

Arcadia Public Library - Jerry Broadwell Children's Room

SEPTEMBER 2025

MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
<u>1</u> Library Closed Labor Day	<p>EARLY FALL STORYTIME SESSION BEGINS! Tuesday, September 9 — Wednesday, October 15 Registration is NOT required.</p> <p>See reverse side for more information</p> <p>CELEBRATE LIBRARY CARD SIGN –UP MONTH Complete a Bingo Card challenge and win a prize!</p> <p>See reverse side for more information</p>				<u>6</u> September Program Sign-ups Begin <i>See reverse side for more information</i> Booking Together 6th — 8th Grades 2:00 pm—3:00 pm
<u>8</u>	<u>9</u> Seedlings Storytime 4—23 Months 10:30 am Blooms Storytime 4—7 Years 6:30 pm	<u>10</u> Sprouts Storytime 24—47 Months 10:30 am	<u>11</u> Game Day 6th—8th 12:30 pm —3:30 pm	<u>12</u> Using AI Safely and Wisely 4th—8th Grades 3:30 pm —5:00 pm	<u>13</u>
<u>15</u>	<u>16</u> Seedlings Storytime 4—23 Months 10:30 am Blooms Storytime 4—7 Years 6:30 pm	<u>17</u> Sprouts Storytime 24—47 Months 10:30 am Middle School Advisory Group (MAG) Meeting 6th—8th Grades 4:00 pm — 5:00 pm	<u>18</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>20</u> Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration 5—11 Years 2:30 pm — 4:00 pm
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Our thanks to the Friends of the Arcadia Public Library for providing funding for our programs, events, and classes.

SEPTEMBER 2025 Calendar of Events

FOR EARLY LEARNERS

Grow Your Reader with Weekly Storytime!

These early literacy programs are a wonderful way to introduce children to learning new concepts and vocabulary, building their language skills, encouraging social interaction, and introducing children to a lifelong love of reading and visiting the community Library.

Registration is **NOT** required for all storytime sessions.

SEEDLINGS STORYTIME

Tuesdays, September 9, 16, 23, & 30, 2025 at 10:30 am
Best for Ages 4—23 Months

20 minute program of songs, stories, fingerplays and more.

BLOOMS STORYTIME

Tuesdays, September 9, 16, 23, & 30, 2025 at 6:30 pm
Best for Ages 4 — 7 Years

Join us for a 45-minute program of fun stories and activities for children ages four to seven years.

SPROUTS STORYTIME

Wednesdays, September 10, 17, & 24, 2025 at 10:30 am
Best For Ages 24—47 Months

Join us for stories and activities just right for toddlers.

FRIDA KAHLO STORYTIME

Thursday, September 25, 2025 at 3:45 pm — 5:00 pm
For Ages 4 —7 Years

National Hispanic Heritage Month significantly begins September 15 and runs through October 15. Read along with us as we explore the life of Frida Kahlo and create an adorable mini Frida Kahlo pinata.

ENGLISH/MANDARIN BILINGUAL STORYTIME

Thursday, September 25, 2025 at 6:30 pm
For Ages 3 — 5 Years

A bilingual storytime with stories, songs and activities in Mandarin and English.

Save the Date...



IN-N-OUT COVER TO COVER CLUB READING PROGRAM

Saturday, October 4, 2025—Saturday, November 15, 2025
For Ages 4—12 Years

Register online for the program and read five books to earn a gift card redeemable for a free In-N-Out hamburger, cheeseburger, or cheese sandwich. Each child may earn up to three burger gift cards throughout the program.

Registration begins **Saturday, October 4, 2025.**

FOR SCHOOL AGE KIDS

MID-AUTUMN FESTIVAL CELEBRATION

Saturday, September 20, 2025 at 2:30 pm — 4:00 pm
For Ages 5—11 Years

Celebrate Mid-Autumn Festival by learning about its rich traditions through stories, followed by making mooncake and lantern crafts. Afterwards, join in a parade around the library to showcase your freshly crafted mooncakes and lanterns.

Registration is **NOT** required.

KIDS CREATED: BIG INTO ENERGY

Friday, September 26, 2025 from 4:00 — 5:00 pm
For 3rd—5th Grades

Join us for the Labulabu Vinyl Weave Workshop where creativity meets craft. Learn to design and weave colorful vinyl strips into unique patterns and practical pieces. Perfect for beginners and makers of all skill levels. All materials provided.

Sign-up to participate, beginning Saturday, September 6, 2025.

10:00 am-11:00 am: In-person priority registration for Arcadia residents with proof of residency.

11:00 am onward: In-person open registration.

If space is available. phone-in registration begins Monday, September 8, 2025.

FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLERS

Registration is **NOT** required for all
Middle School Programs.

BOOKING TOGETHER

Saturday, September 6, 2025 from 2:00 pm — 3:00 pm
For 6th—8th Grades

Join the Children's Librarian for a lively discussion of a fantastic read just for middle schoolers. Read the book prior to the meeting and come ready to answer trivia questions, enjoy a themed snack, and discuss! Attendees will get a chance to win giveaways related to the book. September's book is *Alone* by Megan E. Freeman.

GAME DAY

Thursday, September 11, 2025 from 12:30 pm — 3:30 pm
For 6th—8th Grades

Join friends for tabletop card games, board games and Nintendo Switch video games! Light snacks will be served to attendees.

USING AI SAFETY AND WISELY

Friday, September 12, 2025 from 3:30 pm — 5:00 pm
For 4th—8th Grades

Want to learn how to identify when someone is using artificial intelligence (AI)? Trying to find the best way to ethically, safely, and wisely use AI? Curious about the difference between generative AI and non-generative AI? Join us for an engaging and informational workshop!

MIDDLE SCHOOL ADVISORY GROUP MEETING

Wednesday, September 17, 2025 at 4:00 pm
For 6th—8th Grades

We invite you to join the Middle School Advisory Group! The team will meet to plan and make a difference for middle school students at the Library.



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