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Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  
Thursday, September 8, 6 p.m.

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**Next Friends Of The Library Board Of Directors Meeting:**  
Orlando Public Library, Magnolia/Palm Room  
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COMING SOON...

# FIGUREHEAD

# MUSIC & MAYHEM

IN ORLANDO'S UNDERGROUND

NEW EXHIBITION OPENS SEPTEMBER 10

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Sept. 7, 2022, 12-4 PM

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Meet, network and interview with nearly 100 employers under one roof!



## FROM THE INTERIM DIRECTOR

September is National Library Card Sign-up Month, which means we'll spend a lot of time in the coming weeks encouraging community members to sign up or renew their cards with us. There's no downside to having a card – it's free if you live in our service area, and your library card unlocks a whole world of resources that some people pay an awful lot to purchase from places like Amazon, Audible, Hulu and LinkedIn.

This month, though, I also want to send a message to those of you who already have a card with us. I want to encourage you to take the time to use it. I can't tell you how many people share with me that they have a library card – they just haven't used it in a long time. If you're one of those people, I'd like to invite you to use your card this month, even if it's just for one single thing.

You can come in and check out a book, of course, which is what most people think of when they think about the library. But here's the thing – you don't even have to step foot inside the library to get a book. If you go to our website and find something you want to read, you can check it out online and ask us to deliver it to your home. Or you can download the Libby app for your smartphone or tablet, browse thousands of audiobooks and ebooks and stream them or download them to a tablet or e-reader.

You can also use Libby to stream thousands of critically acclaimed films available through Kanopy. You can watch them on your phone, your computer or your TV, just like you can with your favorite paid TV services. You can use Libby's Crafts app to learn all sorts of handy skills online – quilting, sewing, woodworking, painting, photography and more. You can stream great concerts from some of your favorite artists and catch up on music documentaries through Qello Concerts.

The library's website is also a treasure trove of amazing information, and your library card gets you access to all of it – from language-learning tutorials and lessons online to career prep resources to investment information to legal forms you can use to start (or support) your small business.

I could go on and on, but I won't. Instead, I'm just going to ask you to take a few minutes of your time this month to dust off your library card and use it for something – anything at all. Download a book. Log into Mango Languages on our website. Watch an Elton John concert. Stream a movie with your friends or family. There's no cost, no obligation and no strings attached. Welcome back to your library.



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A vibrant, colorful promotional graphic for the Orange County Library System. The background is a bright blue sky with white clouds. At the top, the text "I GOT CARD" is written in large, stylized, multi-colored letters. Below this, a hand is shown holding an "ORANGE COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM" card. To the right of the hand, there is a rainbow graphic with the word "COOL" written above it. At the bottom, the text "LEARN.GROW.CONNECT." is written in large, bold, multi-colored letters. The entire graphic is framed by a thick, multi-colored border. A QR code is visible in the bottom right corner of the graphic.



IN-PERSON

THE BASICS OF BEEKEEPING  
WITH WINTER PARK HONEY

Orlando Public Library,  
Albertson Room  
*Friday, September 23, Noon*  
Winter Park Honey visits the library to help you get started in beekeeping. Learn about equipment, safe habits and the best type of hive for your needs. Part of the Sustainability Series sponsored by the Friends of the Orange County Library System. Registration required.



**Creative Coloring for Adults**  
Fairview Shores Branch  
*Friday, September 2, 10:30 a.m.*  
Coloring is a great way to relax and unwind while channeling your inner child. All supplies will be provided, but feel free to bring your favorite colored pencils or markers. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Adult Game Time**  
Windermere Branch  
*Saturdays, September 3–24, 3–4:30 p.m.*  
Get your game on! Spend a fun afternoon playing games and meeting new friends. From party games to classic cards, on a team or on your own, enjoy seeing how the dice roll. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Plant Clinic**  
Chickasaw Branch  
*Thursday, September 8, 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.*  
**West Oaks Branch**  
*Saturday, September 10, 10:15 a.m.–12:15 p.m.*  
Bring your plants and ask questions! Master Gardener Volunteers from the UF/IFAS Orange County Extension Office will be available to answer your gardening questions.

**Tobacco Free Florida**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Thursday, September 8, Noon–1:30 p.m.*  
Tools to Quit from Tobacco Free Florida will provide you with the valuable tools you need to help you quit tobacco.

**Alphabet Calligraphy**  
South Trail Branch  
*Saturday, September 10, 1–2:30 p.m.*  
Join artist Lynda Chandler as she demonstrates how to practice lettering the alphabet. Explore how to create different fonts using a variety of pens and techniques. Registration required.

**Self Care:**  
**Journaling Using Your Planner**  
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  
*Sunday, September 11, 1:30–3:30 p.m.*  
Enjoy a short presentation on journaling your thoughts using your planner for self care before open planner project time. Bring your own supplies and connect and share ideas with other planners.

**Tea & Conversation**  
South Creek Branch  
*Saturday, September 17, 2:30 p.m.*  
This monthly social is designed to bring adults together. Share your stories and have a cup of tea in this celebration of everyday life.

**Therapeutic Pottery Program**  
Fairview Shores Branch  
*Tuesday, September 20, 12:30 p.m.*  
Learn about the history of clay and the benefits to your body of working with clay while being led through a step-by-step pottery event. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Rethink Your Drink**  
Chickasaw Branch  
*Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.*  
Learn about sugary drinks and how to read their nutritional label. Discover how to choose and make low-cost drinks with less sugar. Presented by Carolina Tavarez and Linnea Kennedy, nutrition educators with the UF/IFAS Extension Family Nutrition Program.

**En Persona: Merienda y Aprende:**  
**Haciendo un Cambio Saludable**  
Southeast Branch  
*Friday, September 23, 1:30 p.m.*  
Estas luchando por comer saludable, hacer ejercicio, o reducir estrés? Hacer un cambio saludable no es fácil pero estamos aquí para ayudarle con 7 pasos sencillos.

**Altered Books Workshop**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Saturday, September 24, 2:30–4:30 p.m.*  
Junk journal, scrapbook, diary? Bring your imagination and join us to discover the possibilities of altered books at this monthly workshop. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Marble Dipped Mugs**  
South Creek Branch  
*Sunday, September 25, 2 p.m.*  
Learn how to create unique marble dipped mugs using nail polish. All supplies will be provided. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**How to Build a PC**  
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  
*Tuesday, September 27, Noon*  
Whether you want to play games, create media or just want to learn more about how computers work, building your own PC is a great way to get exactly what you need. Registration required

**Mindfulness Meditation**  
Southwest Branch  
*Friday, September 30, 4:30 p.m.*  
Practice techniques of mindfulness and meditation for well-being and vibrancy. Taught by Rev. Dr. Viviana Collazo, Luminous Holistic Center. All levels welcome. Bring own mat. Chairs available. Recommended for ages 15 and up.

VIRTUAL

**Southwest Film Club**  
*Tuesday, September 6, 7–8:30 p.m.*  
The Southwest Film Club discusses the themes and importance of a movie each month. All films available with your library card on Kanopy.

