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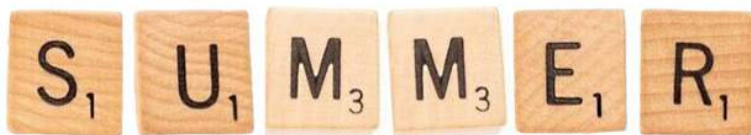
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Kate Ferry

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Workshop Registration 2025

This year the Iberia Parish Library's Summer Workshop Program celebrates its 40th year!

The registration schedule is as follows:

Week 1 Workshops (June 3—June 6) registration opens Tues, May 27 at 9:30 AM

Week 2 Workshops (June 9—June 13) registration opens Mon, June 2 at 9:30 AM

Week 3 Workshops (June 16—June 20) registration opens Mon, June 9 at 9:30 AM

Week 4 Workshops (June 23—June 27) registration opens Mon, June 16 at 9:30 AM

Week 5 Workshops (June 30—July 3) registration opens Mon, June 23 at 9:30 AM

Week 6 Workshops (July 7 —July 11) registration opens Mon, June 30 at 9:30 AM

Week 7 Workshops (July 14 —July 18) registration opens Mon, July 7 at 9:30 AM

Week 8 Workshops (July 21—July 23) registration opens Mon, July 14 at 9:30 AM

Registration will take place via our online calendar. Find this calendar by going to iberialibrary.org and clicking the "Calendar of Events" tab at the top of the page. Summer workshops will always be the color YELLOW and be labeled as "Summer Workshop."

Registration will be online, in-person, or over the phone. Please do not register for more than one session of a single workshop. Duplicate registrations will be cancelled. Space is limited for each workshop, so to better your chances of getting in, log on when registration opens.

Workshops are first come, first served. Please note, workshops are subject to date changes or cancellation, dependent on weather or other unforeseen circumstances.

I'm so excited to be coordinating this summer's workshop program at the Iberia Parish Library.

This year's workshops will deliver many opportunities for our community to indulge in experiences that are not readily available in our schools and homes.

Erica Romero

Summer Workshop Coordinator

Registration Rules & Recommendations

1. Before registering, We recommend that you write down special dates like vacations or summer camps that could interfere with your workshop choices. Please take note of the workshop location before registering, as not all workshops are located at the same branch. **We ask that you please only register for workshops that you know that your child will be able to attend.**
2. Registration for each week of workshops begins the Monday prior to that week. Holidays and library closures may affect this. These dates are listed on the previous page of this booklet. Registration will close the day before each workshop at 3 PM. All of this information is also available to you via our online calendar, 24/7.
3. If a workshop is filled when you go to register, you may still sign up for the waiting list. **This does not guarantee you a spot.** In the event of a cancellation before the day of the workshop, registrants are automatically moved from the top of the waiting list to the registered list. If your child is moved to the registration list, you will be notified. Be sure to list a correct phone number where you can be reached easily.
4. The waiting list becomes void the day of the workshop. Those who would like to try and attend and are **NOT** registered may come and join the stand-by list 30 minutes before the workshop start time. Any last-minute cancellations and no-shows will be filled from this list: first come, first served. **Stand-bys must be present when their name is called.**
5. Some workshops have multiple sessions. Please register for only **ONE** session of a single workshop. Duplicate registrations will be cancelled. However, if a workshop is filled, you may join the waiting list for multiple sessions to better your chances of getting in. In the event that the child is moved to the registered list due to a cancellation, the child may only attend one session of that workshop.

Registration Rules & Recommendations

6. You may sign-up for as many workshops as you'd like, but **the child must meet all requirements. Fill out the registration information completely** (age, allergy information, contact information, etc) for each workshop, or your child will not be allowed to attend.

7. Registration is based on the age the child will be on the day of that workshop.

Ex: Timmy is 7 years old, but his birthday is the day before the Wilderness Survival workshop (open to ages 8—10). Timmy may register for Wilderness Survival because he will be within the age range requirement the day of the workshop.

8. Please call the library to cancel if you can not attend a workshop so that those on the waiting list have a chance to attend. We also ask that you call the workshop location beforehand if you plan to attend but might be late. **If we do not receive a phone call and you are not present for the workshop start time, according to the library's clock, you forfeit your spot.**

9. Please note that the events calendar where registration takes place may be temporarily unavailable due to routine maintenance that is out of the library's control at some point over the course of the summer. In the event that the website is down, please wait patiently and try again.

