45

Mini Talaveras

Decora tu propia mini talavera con diseños mosaicos y colores llamativos. Inspirados por el arte cerámico que origina en Pueblo, Mexico.

Lunes, el 2 de octubre 6:00-7:00



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Martes, el 10 de octubre 7:00-8:00

Manualidad de Día de Los muertos

¡Acompáñanos para una manualidad para todas las edades para celebrar el Día de los muertos!

Lunes, 30 de octubre 6:00-6:45



Día de los Muertos Rosetón

¡Haz un rosetón decorativo para celebrar el Día de los Muertos! Inscríbete para asegurarte de que reservamos un kit para que lo recoja a partir del 24 de octubre.

Martes, el 24 de octubre

Leer y escribir en español

¿Conoce a un adulto hispanohablante que quiere aprender a leer y escribir en español? Este curso de alfabetización de tres meses les enseñará a los adultos hispanos a leer y escribir en español.

Martes y jueves, 12 de septiembre-14 de diciembre

6:30-8:30 Adult Program Room



Como usar un Chromebook

¿Necesita ayuda con el Chromebook de su hijo/a o su propio Chromebook? ¡Acompáñenos para una introducción de como usar un Chromebook!

Lunes, 18 de septiembre 6:00-7:00 Adult Program Room

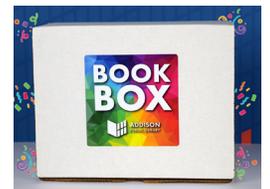
Introducción a Google Docs

Aprenda los conceptos básicos de Google Docs, una herramienta en línea gratuita ofrecida por Google. ¡Descubra cómo se puede crear y editar documentos, como cartas, y colaborar en tiempo real! Google Docs se puede utilizar con fines personales, académicos y profesionales.

Lunes, 23 de octubre 6:00-7:00 Adult Program Room

Regístrate para La Caja de Libros!

El tema para el Book Box de diciembre será "Diversión ecológica". Registración comienza el 1 de octubre y termina el 3 de noviembre. Las cajas estarán disponibles durante el mes de diciembre.



Los cupos se agotan rápidamente, así que ¡regístrate pronto! Regístrate en addisonlibrary.org/book-box.

Esto se ofrece a las personas con las tarjetas de la Biblioteca de Addison y de todas edades. El espacio es limitado.



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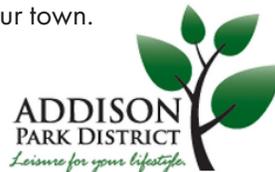
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Thank you to the **Village of Addison**, the **Addison Park District**, and **Northeast DuPage Special Recreation Association (NEDSRA)** for hosting us at community events this summer, such as: Rock N' Wheels, Trail Tales, Library in the Parks, Pop-Up Libraries, Christmas in July, Fiesta de Verano, and more! We appreciate your continued support and the opportunities to connect with members of the community around our town.



To see all of our upcoming community events, visit: addisonlibrary.org/community.