**Craft and Chat**  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, 10:30 a.m.–Noon*  
Work on your art or craft projects while connecting with other crafters and artists. All levels of art or crafting experience are welcome. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Meditation and Yoga**  
*Thursdays, September 8–29, 7 p.m.*  
Explore Deepak Chopra's *Seven Spiritual Laws of Success* through meditation and movement. Examine the union of mind and body with a relaxing yoga sequence for all levels, followed by a guided meditation.

**Semamori Paper**  
**Stitched Patterns**  
*Friday, September 9, 10:30–11:45 a.m.*  
Semamori are traditional Japanese auspicious patterns. Learn about the meaning and history of the featured Semamori pattern. Pierce and stitch the pattern on paper.

**Yoga**  
*Monday, September 12, 9 a.m.*  
Get moving with this energizing and relaxing yoga sequence for all levels. Tap into the strength, balance, flexibility and relaxation that your body can provide you.

**How to Talk to Your Doctor**  
*Wednesday, September 14, 11 a.m.*  
Join Jessica Daly, faculty librarian and assistant professor with Advent Health University, as she discusses how to prepare, what to do during and how to follow up at your next doctor's visit.

**Podcast Listening Club**  
*Tuesday, September 20, 7–8:30 p.m.*  
Join us to discuss a themed podcast listening list. Like a book club, but instead of reading a pre-selected book, listen to informative and interesting podcasts. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Altered Books Workshop**  
*Saturday, September 24, 3 p.m.*  
Junk Journal, scrapbook, diary? Bring your imagination and join us to discover the possibilities of altered books at this monthly workshop. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Chair Yoga**  
*Monday, September 26, 11 a.m.*  
Get moving with this energizing and relaxing Chair Yoga sequence for all levels. Tap into the strength, balance, flexibility and relaxation that your body can provide you. Requires use of a chair.

IN-PERSON

**MAKE YOUR OWN SUMMER ROLLS**  
Windermere Branch  
*Friday, September 9, Noon*  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 4:30 p.m.*

Learn how to make delicious, refreshing and healthy Vietnamese summer rolls with chef Ha Rhoda during this hands-on class that's perfect for all ages. Registration required.



VIRTUAL

**PAPAS RELLENAS**  
*Wednesday, September 21, 6 p.m.*  
Yamira Lee Johnson, head chef and founder of Breaking Bread with Mira, will show us how to make papas rellenas. Learn how to make this dish with potatoes and a yuca version using alternative fillings.





IN-PERSON

ART THAT  
BRINGS US JOY

**Southwest Branch**  
*On Display Through September 30*  
Artists and sisters Joan Innes and Lorna Heide bring together a joyous display of art featuring nature-inspired watercolor and acrylic paintings on canvas (Joan) and acrylic dot art on beautiful historic windows (Lorna).

**Buildings, Lines & Reflections**  
**Orlando Public Library,**  
**2nd Floor Gallery**  
*On Display Through November 30*  
Melrose Photography Instructor Pedro Berrios has over 30 years of experience as an editorial and commercial photographer. See his latest exhibit of stunning images which focus on the architecture of Downtown Orlando bathed in compelling light.



MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY  
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IN-PERSON

MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY:  
SHANNON RAE

**Orlando Public Library**  
*Saturday, September 10, 2 p.m.*  
Seasoned vocalist Shannon Rae will perform adored classics from our past. Hear songs every generation will enjoy, you might even catch yourself singing along.

LIBRARY OFFICE HOURS WITH  
TEAM ANNA

by Jenn Schock, Assistant Manager, Marketing & Public Relations

Over the summer, members from the office of Florida Rep. Anna Eskamani visited several Orange County Library System branches to hold Library Office Hours, a time for constituents to ask questions, find resources and sign-up for assistance services. Rep. Eskamani herself even stopped by to meet Orange County residents and hear about what matters most to their lives. She also took time to renew her own library card! As an Orlando native and an elected official, we asked what role OCLS has had in her life and how she thinks library services benefit the community.

Why did you decide to use the library to hold public office hours?

Libraries are trusted institutions and familiar places for people to gather, share ideas, learn new things and tell stories. It's also a place where folks often go in search of support or to acquire a new skill and craft. We know that meeting with a legislative office (or any government official) can be intimidating, and also geographically not possible for every person – especially if you don't have a car. So in an effort to meet our community at a hyper local level and make government more accessible, we reached out to Orange County Library System to make these Summer Library Office Hours a reality!

What role have books and libraries played in your life?

Books and libraries played a huge role in my life. I became an avid reader in third grade, and would spend hours in my school library, public library, and UCF library when I was a student there. Public libraries were especially meaningful as my whole family would go together. My dad would check out the science section and VHS tapes, my mom would explore the home design books and my sister and I would look through chapter books and CDs. I was especially a fan of Nancy Drew and remember signing on to the waiting list to read the newest Harry Potter books too. I actually remember being very young and visiting the Downtown Library for the first time with my Mom. She passed away in 2004 when I was 13 years old, so those memories are really meaningful to me.

In your recent visits to different library branches, did you learn anything new about library resources?

It was amazing to see just how much new technology is available to our community via our public libraries, and all of the awesome classes that are provided for folks to learn new skills. I also learned a lot about the different cultural displays at each library, and the role of library staff in creating safe and welcoming environments for all.

September is National Library Card Sign-up Month. Why would you encourage people to sign-up for a library card?

Signing up for a library card is an opportunity to learn and grow!

What have you read recently?

Unfortunately, these days most of what I read are bills and policy memos, but right now I am re-reading *The Turnaway Study*, a prospective longitudinal study examining the effects of unwanted pregnancy on women's lives. They have an audiobook version, too!







IN-PERSON

**Celebrating Healthy Aging – LIFE Information for Elders**  
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  
**Thursday, September 15, 12:10 p.m.**  
Join Bernadette Cipriani Major, community relations coordinator with Halifax Health, as she discusses healthy living that includes mind, body and soul in celebration of Healthy Aging Month. This seminar is part of the monthly LIFE Information for Elders series. To register, email [OfficeonAging@ocfl.net](mailto:OfficeonAging@ocfl.net) or call 407-836-7446. Seating is limited. Registration required.

**Understanding Real Estate & Insurance in Today's Market Smarter Senior Seminar Series**  
Alafaya Branch  
**Wednesday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.**  
Mike Flahaven, certified senior housing professional, will speak on real estate. Hear options to get the most money for your home. Discuss phone solicitations and scams. Andrew Ray, Blanchard Insurance, will discuss insurance changes. This event is part of the ongoing Smarter Senior Seminar Series. To learn more, visit [yourfloridahaven.com](http://yourfloridahaven.com).

**Snack & Learn: Preventing Falls**  
Hiawassee Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 11 a.m.**  
The risk of falling increases with age. Learn what can put you at risk for falls, ways to help prevent falls, tips to fall-proof your home and more. This event is part of the ongoing Snack & Learn series presented by Casman Mosby, CarePlus Health Plans. Snacks are provided to participants.

IN-PERSON



**YOU HAVE A MOVIE SCRIPT IDEA: NOW WHAT?**  
Orlando Public Library, Albertson Room  
**Sunday, September 18, 4 p.m.**  
If you have an idea for a movie script, what are the next steps? Screenwriter and professor Jennie Jarvis will discuss how to develop and sell your movie script.