10. Please feel free to ask the staff for more information about workshops. Should you have any questions or concerns, please call the Public Relations Department at 364-7024 ext. 6 after Monday, May 26.

Thank you for participating and have a
GREAT Summer!

Iberia Parish Library

System Information

Website: www.iberialibrary.org

Main Library

445 E. Main Street, New Iberia

Phone: 364-7024

Hours:

Mon. - Thurs. 8:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Fri. & Sat. 8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sun. 1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Parkview Drive Library

500 Grand Pre' Boulevard,

New Iberia

Phone: 364-7480

Hours:

Mon. - Friday. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

St. Peter Street Library

1111 W. St. Peter Street, New Iberia

Phone: 364-7670

Hours:

Mon. - Friday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Lydia Library

4800 Freyou Road, New Iberia

Phone: 364-7808

Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Coteau Branch

2306 Coteau Road, New Iberia

Phone: 364-7430

Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Loreauville Library

612 Ed Broussard Road, Loreauville

Phone: 229-6348

Hours

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Jeanerette Branch

411 Kentucky Street, Jeanerette

Phone: 276-4014

Hours:

Mon. - Fri. 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Sat. 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Delcambre Branch

206 W. Main Street, Delcambre

Phone: 685-2388

Hours:

Mon.- Thurs. 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

1:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Friday 10:00 - 12:30 p.m.

1:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Sat. 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

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Week 1

Tues, June 3 —Fri, June 6

Wilderness Survival (Ages 10—12)

Pottery (Ages 13—17)

Farm to Table (Ages 8—12)

Registration for this week of workshops begins:

Tuesday, May 27 at 9:30 AM

****Please note that Mon, May 26 is a holiday and all branches of Iberia Parish Library will be closed. Therefore, registration will open on Tues, May 27.****

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Wilderness Survival

Instructor: Jim Foret and Skip Andaya

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Get ready to brave the great outdoors and learn what it takes to survive in the woods. This workshop will teach you how to make it in the wilderness—what to have in your pockets if you’re going to be in the woods, and how to build a shelter. You’ll learn how to find food and water, and what to do with them once you have them.

Tuesday, June 3	9:30 AM—12:30 PM	10—12 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Pottery

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Since ancient times, clay has been used to create items like bowls and pots. We still use clay today, and in this workshop we will use air-dry clay to create bowls, jewelry dishes, and trinket dishes. You can make designs on your pieces using a variety of tools available.

Wednesday, June 4	10:30 AM—12:00 PM	13—17 year olds
Wednesday, June 4	2:00 PM—3:30 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

From Farm to Table

Instructor: Jennifer Goodman with The New Iberia Community Garden

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Please, notify staff of any food allergies. Dress for mess.

Have you ever wondered where all our delicious fruits and veggies come from? How do they grow? Did you know some bugs are good for the garden?! Learn all of this and more as you decorate a planting pot and create a salad using home-grown veggies and fruits!

Friday, June 6	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	8—10 years old
Friday, June 6	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	10—12 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 2

Mon, June 9 —Fri, June 13

Mosaic Frames (Ages 10—12)

Create-A-Poster (Ages 5—10)

Kids Cooking (Ages 7—12)

Create-A-Game (Ages 13—17)

Princess Day (Ages 5—7)

**Registration for this week of workshops begins:
Monday, June 2 at 9:30 AM**

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Mosaic Frames

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Unlock the magic of storytelling through the art of mosaics. You will use a wide array of mosaic glass pieces to create your masterpiece!

Monday, June 9	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	10 - 12 years old
Monday, June 9	2:00 PM —3:30 PM	10 - 12 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Create-A-Poster

Instructor: Kate Ferry

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Local artist, Kate Ferry, will show you how to create a poster using composition, color theory, and visual storytelling. Unleash your creativity using these methods to make a one-of-a kind poster!

Tuesday, June 10	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	5—7 year olds
Tuesday, June 10	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	8—10 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Kids' Cooking

Instructor: Mandy Armentor, LSU Ag Center

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Please notify staff of any food allergies.

If you believe that delicious food only comes frozen, out of a box, or from a restaurant, then this tantalizing workshop is for you. Join Mandy Armentor as she guides you through how to make some simple yet delicious food. It's going to be a tasty treat!