VIRTUAL

**Exploring Romance Writing Categories and Tropes**  
**Thursday, September 1, 7 p.m.**  
Author and professor Tamra Artelia Martin will introduce romance writing genres and story tropes. Learn about popular romantic storylines and tropes romance authors use to captivate readers.

**OCLS Writer's Group**  
**Sunday, September 11, 4 p.m.**  
Join your fellow writers for critique, discussion and camaraderie. Writers of all genres and experience are welcome. Please attend one meeting before submitting a piece for critique.

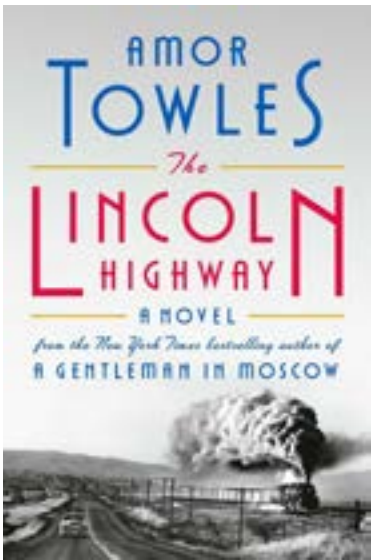
**Crafting and Revising Dialogue**  
**Tuesday, September 13, 7 p.m.**  
Learn the four traits of dialogue and an actionable revision tactic that includes examining dialogue from an actor's perspective from author, professor and screenwriter Allen Gorney.

IN-PERSON

**Southeast Book Club**  
Southeast Branch  
**Monday, September 12, 3 p.m.**

VIRTUAL

**Monday, September 12, 7 p.m.**  
Join the Southeast Book Club to discuss our book selection, *The Lincoln Highway* by Amor Towles.



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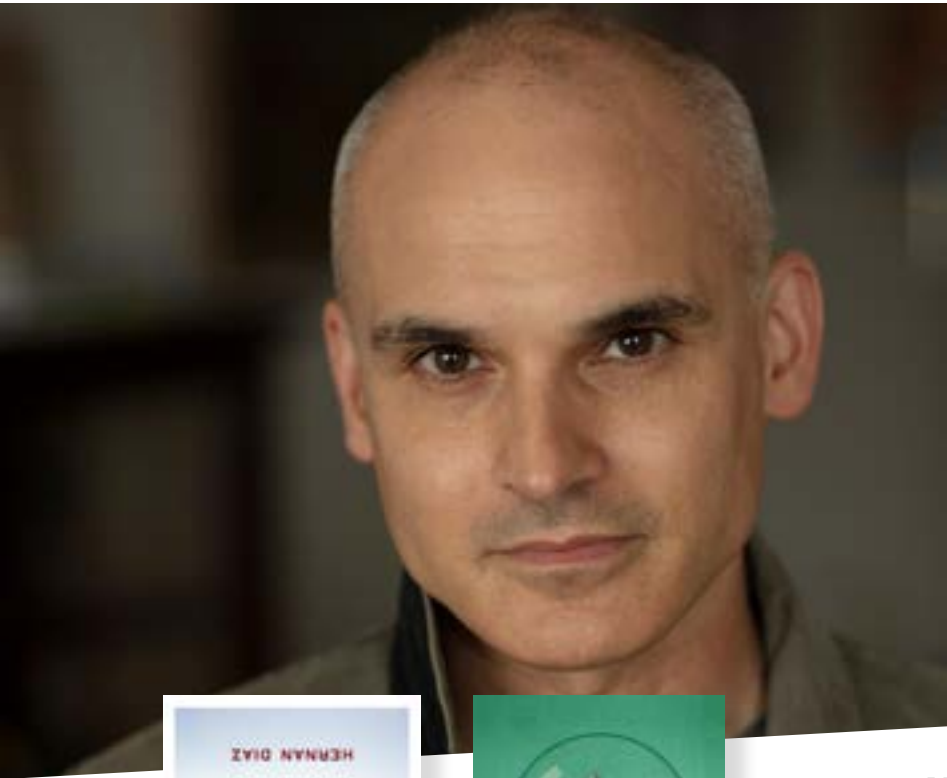
**Central Florida Book Club**  
**Tuesday, September 13, 10–11:30 a.m.**  
Join us on the second Tuesday of each month as we discuss a wide range of books.

**Hiawassee Book Club**  
**Monday, September 19, 7 p.m.**  
In September the Hiawassee Book Club will discuss *The Last Thing He Told Me* by Laura Dave.

**Southwest Book Club**  
**Tuesday, September 27, 7–8:45 p.m.**  
Join us to discuss *Bewilderment* by Richard Powers. A story on loneliness, tragedy and love for life and family featuring a widowed astrobilologist and his son. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

**Winter Garden Book Club**  
**Thursday, September 29, 6 p.m.**  
Join us as we discuss *Nine Perfect Strangers* by Liane Moriarty.

VIRTUAL



**Author Talk with Dr. Michele Borba**  
**Thursday, September 8, 2 p.m.**  
Join us in conversation with bestselling author and expert in child development, Dr. Michele Borba, as she discusses her book, *Thrivers: Surprising Reasons Why Some Kids Struggle and Others Thrive*.

**Author Talk with Simon Winchester**  
**Tuesday, September 20, 2 p.m.**  
Join us for a conversation with prolific British-American writer, journalist, consummate adventurer and *New York Times* bestselling author, Simon Winchester.



**AUTHOR TALK WITH HERNAN DIAZ**  
**Tuesday, September 27, 4 p.m.**  
Join us for an afternoon with Pulitzer Prize finalist and PEN/Faulkner Award-winner Hernan Diaz, author of *In the Distance* and *Trust*.



# NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

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## IN-PERSON

### MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY: LA CALLE BAND

Orlando Public Library, Library Central  
**Saturday, September 17, 11 a.m.**  
The Latin pop band, La Calle Band delivers the quintessential Latin street party – a seamless blend of music and dance. The energetic, up-tempo music is always sure to get a crowd moving.



### MEXICAN DANZA

Orlando Public Library, Library Central  
**Sunday, September 18, 2 p.m.**  
Southeast Branch  
**Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.**  
Chickasaw Branch  
**Friday, September 30, 11 a.m.**  
Experience a live Mexican folkloric dance performance. Enjoy colorful costumes and traditional Mexican music.



### MUSIC IN THE LIBRARY: VIVA MEXICO FOLKLORE

Orlando Public Library, Library Central  
**Sunday, September 25, 3 p.m.**  
Embark on a musical journey from the coastal Veracruz region of Mexico to the northern border states of Monterrey and Tamaulipas. Experience traditional Mexican folklore and culture in song and dance.



## IN-PERSON

### Redescubre Lo Nuestro Por Siempre María: A Hurricane's Legacy

**Five Years Later**  
Orlando Public Library  
**Saturday, September 17, 3 p.m.**  
*Por Siempre María* showcases the beautiful photography of Janel Norton. Taken in the immediate aftermath of Hurricane María, Norton's photographs capture the essence of the Puerto Rican spirit even in time of turmoil and despair. Join us to view this exhibit and help keep alive the legacy of the families impacted by Hurricane María.

### Remembering Puerto Rican Arts & Culture Five Years After Maria

Chickasaw Branch  
**Tuesday, September 20, 5 p.m.**  
Learn how Hurricane Maria affected the cultural expression of people in Puerto Rico and in the diaspora through language, music, performance and literature from a panel of four Puerto Rican speakers.



## IN-PERSON

### Let's Talk About Bruno

South Creek Branch  
**Friday, September 2, 4 p.m.**  
The family Madrigal is opening Casita's doors! Discover your gift with magical crafts and activities while dancing to songs from Disney's *Encanto*. Recommended for families with children ages 6 and up.

### Family Art Adventures: Rafael Lopez

Southeast Branch  
**Friday, September 9, 4 p.m.**  
West Oaks Branch  
**Wednesday, September 21, 4 p.m.**  
South Creek Branch  
**Thursday, September 22, 4:30 p.m.**  
Learn about author, illustrator and muralist Rafael Lopez. Then create a masterpiece in his style. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.

### Kids Movie Matinee

North Orange Branch  
**Sunday, September 11, 2–4 p.m.**  
Learn about some of the Colombian culture that inspired *Encanto*, then enjoy watching the movie. Recommended for ages 6–12.

### Sesame Street Storytime

Southwest Branch  
**Tuesday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.**  
Sing, dance and learn your way through the alphabet and numbers with interactive stories and activities inspired by *Plaza Sésamo!* Recommended for ages 2–5.

### Encanto Storytime

Alafaya Branch  
**Tuesday, September 13, 11 a.m.**  
Celebrate the family Madrigal with stories, songs and games inspired by the movie *Encanto*. Registration required for each child. Recommended for ages 3–5.

### Family Art Adventures: Patterns in Peru!

Southwest Branch  
**Wednesday, September 14, 10:30 a.m.**  
South Creek Branch  
**Saturday, September 24, 2 p.m.**  
Chickasaw Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 11 a.m.**  
West Oaks Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 4 p.m.**  
Weave in a little art-time as we travel the up and down the Andes! Create a vibrant paper tapestry inspired by traditional patterned textiles of Peru. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.

### Celebrate with Dora and Friends

Chickasaw Branch  
**Wednesday, September 14, 11 a.m.**  
Southwest Branch  
**Tuesday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.**  
West Oaks Branch  
**Tuesday, September 20, 11 a.m.**  
Grab your backpacks and let's go, vámonos! Join in on the adventure to create crafts and hear stories inspired by *Dora the Explorer* and her amigos. Recommended for ages 3–5.

### Cuisine Corner: Tortilla Española with Chef Nenko

Fairview Shores Branch  
**Friday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.**  
Chef Nenko is a professional chef who has served as Executive Chef at Mi Tomatina Paella Bar & Pepe's Cantina. This month he'll be sharing his recipe for Tortilla Española. Registration required. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

### Creatures of the Night

Southeast Branch  
**Saturday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.**  
Hiawassee Branch  
**Friday, September 23, 4 p.m.**  
Dream big like Pedro Linares and let your imagination tell a story. Create fantastical Mexican folk art creatures called alebrijes and see them come to life on paper. Recommended for families.

### Tiny Travelers: El Caribe

South Creek Branch  
**Tuesday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.**  
¡Vámonos! Discover the sights, sounds and treasures of Hispanic culture through a world of color in this bilingual program. Recommended for ages 18–36 months.

### Making Art with Miró

Winter Garden Branch  
**Wednesday, September 21, 3:30 p.m.**  
Washington Park Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 4 p.m.**  
Learn about surrealism, a cultural movement that developed in Europe. Create your own art in the style of Joan Miró. Develop new techniques to express yourself. Recommended for ages 6–12.

### Latin Fun Fiesta

Hiawassee Branch  
**Tuesday, September 27, 4:30 p.m.**  
Kids, join us for a fun celebration! Activities, crafts and culture await you at this program that will prove to be "muy fabuloso." Recommended for families with children ages 6 and up.

### Teen Art Adventures: Hispanic Artists

Winter Garden Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 3:30 p.m.**  
Come explore the art of famous Hispanic artists and create some art of your own. Recommended for ages 13 and up.

### Reggaeton Rhythms

South Trail Branch  
**Wednesday, September 28, 4:30 p.m.**  
Explore Reggaeton's cultural significance to Puerto Rico through interactive trivia, music and basic Spanish. Then channel your inner Lin-Manuel Miranda and write your own rap. Recommended ages 13–18.

### Music in the Library:

**El Mariachi Show**  
Orlando Public Library  
**Saturday, October 1, 1 p.m.**  
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with the unique sounds of El Mariachi Show. Listen as they take you on a musical journey to some of the Latin countries.



# NATIONAL HISPANIC HERITAGE MONTH

## READING CHALLENGE FOR ADULTS

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SEPTEMBER 15–OCTOBER 15



National Hispanic Heritage Month is celebrated each year from September 15 to October 15. This year, the theme is Unidos: Inclusivity for a Stronger Nation. Honor diverse voices, unique perspectives and rich cultural traditions through activities and book recommendations. Log your reading, write book reviews and complete activities to earn badges throughout the challenge. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

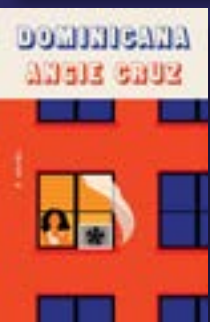
**A Dream Called Home:**  
*A Memoir*  
by Reyna Grande



**Mexican Gothic**  
by Silvia Moreno-Garcia

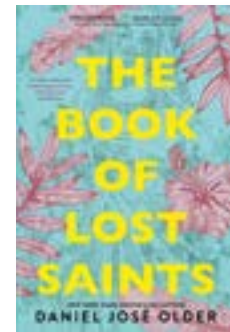


**Colombiana: A Rediscovery of Recipes & Rituals from the Soul Of Colombia**  
by Mariana Velasquez



**Dominicana: Una Novela**  
by Angie Cruz

## STAFF PICKS



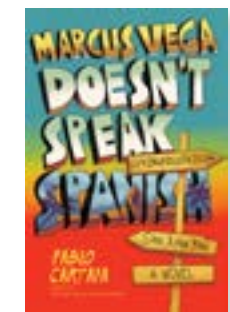
**The Book of Lost Saints**  
by Daniel José Older  
The spirit of Marisol, who vanished during the Cuban Revolution, visits her nephew, Ramon, in modern-day New Jersey, and her presence prompts him to investigate the story of his ancestor, unaware of the forces driving him on his search.



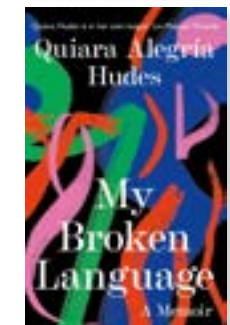
**Halsey Street**  
by Naima Coster  
Returning to her hometown of Brooklyn after a failed career as an artist, Penelope discovers that her mother has left the family to reclaim her roots in the Dominican Republic, and seeks a reconciliation with Penelope.



**Suncatcher**  
by Jose Pimienta  
Filled with music, passion, supernatural secrets, and family, Jose Pimienta's *Suncatcher* brings to life a contemporary story of a girl growing up in Mexicali, with a supernatural twist and a lot of music.