Wednesday, June 11	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	7 - 8 year olds
Wednesday, June 11	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	9—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Create-A-Game

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Use your imagination to create your very own game using polymer clay, paint, and a wooden square. Make your own checker board and pieces or come up with a brand new game of your own design!

Thursday, June 12	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 year olds
Thursday, June 12	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Princess Day

Instructor: Petite Princess Company

Workshop Size: 25

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

***Participants are encouraged to dress up in their best royal attire.**

We're goin' down the bayou to meet the New Orleans Princess! She's coming to tell you a story with other fun activities. Bring your tiara and be ready for your fairytale wish to come true.

Friday, June 13	10:30 AM—11:30 AM	5—7 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 3

Mon, June 16 —Fri, June 20

Hack a Game Board (Ages 13—17)

Self Portraits (Ages 8 –12)

Teddy Bear Picnic (Ages 5—7)

Clue-Themed Murder Mystery (Ages 13—17)

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Monday, June 9 at 9:30 AM

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Hack A Game Board

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Dress for mess.

You've seen the trend going around of people painting images into thrift store paintings. We're going to follow the same concept, but instead of hacking paintings, we will be hacking game boards. Paint and draw images into the game boards or turn them into something else entirely.

Monday, June 16	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 year olds
Monday, June 16	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Self Portraits

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

***Dress for mess. Please, bring your favorite picture of yourself.**

Everyone has painted on paper, canvas, and wood, but we're going to paint self portraits on a totally unique type of canvas...egg cartons! You'll learn about perception and proportions as you create your self portrait.

Tuesday, June 17	10:30 AM—12:00 PM	8—10 year olds
Tuesday, June 17	2:00 PM—3:30 PM	10—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Teddy Bear Picnic

Instructor: Amy Bernard and Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Please, notify staff of any food allergies. Bring your own teddy bear.

Join us for a delightful Teddy Bear Picnic at the library. You and your cuddly friend will gather for a day filled with interactive games, crafts, bear hunts, and more!

Wednesday, June 18	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	5—7 year olds
Wednesday, June 18	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	5—7 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Clue-Themed Murder Mystery

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

It's the height of the roaring 20's. it is a time of unprecedented propriety, and Mr. Bartholomew Boddy has accumulated more than his fair share of wealth—most of it earned in an unscrupulous manner. He has stolen, blackmailed, cheated, and lied—and now he's dead. He was murdered somewhere in his multi-million dollar estate, and because of his misdeeds and shady dealings, he has no small list of enemies. The list has been narrowed down to 12 people who have questionable alibis. All 12 had the means and the motive to commit the crime. It is your job to discover who committed the murder, where they did it, and what they did it with.

Friday, June 20	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 4

Mon, June 24—Fri, June 28

Step-by-Step Painting (Ages 8—12)

Choose Your Own Adventure Painting (Ages 13—17)

Dinosaur Day (Ages 5—7)

Crochet Scarf (Ages 13—17)

Rock Painting (Ages 13—17)

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Monday, June 16 at 9:30 AM

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Step-by-Step Painting

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Dress for mess!

Create a beautiful piece of art that you can take home with you! Follow along with the instructions and you will have a gorgeous painting with your own unique twist.

Monday, June 23	10:00 AM—12:00 PM	8—10 years old
Monday, June 23	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	10—12 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Choose Your Own Adventure Painting

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Dress for mess!

In this interactive painting workshop, you will create your own landscape painting by selecting different options throughout the painting process. Each painting will be totally unique to your journey!

Tuesday, June 24	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 years old
Tuesday, June 24	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	13—17 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Dinosaur Day

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Attendees are encouraged to dress in dinosaur shirts.

Come have a roaring good time at our Dinosaur Day! You will get to participate in fun-filled dino activities like exploration stations, dino digs, stegosaurus hunt, and more!

Wednesday, June 25	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	5—7 year olds
Wednesday, June 25	2:00 PM—3:30 PM	5—7 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Crochet Scarf

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Learn how to create a scarf with crocheted chains. You will learn how to make slip knots and how to chain. This workshop is perfect for those who would like to start crocheting.

Thursday, June 26	10:30 AM—12:00 PM	13—17 year olds
Thursday, June 26	2:00—3:30 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time. This workshop takes place after-hours, therefore parents and guardians will not be permitted to stay inside the library while waiting for the workshop to end.		