**Marcus Vega Doesn't Speak Spanish**  
by Pablo Cartaya  
After a fight at school leaves Marcus facing suspension, Marcus's mom decides it's time for a change of environment. She takes Marcus and his younger brother to Puerto Rico to spend a week with relatives they don't remember or have never met. But Marcus can't focus knowing that his father – who walked out of their lives ten years ago – is somewhere on the island. So begins Marcus's incredible journey, a series of misadventures that take him all over Puerto Rico in search of his elusive namesake. Marcus doesn't know if he'll ever find his father, but what he ultimately discovers changes his life. And he even learns a bit of Spanish along the way.



**My Broken Language: A Memoir**  
by Quiara Alegria Hudes  
A Pulitzer Prize-winning playwright shares her lyrical coming-of-age story against a backdrop of her devastated barrio home and the idiosyncratic, troubled and fiercely loving Puerto Rican family that inspired her literary voice.



**Mi Cocina: Recipes and Rapture from my Kitchen in México**  
by Rick Martínez  
In his first cookbook, a beloved food writer introduces the diverse culinary treasures of Mexico, taking readers on a journey through each of the seven regions to explore 100 unique dishes, which are accompanied by essays on various topics, such as migration and culinary influence from other countries.

## NUEVO EN LA BIBLIOTECA

### LIBROS

**La bailarina de Auschwitz: una inspiradora historia de valentía y supervivencia**  
por Edith Eger  
traducción de Jorge Paredes  
Edith Eger es una superviviente cuya experiencia vital y trayectoria como psicóloga le han permitido ayudar a miles de personas que viven incapacitadas por sus cicatrices emocionales. La historia de una mujer inspiradora.

**Hábitos de alto impacto: cómo incrementar tu rendimiento y productividad en todas las áreas de tu vida**  
por Brendon Burchard  
traducción de Marta Escartín Labarta  
Después de una extensa investigación y más de una década como uno de los mejores entrenadores de alto rendimiento del mundo, Burchard encontró las respuestas que nos entrega en este bestseller de *The Wall Street Journal*.

**En el bosque de las historias olvidadas**  
por Shea Ernschaw  
traducción de Natalia Navarro Díaz  
Un relato maravillosamente escrito sobre una comunidad atrapada en el tiempo y abocada a la oscuridad. Los giros argumentales te dejarán sin aliento.

**Terror de estado**  
por Hillary Rodham Clinton, Louise Penny  
traducción de Jofre Homedes Beutnagel  
Este thriller de alto voltaje revela secretos políticos de alcance global accesibles tan sólo a quien conoce la Casa Blanca desde dentro.

**Inquebrantables**  
por Daniel Habif  
En su primer libro, Inquebrantables, Daniel Habif, proporciona inspiración y motivación para ayudar al lector superar obstáculos y crear la vida que desea vivir.



## CITIZENSHIP INSPIRED

[ocls.info/citizenship](https://ocls.info/citizenship)



### IN-PERSON

**Citizenship Inspired Southeast Branch**  
**Saturdays, September 10–24, 10 a.m.–Noon**  
During this program, students will meet to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.

### VIRTUAL

**Citizenship Inspired**  
**Thursdays, September 1–22, 3–4:30 p.m.**  
**Tuesdays & Wednesdays, September 6, 7, 13 & 14, 3–5 p.m.**  
**Tuesdays & Wednesdays, September 20, 21, 27 & 28, 3–5 p.m.**  
During this program, students will meet via Zoom to prepare for the U.S. Naturalization (Citizenship) Test and Interview.



MASTER SCHOOLWORK  
WITH MICROSOFT

Microsoft offers many tools to help make schoolwork easier. From free versions of popular software available online to tools for note taking and research papers, Microsoft has a way to make every project a breeze.

IN-PERSON

Microsoft 365 Basics

North Orange Branch  
Saturday, September 3, 10:15 a.m.  
Orlando Public Library  
Saturday, September 10, 10:30 a.m.  
Thursday, September 15, 10:30 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Friday, September 23, 2 p.m.

Discover how you can use Microsoft's powerful productivity tools to connect and collaborate with your team. Learn how to access and install apps, and store and share files.

Microsoft OneNote Fundamentals

North Orange Branch  
Saturday, September 10, 10:15 a.m.  
Orlando Public Library  
Tuesday, September 13, 5:45 p.m.  
Saturday, September 17, 10:30 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Friday, September 30, 2 p.m.

Boost your productivity with Microsoft's powerful note-taking app. Learn how to organize your pages, revise your notes and collaborate with your team.

Microsoft Word: Review and Citation Tools

Orlando Public Library  
Monday, September 12, 5:45 p.m.  
Saturday, September 24, 10:30 a.m.  
North Orange Branch  
Saturday, September 17, 10:15 a.m.  
Orlando Public Library  
West Oaks Branch  
Tuesday, September 27, 12:15 p.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Thursday, September 29, 5 p.m.

Get your research papers and reports noticed. Learn how to use the review tools to discover errors and ensure readability. Add organization with a table of contents and clear citations.



READY, SET, CODE! CLUBS

Join the club that creates with code! Develop your first app or video game from idea to prototype or design a robot to solve real-world problems. Each club meets once a week for nine weeks, taking students from first steps to presenting completed prototypes.

IN-PERSON

Ready, Set, Code! Club – Mobile App Development

Orlando Public Library  
Sundays, September 11–November 6, 4–5:30 p.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturdays, September 17–November 12, 4–5:30 p.m.

Join the Ready, Set, Code! club to design your own mobile apps from scratch. Create your own app from wireframing your idea to presenting your prototype. Recommended for ages 11–15.

LEGO Mindstorms Robotics

Windermere Branch  
Tuesdays, September 13–November 8, 4:30–6 p.m.  
Orlando Public Library  
Saturdays, September 17–November 12, 1–2:30 p.m.

Join the Ready, Set, Code! Club to design and build LEGO Mindstorms robots from scratch. Identify a problem, then brainstorm and design a robot to solve it. Recommended for ages 11–15.

BATTLE BOTS – COMBAT ROBOTICS CLUB

Orlando Public Library  
Wednesdays, September 14–November 9, 4:30 p.m.

Join the Battle Bots Combat Robotics Club! Build and customize robots to fight in the arena. Students will install electronic components, construct robot housing, drive robots, and repair damage. This project proudly supported by the City of Orlando Mayor's Matching Grant Program. Recommended for ages 11–15.



SEW READY FOR FALL

Get ready for shorter days and falling temperatures with snuggly projects perfect for days indoors. From home décor to fun accessories and outfits perfect for fall, there's a project for you at the library.

IN-PERSON

Sewing – Fall Quilted Table Runner

West Oaks Branch  
Fridays, September 2–23, 10 a.m.–Noon  
Orlando Public Library  
Tuesday & Wednesday,  
September 27 & 28, 10 a.m.–Noon & 12:30–2:30 p.m.  
Let's get cozy with this fall themed project. Create a unique and colorful table runner using simple quilting techniques. Makes a great addition to your home décor or a special one of a kind gift.

Sewing – Bath Robe

Orlando Public Library  
Tuesday & Wednesday,  
September 6 & 7, 10 a.m.–Noon & 12:30–2:30 p.m.  
This cozy reversible, wrap robe features raglan sleeves, turn-back cuffs, belt carriers and a tie belt. Students are required to bring fabric.

Let's Crochet Pencil Scarves

Orlando Public Library  
Saturdays, September 10 & 17, 2–4 p.m.

VIRTUAL

Thursdays, September 15 & 22, 6–7:30 p.m.

Crochet a cute pencil scarf. Practice working beginning crochet stitches and learn how to work front and back post double crochet.

Sewing – Zippered Box Pouch

South Trail Branch  
Tuesday, September 13, 4:15–6:15 p.m.  
Does the idea of sewing a zipper steer you away from projects? Let us help you tackle zippers head-on with confidence!

Sewing – Hoodie Dress

Orlando Public Library  
Tuesday & Wednesday,  
September 20 & 21, 10 a.m.–Noon & 12:30–2:30 p.m.  
Are you ready to learn some more advanced sewing skills? This hoodie dress is great pair with a pair a jeans or leggings or just for lounging around the house. Students are required to bring materials.

Let's Crochet Granny Squares

West Oaks Branch  
Thursday, September 22, Noon–2 p.m.  
Crochet a classic granny square. Granny squares are the foundation of many blankets, bags and sweaters. Learn how to crochet in circles and then use increase stitches to make a square.



ENGLISH FOR SPEAKERS OF OTHER LANGUAGES (ESOL)

IN-PERSON

**English from Zero**  
**West Oaks Branch**  
*Thursdays, September 1–29, 4:30–6 p.m.*  
**Windermere Branch**  
*Thursdays, September 1–29, 5 p.m.*  
*Wednesdays, September 7–21, 3 p.m.*  
**North Orange Branch**  
*Sundays, September 4–25, 4:45 p.m.*  
Join us to learn and talk about new basic English vocabulary associated with different topics.

**English Conversation Hour**  
**Windermere Branch**  
*Fridays, September 2–23, 3:30 p.m.*  
Practice your English speaking skills during the English Conversation Hour. All proficiency levels are welcomed!

**An-Pèsòn: Creole Connect**  
**South Trail Branch**  
*Mondays, September 12–26, 4:15 p.m.*  
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LEARN SPANISH

IN-PERSON

**Spanish From Zero**  
**Southeast Branch**  
*Thursdays, September 1–29, 3 p.m.*  
Spanish from Zero classes are designed for beginning Spanish learners. Each workshop has a specific target topic.

VIRTUAL

**Spanish from Zero – Basics with Ms. Brenda**  
*Tuesdays, September 6–27, 4 p.m.*  
Learn the basics of Spanish conversation, beginner Spanish grammar, vocabulary and more.

**Spanish from Zero – Intermediate with Brenda**  
*Tuesdays, September 6–27, 5 p.m.*  
Join Ms. Brenda to learn and talk about Spanish grammar associated with different topics.

**Basic Spanish with Ms. Wilnelia**  
*Tuesdays, September 6–27, 6 p.m.*  
This workshop is designed for individuals who speak little to no Spanish.

**Intermediate Spanish**  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, 10:30 a.m.*  
Get an introduction to Spanish grammar by focusing on the parts of speech, verb conjugations, sentence structure and vocabulary building.

**Práctica Spanish Conversation**  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, 4–5:30 p.m.*  
Práctica tu español! Develop your Spanish language skills through conversation. Conversational topics and themed vocabulary will be provided. Recommended for ages 18 and up.

VIRTUAL

**Conversation Hour**  
*Thursdays, September 1–29, 2 p.m.*  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, Noon*  
Practice your English speaking skills in a virtual Conversation Hour. Each session will have specific topics for discussion.

**English from Zero**  
*Tuesdays, September 6–27, 3:30 p.m.*  
*Wednesday, September 7–28, 6:45 p.m.*  
*Monday, September 12, 3 p.m.*  
*Mondays, September 19 & 26, 3:30 p.m.*  
Join us to learn and talk about new basic English vocabulary associated with different topics.

VIRTUAL

FINDING YOUR ROOTS SERIES

This series will cover the nine core elements that you need to build a strong foundation for your genealogical research. Each week will focus on a different record group.

**Genealogy 101**  
*Tuesday, September 6, 1 p.m.*  
This week will cover an introduction to genealogical research. Are you interested in learning about your family history but don't know where to begin? This program will help you get started by introducing you to genealogical terms, techniques and resources.

**Census Records**  
*Tuesday, September 13, 1 p.m.*  
Learn about what information is contained in each of the censuses and discover how to use all the various bits of information from the census as clues to further your research.

**Vital Records**  
*Tuesday, September 20, 1 p.m.*  
Births, marriages and deaths are important pieces of information for your family history. Become familiar with the key sources for locating your ancestors' vital records.

**Land Records**  
*Tuesday, September 27, 1 p.m.*  
Learn about deeds, mortgages, platting and surveys. Discover the difference between metes and bounds states and public land record states.

**Ancestors' Stories in Newspapers**  
*Thursday, September 1, Noon*  
Join us as we explore how you can use newspapers to expand your family history research and learn more about your ancestors.

**Genealogy in the States: Georgia**  
*Wednesday, September 7, 6:30 p.m.*  
Explore the rich research resources and collections that are held in a variety of archives and repositories in Georgia. Discover what records are available and how to use them.

**Conducting Family History Interviews**  
*Thursday, September 8, Noon*  
Oral history is an important part of genealogical research. Learn how to get the most information from the family members you interview.

**Genealogy and the Law Study Group**  
*Wednesdays, September 14–28, 6:30 p.m.*  
Join us for our Genealogy and the Law study group focusing on legal sources for the family historian.

**Using City Directories in Genealogy Research**  
*Thursday, September 15, Noon*  
Learn how historical city directories can supplement your family's genealogical research.

**Organizing Your Family History Research**  
*Thursday, September 22, Noon*  
Keep your genealogy research on track by staying organized. Learn how to organize your genealogy documents and do your research in a systematic manner.

**Genealogy Research Report Writing & Numbering**  
*Thursday, September 29, Noon*  
Learn about the different types of genealogy reports and numbering systems.