Rock Painting

Instructor: Members of the New Iberia Spanish Festival

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Enjoy an afternoon of fun and zen painting river rocks. Members of the New Iberia Spanish Festival will show you how to add Spanish flair to your rocks. Once the workshop is done, you can keep your rocks or hide them around the community for others to find.

Friday, June 27	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 5

Mon, June 30—Thurs, July 3

Cupcake Decorating (Ages 5—10)

Down the Rabbit Hole: Escape Room (Ages 13—17)

Indoor Field Day (Ages 5—10)

**Registration for this week of workshops begins:
Monday, June 23 at 9:30 AM**

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Cupcake Decorating

Instructor: Nicole Segura with Millside Market

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Let's have a sweet time decorating cupcakes! You will get hands-on experience learning basic decorating techniques using frosting, sprinkles, and more. Everyone will be able to take their decorated cupcakes home (if we can resist the sweet treat).

Monday, June 30	10:00 AM—11:00 AM	5—7 year olds
Monday, June 30	2:00 PM—3:00 PM	8—10 year olds

All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.

Down the Rabbit Hole: Escape Room

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

The tea party went just right. Everyone had a great time. As your guests leave, you notice this small, white rabbit following you everywhere you go. Where did it come from? You try to touch him, but he runs away. You follow him behind some bushes, but he hides in this small hole in the ground. As you look closer, you are absorbed down the rabbit hole, floating in a whimsical world where cards and teapots are levitating around you. You find a small tunnel, crawl inside, and find yourself in an empty room where only a small bottle sits on the ground. "Drink me," a small label reads. Will you take the risk to do so, or do you want to be stuck here forever?

Tuesday, July 1	10:00 AM—11:15 AM	13—17 years old
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All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.

Indoor Field Day

Instructor: Kali Landry with The Gym of New Iberia

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

***Please wear loose, comfortable clothing that is easy to move in.**

Let the games begin! Your favorite field day games are adapted to indoors, so we'll still have tons of fun no matter the heat or rain. We'll have egg and spoon races, hula hooping, minute to win it games, and much more!

Thursday, July 3	10:00 AM—11:00 AM	5—7 year olds
Thursday, July 3	1:00 PM—2:00 PM	8—10 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 6

Mon, July 7—Fri, July 11

Sundials (Ages 8—12)
Teen Cooking (Ages 13—17)
Tunnel Books (Ages 8—12)
Adopt A Plush (Ages 5—7)
Mario Day (Ages 13—17)

**Registration for this week of workshops begins:
Monday, June 30 at 9:30 AM**

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Sundials

Instructor: Dave Hostetter

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Before cell phones, Apple Watches, cuckoo clocks, and Big Ben, there was the sundial. Babylonians in 2000 B.C. probably used this device to tell time by measuring the angle of a shadow cast by the sun. In this workshop, astronomer Dave Hostetter will help you make your own sundial to take home, and he'll explain how to use it to tell solar time accurately.

Tuesday, July 8	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	8—10 year olds
Tuesday, July 8	2:00 PM—3:30 PM	10—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Teen Cooking

Instructor: Mandy Armentor, LSU Ag. Center

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Please notify staff of any food allergies.

Put down your Lunchables® and cast aside your Doritos®! It's time to level up your snacking in this workshop! To have the good stuff, you have to put forth a little effort and learn the ropes. Aprons on and spatulas at the ready, because the teens are taking over the kitchen!

Wednesday, July 9	10:00 PM—11:30 AM	13—17 years old
Wednesday, July 9	1:30 PM—3:00 PM	13—17 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Tunnel Books

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Tunnel books are a type of 3-D art that dates all the way back to the mid-18th century. In this workshop, you'll create a 3-D scene and tell a story using different textures, colors, and media.

Thursday, July 10	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	8—10 years old
Thursday, July 10	3:00 PM—4:30 PM	10—12 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Adopt A Plush

Instructor: Nancy Landry with Acadiana Spay and Neuter

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Adopt a stuffed animal plush and navigate stations to learn how to care for your pet. The stations will include learning how to groom your pet, listen to their heartbeat, give them a physical exam, and more!

Friday, July 11	10:00 AM—11:00 AM	5—7 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Mario Day

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 20

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Super Mario has been one of the most popular video games for families for decades. You'll have a fun afternoon creating a plush Fire Flower and clay Piranha Plants. You will also compete in mini games from Mario Party. Who will collect the most stars and when the title of Superstar?