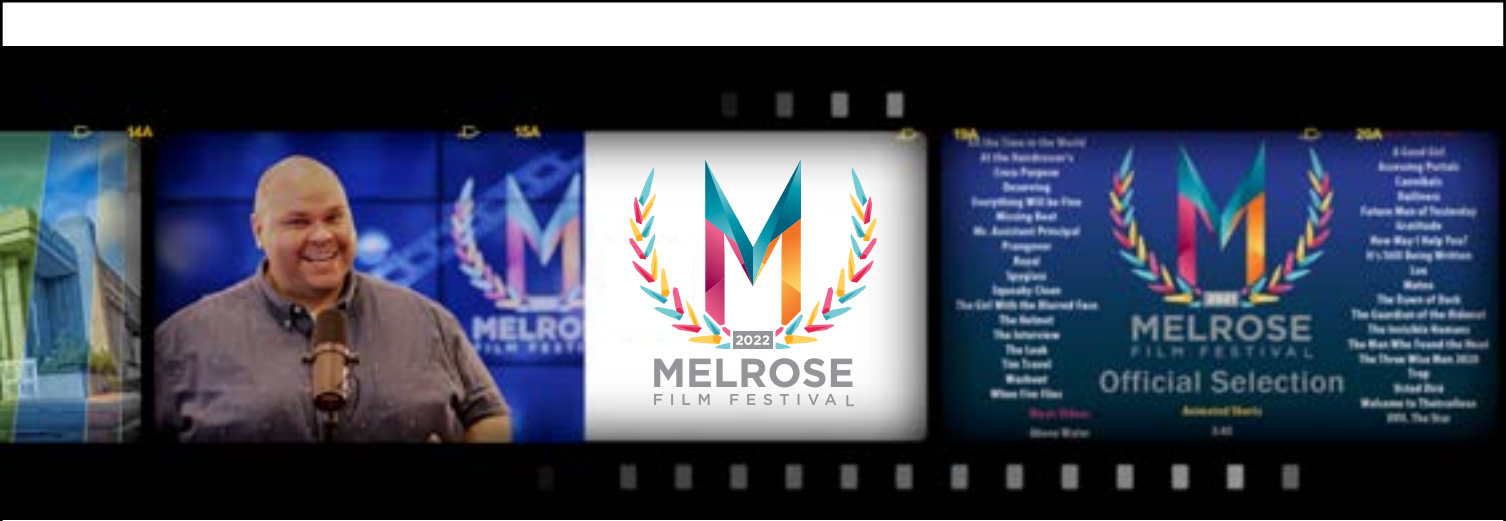


EN-PERSONA

EN-PERSONA: GENEALOGÍA 101  
Southeast Branch

*Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.*  
¿Está interesado en aprender sobre su historia familiar pero no sabe por dónde empezar? Este programa lo ayudará a comenzar presentándole términos, técnicas y recursos genealógicos.





## 5<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL MELROSE FILM FESTIVAL

Celebrate the art of visual storytelling in short films, animation and music videos with the 5<sup>th</sup> Annual Melrose Film Festival. This year's festival is all virtual, with online screenings of selections chosen from over 2,000 submissions from more than 90 countries. Categories include Animated Shorts, Documentaries, Micro Shorts, Music Videos and Short Films. Melrose Center staff will also offer virtual and in-person events on scene and character development, screenwriting, sound effects, 3D animation and motion capture on select dates throughout the festival. Visit [ocls.info/melrose-film-festival](https://ocls.info/melrose-film-festival) for screenings, information about virtual events and to vote for the audience choice award. Screenings will premiere *Friday, September 9, Noon*, and will remain accessible through *Saturday, September 24, 6 p.m.*

### IN-PERSON

**Foamsmithing Workshop**  
*Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center*  
**Tuesday, September 13 & 20, 4:30 p.m.**  
Foamsmithing is the art of creating props and costumes using different types of foam. You will get hands-on experience using Pepakura, Silhouette Cameo and the Dremel tool among other tools of the trade.

**Fundamentals of Screenwriting**  
*Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center*  
**Sunday, September 18, 3:30 p.m.**  
If you are new to screenwriting or planning to write a script, this event is just for you! Learn the basics of script formatting, get some useful tips and see a demo of a free script writing software.

**Foamsmithing a Simple Face Mask**  
*Orlando Public Library, Melrose Center*  
**Tuesday, September 27, 5 p.m.**  
Create a basic face mask using EVA foam. Students will learn the basics of Pepakura and Silhouette Cameo.

### VIRTUAL

**Foamsmithing Props and Armor**  
*Thursday, September 8, 6 p.m.*  
Create props and armor made out of crafting foam! In this virtual meetup you will discover the tools and materials needed to start your foamsmithing journey in different budget ranges.

**Character Study – Character Development**  
*Wednesday, September 14, 6 p.m.*  
Students learn how to create characters and how those characters dictate the story.

**Character Study – Roles, Types & Archetypes**  
*Wednesday, September 14, 7:30 p.m.*  
Students learn character roles, types and archetypes. These classic categories help to inform the story by identifying the character as an individual and how it relates to other characters.

**Royalty-Free Music and Sound Effects**  
*Thursday, September 15, 6 p.m.*  
Join us for a discussion on using various online platforms to license your music and sound effects. This market is often overlooked or unknown to many artists.

**The 12 Principles of Animation in 3D**  
*Saturday, September 17, 2–3:30 p.m.*  
Explore the 12 principles of animation and the influence they have had on 3D animation tools. Apply the principles using the timeline and graph editors to animate a bouncy ball.

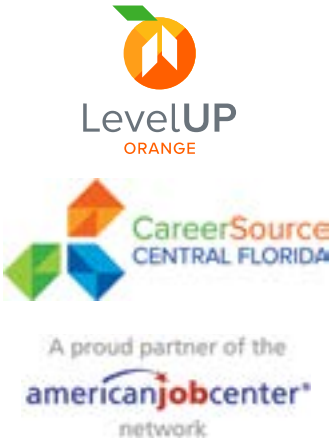
**Crafting Sound Effects**  
*Thursday, September 22, 6 p.m.*  
Join us as we explore the interesting world of sound design. Sound design expert Chase S. shows how to take ideas from concept to reality.



### IN-PERSON

**LEVEL UP ORANGE NEIGHBORHOOD NAVIGATORS**  
**South Trail Branch**  
*Wednesday, September 7, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.*  
**Fairview Shores Branch**  
*Thursday, September 8, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.*  
**North Orange Branch**  
*Wednesday, September 21, 1–3 p.m.*  
**Washington Park Branch**  
*Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.*  
Level Up Orange offers career exploration, training and internships and job placement to Orange County residents who qualify. Level Up Orange is a program of CareerSource Central Florida.

The program is funded by Orange County government using federal dollars. This project is being supported, in whole or part, by federal award number HR 1319, Title IX, Subtitle M, Section 9901, awarded to Orange County, FL by the Department of Treasury.



### IN-PERSON

**Overcoming Frustration in Job Searches**  
**Alafaya Branch**  
*Monday, September 12, 3–4:30 p.m.*  
Searching for a new job can be stressful. In this workshop, Goodwill Industries of Central Florida Employment Specialist Polly Smith will show attendees valuable tools to help reduce frustration.

**Career Academy: Perfecting Your Resume**  
**Orlando Public Library**  
*Tuesday, September 20, 2:30 p.m.*  
Get noticed! Elevate your job application with best practices in crafting a resume and cover letter.

**Career Academy: Interview Like a Pro**  
**Orlando Public Library**  
*Tuesday, September 27, 2:30 p.m.*  
You've landed an interview! Now what? Get tips that will help you to practice and prepare, and to write a memorable thank you letter.



IN-PERSON



**MUSIC WITH EVAN AND VANESSA**  
Southwest Branch  
*Wednesday, September 28, 10:30 a.m.*  
Southeast Branch  
*Wednesday, September 28, 4 p.m.*  
Enjoy an award-winning, bilingual Florida-based children’s band. Tune in and listen to peaceful music recently named “Best New Latin Kid’s Music Groups.” Recommended for families with children ages 0–8.

**Aprenda Inglés Básico**  
South Trail Branch  
*Fridays, September 2–30, 4:30 p.m.*  
Aprenda todo lo esencial del Inglés hablado y escrito, explicado de una forma clara y sencilla. Si es tu primera vez en este país, es la clase perfecta para dar tus primeros pasos. Te esperamos!

**Campfire Stories and Crafts**  
Southeast Branch  
*Saturday, September 3, 10:30 a.m.*  
Camping in the library!? Create a newspaper sit upon, while we listen to “scary” stories, sing campfire songs, play games and make crafts. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.