Friday, June 11	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	13—17 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 7

Mon, July 14—Fri, July 18

Beginning Hip Hop (Ages 5—12)

Woodworking (Ages 8—12)

Christmas in July (Ages 5—10)

Weaving (Ages 13—17)

**Registration for this week of workshops begins:
Monday, July 7 at 9:30 AM**

To register visit or call any branch of Iberia Parish Library. Also, you can visit iberialibrary.org. Space is limited. First come, first served.

If registered participants are not present at the workshop start time, according to our clocks, they will forfeit their spot and we will begin calling stand-bys to fill those open spots. If you anticipate being late, please call the workshop location BEFORE the start time to reserve your spot. If we do not receive a phone call, your spot will not be held.

Beginning Hip Hop

Instructor: Studio 84

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

***Please wear loose, comfortable clothing that is easy to move in.**

Listening to hip hop makes you want to get up and dance with the beat. In this fun rhythmic workshop, instructors from Studio 84 will teach you the basics of hip hop dancing and help you bust a move!

Tuesday, July 15	10:00 AM—11:00 AM	5—7 year olds
Tuesday, July 15	1:00 PM—2:00 PM	8—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Woodworking

Instructor: Chantel Wilson with Lowes

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Discover the art of woodworking in this special wood shop workshop taught by experts from Lowes. Whether you are a beginner or have some experience, this hands-on workshop will cover essential woodworking techniques and help you build a small project from start to finish.

Wednesday, July 16	9:30 AM—10:30 AM	8—10 year olds
Wednesday, July 16	11:00 AM—12:00 PM	10—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Christmas in July

Instructor: Amy Bernard & Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

***Attendees are encouraged to dress in holiday pajamas.**

Jingle bells, jingle bells, jingle all the...WAIT... it's July! That's right! In the summer heat we are thinking of cool weather, stockings, and sleigh bells. In this workshop you'll feel holly and jolly making Christmas crafts and playing holiday-themed games.

Thursday, July 17	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	5—7 year olds
Thursday, July 17	3:00 PM—4:30 PM	8—10 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Weaving

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

Learn the art of weaving! In this workshop you will weave two coasters out of yarn. One will have a basic stipe design and the other will have a chevron design.

Friday, July 18	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Week 8

Mon, July 21—Wed, July 23

Cookie Decorating (Ages 8—12)
Book End Art (Ages 8—12)
Step-by-Step Painting (Ages 13—17)

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Cookie Decorating

Instructor: Lydia Food Store

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

***Please, notify staff of any food allergies. Dress for mess.**

Get ready to sprinkle some fun for the end of summer! You'll learn simple, creative techniques for decorating cookies with colorful icing, sprinkles, and edible decorations.

Monday, July 21	10:00 AM—11:00 AM	8—10 year olds
Monday, July 21	1:00 PM—2:00 PM	10—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Book End Art

Instructor: Amy Bernard and Karen Pajeaud

Workshop Size: 12

Workshop Location: St. Peter Branch

***Dress for mess.**

Do you love to read? Do you love to paint? Let your creativity unite with your joy for reading in this workshop. You'll paint bookends to take home with you for your shelves.

Tuesday, July 22	10:00 AM—11:30 AM	8—10 year olds
Tuesday, July 22	1:00 PM—2:30 PM	10—12 year olds
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

Step-by-Step Painting

Instructor: Erica Romero

Workshop Size: 15

Workshop Location: Parkview Branch

Dress for mess!

Create a beautiful piece of art that you can take home with you! Follow along with the instructions and you will have a gorgeous painting with your own unique twist.

Wednesday, July 23	10:30 AM—12:30 PM	13—17 years old
Wednesday, July 23	2:00 PM—4:00 PM	13—17 years old
All registered participants must be at the workshop location at LEAST 10 minutes before the workshop start time.		

More Programming

Youth Tiny Art Reception (All Ages)

Performances (All Ages)

There is no registration for this program.

Join us for family programming for all ages! No registration is needed. For the following programs, children twelve and under must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. For more programming for ALL ages, outside of the summer workshop program, see our newsletter at any of our branches or on our website, iberialibrary.org.

Youth Tiny Art Reception

Location: Parkview Branch

Throughout the summer, children and teens have been working on tiny masterpieces. A reception is being held for everyone to see their works of art! The artists will also be acknowledged at the reception.

Friday, July 25	6:00 PM—7:00 PM	All ages!
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Performances!

Size: No registration! All are welcome!

Age: All ages are welcome!

Join us throughout the summer to enjoy various performances from music to theatre and more! These performances will happen twice a day at different locations! We look forward to seeing you there!

Monday, June 2	Didgeridoo Down Under	10:00 AM: Parkview Branch 2:00 PM: Coteau Branch
Wednesday, July 2	Bil Lepp	10:00 AM: St. Peter Branch 2:00 PM: Jeanerette Branch
Monday, July 7	Zak Morgan	10:00 AM: Parkview Branch 2:00 PM: St. Peter Branch
Monday, July 14	Lady Chops	10:00 AM: Loreauville Branch 2:00 PM: Lydia Branch

More Programming

All Iberia Parish Library branch locations are decorated as different games this year! In addition to the library's annual summer workshop program, the library branch locations also have fun programs for all ages! You can find these programs in our newsletter. View our newsletter on our website, iberialibrary.org, or pick up a copy at any Iberia Parish Library location!

Iberia Parish Library Adventures:

Main Library—Favorite Childhood Games

St. Peter Branch—Candy Land

Parkview Branch—Wheel of Fortune

Jeanerette Branch—Super Mario

Loreauville Branch—Monopoly

Coteau Branch—Pac-Man

Lydia Branch—Minecraft

Summer Storytimes!

No registration! All are welcome!

All Iberia Parish Library locations are offering weekly storytimes!

Main Library	Every Thursday	10:00 AM
Parkview Branch	Every Tuesday	10:00 AM
St. Peter Branch	Every Wednesday	4:00 PM
Jeanerette Branch	Every Thursday	4:00 PM
Loreauville Branch	Every Wednesday	4:00 PM
Coteau Branch	Every Thursday	4:00 PM
Lydia Branch	Every Tuesday	4:00 PM

The Fun Continues

Did you know we offer fun programs all year long? All Iberia Parish Library locations offer programs for all ages, from cute crafts to movie nights to educational and entertaining lectures! We also offer storytimes all year long! To see our full schedule of events and programs, take a look at our newsletter! You can view our newsletter on our website, iberialibrary.org, or pick up a copy at any Iberia Parish Library location!

Summer Passports

This summer's theme is "Level Up at Your Library," and in honor of this game theme, all libraries in Iberia Parish will be themed to a different game. We want the youth of Iberia Parish to visit all library locations, so we created a special passport for teens and children. Each library branch will have a special stamp, and your teen/child can have their passport stamped when they visit each branch. The passports can only be stamped one time per branch. We will have a prize drawing for those teens and children who have visited all seven branches of the Iberia Parish Library system.

When you have all seven stamps, be sure to fill out your name and contact information on the passport, and return it to any Iberia Parish Library branch. The last day to get your passport stamped and turned in is Thurs, July 31st. The drawing for the prize is Fri, Aug. 1st.

This is open for children and teens ages 5-17. The teen/child must be present when the librarian stamps their passport.

Iberia Parish Library Summer Reading Program!

May 19th - July 25th

Get ready to read!

The Iberia Parish Library is gearing up for our summer reading program! It offers patrons of all ages the opportunity to earn prizes for reading. Children, from birth through high school and adults are invited to participate.

Are you ready to read?

Sign up! Read! Earn Prizes!

There are two ways to register for this challenge and log your minutes for Summer Reading!

1. Stop by or call any branch of Iberia Parish Library and a staff member will register you and/or your family! You may log your minutes the same way.
 2. Go to iberialibrary.beanstack.org OR download the Beanstack app on your Android or IOS device. Create an account and start logging minutes for you and your family! If you have previously participated in one (or more) of our reading challenges, you do not need to create a new Beanstack account. Just log in with your previous credentials. You may be asked to update or verify your information.
- Registration begins Mon, May 19. Prizes can be redeemed at any branch of the Iberia Parish Library starting Mon, June 16. The last day to redeem is Fri, Aug 1.

Summer Reading levels

For more information on the 2025 Summer Reading program, informational packets will be available at each branch of Iberia Parish Library starting May 19th.

Pre-Readers | Ages 0—5

- 1. Register at any library branch or via Beanstack.**
- 2. Complete all of the required activities on the log.**

Children | Ages 6—12

- 1. Register at any library branch or via Beanstack.**
- 2. Read to reach a total of 2,000 minutes! That's only 30 minutes a day!**
- 3. Come in to any branch to pick up your prizes as you complete each level!**

Teens | Ages 13-17

- 1. Register at any library branch or via Beanstack.**
- 2. Read to reach a total of 2,000 minutes! That's only 30 minutes a day!**
- 3. Come in to any branch to pick up your prizes as you complete each level!**

Adults | Ages 18+

- 1. Register at any library branch or via Beanstack.**
- 2. Read to reach a total of 2,000 minutes! That's only 30 minutes a day!**
- 3. Come in to any branch to pick up your prizes as you complete each level!**

We would like to thank Raising Cane's #47 of New Iberia, the Snowball Factory, Sonic of Jeanerette, Village Deaux, Simple Faith Coffee Company, Cool Scene, and the Friends of the Library for sponsoring this year's summer reading program.

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JE: Jeanerette Branch
PKV: Parkview Branch
LYD: Lydia Branch
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LOR: Loreauville Branch

June 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Performance No registration Didgeridoo Down Under PKV: 10:00 AM COT: 2:00 PM	3 Wilderness Survival: STP 9:30 AM—12:30 PM	4 Pottery: PKV 10:30 AM—12:00 PM 2:00 PM—2:30 PM	5	6 Farm to Table: STP 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 1:00 PM—2:30 PM	7
8	9 Mosaic Frames: PKV 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 2:00 PM—3:30 PM	10 Create-A-Poster: PKV 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 1:00 PM—2:30 PM	11 Kids Cooking: STP 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 1:00 PM—2:30 PM	12 Create-A-Game: STP 10:30 AM—12:30 PM 2:00—4:00 PM	13 Princes Day: STP 10:30 AM—11:30 AM	14
15	16 Hack a Game Board: PKV 10:30 AM—12:30 PM 2:00 PM—4:00 PM	17 Self Portraits: STP 10:30 AM—12:00 PM 2:00 PM—3:30 PM	18 Teddy Bear Picnic: STP 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 1:00 PM—2:30 PM	19 CLOSED	20 Murder Mystery: PKV 10:30 AM—12:30 PM	21
22	23 Step-by-Step Painting: PKV 10:00 AM—12:00 PM 2:00—4:00 PM	24 Choose Your Own Adventure Painting: STP: 10:30 AM—12:30 PM 2:00—4:00 PM	25 Dinosaur Day: PKV 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 2:00 PM—3:30 PM	26 Crochet Scarf: STP 10:30 AM—12:00 PM 2:00 PM—3:30 PM	27 Rock Painting: PKV 1:00 PM—2:30 PM	28
29	30 Cupcake Decorating: STP 10:00 AM—11:00 AM 2:00 PM—3:00 PM					

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 Escape Room: PKV 10:00 AM—11:15 AM	2 Performance No registration Bill Lepp STP: 10:00 AM JE: 2:00 PM	3 Indoor Field Day: PKV 10:00 AM—11:00 AM 1:00 PM—2:00 PM	4 CLOSED	5
6	7 Performance No registration Zak Morgan PKV: 10:00 AM STP: 2:00 PM	8 Sundials: PKV 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 2:00 PM—3:30 PM	9 Teen Cooking: STP 10:00 AM—11:30 AM 1:30 PM—3:00 PM	10 Tunnel Books: STP 1:00 PM—2:30 PM 3:00 PM—4:30 PM	11 Adopt A Plush: STP 10:00 AM—11:00 AM Mario Day: PKV 2:00 PM—4:00 PM	12
13	14 Performance No registration Lady Chops LOR: 10:00 AM LYD: 2:00 PM	15 Beginning Hip Hop: STP 10:00 AM—11:00 AM 1:00 PM—2:00 PM	16 Woodworking: STP 9:30 AM—10:30 AM 11:00 AM—12:00 PM	17 Christmas in July: PKV 1:00 PM—2:30 PM 3:00 PM—4:30 PM	18 Weaving: STP 10:30 AM—12:30 PM	19
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27	28	29	30	31		



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KIDS COOKING
WILDERNESS SURVIVAL
ADOPT-A-PLUSH
MOSAIC FRAMES
PRINCESS DAY
SELF PORTRAITS
COOKIE DECORATING
AND MORE!**

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