**ArtMazing**  
South Creek Branch  
*Saturday, September 3, 2 p.m.*  
Unleash your inner artist and discover your creative side in this all-ages art exploration. Inspiration is a must! Recommended for families with children ages 6 and up.

**Yoga with PLAYologist Yolonda**  
Eatonville Branch  
*Tuesdays, September 6–27, 10:15 a.m.*  
Orlando Public Library  
*Sunday, September 25, 3 p.m.*  
Fun-filled yoga, meditation and mindfulness sessions with a twist that uses a PLAY-based yoga curriculum that is trauma-informed conscious. Recommended for families with children of all ages.

**Mindful Start Family Yoga**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, 10 a.m.*  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Mondays, September 12–26, 10:30 a.m.*  
Silly and fun yoga poses designed for kids! Flow-through an imaginative journey filled with puppets, parachute games and relaxing rest time. Recommended for families with children ages 0–7.

**Dragonology**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Wednesday, September 7, 4 p.m.*  
South Trail Branch  
*Wednesday, September 14, 4:30 p.m.*  
Do you believe in dragons? If you are a true believer, you don’t want to miss this exciting adventure to discover the truth about these legendary creatures.

**How to Draw Cartoon Characters**  
Hiawassee Branch  
*Wednesday, September 7, 4 p.m.*  
Learn to draw some of your favorite cartoon characters.

**Pura and Her Puppets**  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Wednesday, September 14, 3:30 p.m.*  
Celebrate Pura Belpré with this family reading event. Together, families will create a puppet and build narrative skills by reading to each other. Recommended for families with children ages 6–8.

**Peruvian Music and Dance**  
South Creek Branch  
*Friday, September 16, 10:30 a.m.*  
Learn a new dance with professional folkloric dancers from Raymi Dance School. Discover the history of Peru through this cultural dance performance. Recommended for families with children ages 0–12.

**Cookies & Milk with a Cop**  
North Orange Branch  
*Saturday, September 17, 11 a.m.*  
Bring your kids to meet our local police officers and enjoy a story, cookies and milk. This series will be a great chance to interact with Apopka officers in a fun and informative environment.

**Movie and a Craft**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Saturday, September 17, 3–5 p.m.*  
Sit back and relax during a family-friendly movie while working on a craft or coloring sheets.

**World Traveler**  
Southeast Branch  
*Friday, September 23, 4 p.m.*  
Become a world traveler! Take a trip to South America with fun trivia, activities and crafts. Recommended for families with children ages 5 and up.



**Cuisine Corner Junior: Lomo Saltado**  
*Thursday, September 15, 4 p.m.*  
Lomo Saltado is a stir-fried beef dish found all across Peru. Learn about the delicious fusion of Chinese and Peruvian cuisine as you follow along and immerse in the Hispanic culture.

**BABY** (Ages 0–18 Months)  
**IN-PERSON**  
**Mama Gansa**  
Southwest Branch  
*Mondays, September 12 & 26, 10:30 a.m.*  
A Spanish immersion Mother Goose on the Loose with interactive songs, rhymes and activities to grow your baby’s early literacy and Spanish skills.  
**Baby Bookworms**  
Southwest Branch  
*Monday, September 19, 10:30 a.m.*  
Read! Learn! Play! Introduce your baby to important literacy practices that encourage learning and developmental growth. Caregiver participation is required.





TODDLER (Ages 18–36 Months)

IN-PERSON

**Storytime Craft**  
Southwest Branch  
*Thursdays, September 1–29, 10 a.m.–Noon*  
North Orange Branch  
*Wednesdays, September 7–28, 10:30 a.m.*  
Drop-in before and after storytime to create a make-and-take craft. Recommended for ages 2–5.

**Artsy Toddler**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Tuesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m.*  
Alafaya Branch  
*Wednesday, September 14, 11 a.m.*  
Orlando Public Library  
*Tuesday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.*  
Learn new fine motor skills using paint, paste, glue and stamps to create! Toddlers will enjoy stories and songs about the ocean, then create an ocean animal.

**Parachute Play**  
North Orange Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 11 a.m. & 11:30 a.m.*  
Play, explore and learn about the world. Put thoughts into words by talking about what your child is doing and building positive social interactions with others.

**Autumn Apples**  
Southeast Branch  
*Monday, September 19, 10:15 a.m.*  
North Orange Branch  
*Thursday, September 29, 11 a.m.*  
An apple a day might keep the doctor away, but apple crafts and activities are just plain fun! Celebrate fall with everything apple.

**Caregiver Connect**  
Southeast Branch  
*Monday, September 19, 11:15 a.m.*  
Connect with other caregivers while your little one explores imaginary play with friends. Learn about new resources for you and your little one.

**Bubble Playtime**  
North Orange Branch  
*Tuesday, September 20, 11 a.m.*  
Southwest Branch  
*Wednesday, September 21, 10:30 a.m.*  
Help your child with their motor development skills in this interactive bubble class. Recommended for ages 2–5.

**B is for Bailar**  
Chickasaw Branch  
*Wednesday, September 21, 11 a.m.*  
North Orange Branch  
*Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.*  
Southeast Branch  
*Monday, September 26, 10:15 a.m.*  
¡Azúcar! Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month with a music appreciation storytime for all little ones.

**Shape Monster**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Wednesday, September 21, 11 a.m.*  
Let's learn our shapes through monsters songs, games and crafts! Registration required for each child.

**Tiny Travelers**  
South Trail Branch  
*Wednesday, September 21, 11 a.m.*  
¡Vámonos! Discover the sights, sounds and treasures of Hispanic culture through a world of color in this bilingual program.

**Good Morning, Farm!**  
North Orange Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 11 a.m.*  
Say hello to all your farm friends with stories and fun hands-on learning.

**Tall as a Giraffe**  
West Oaks Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 11 a.m.*  
Have fun comparing and grouping with basic math concepts like short, tall, big and small.

**CARDBOARD BOX PLAY**  
Southwest Branch  
*Wednesday, September 7, 10:30 a.m.*  
Fuel your creativity with a cardboard box! Explore imaginary places with friends during an interactive storytime and free play.



IN-PERSON

**TINY TALES**  
(ages birth–18 months)  
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 11:15 a.m.  
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m.  
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 10:15 a.m.  
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.  
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.  
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.  
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.  
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

**TODDLER TIME**  
(ages 18 months–3 years)  
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 10:45 a.m.  
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 10:45 a.m.  
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.  
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 10:45 a.m.  
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 10:45 a.m.  
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 10:45 a.m.  
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 11 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 10:45 a.m.  
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 10:45 a.m.

**STORYBOOK FUN**  
(ages 3–5 years)  
South Creek Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.  
Chickasaw Branch, Tuesdays, 11:15 a.m.  
Southeast Branch, Wednesdays, 10:15 a.m.  
North Orange Branch, Wednesdays, 11:15 a.m.  
Southwest Branch, Thursdays, 10:30 a.m.  
West Oaks Branch, Thursdays, 11:15 a.m.  
Windermere Branch, Thursdays, 11:15 a.m.  
Winter Garden Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch, Fridays, 11:15 a.m.

**ZERO TO FIVE STORYTIME**  
(ages 0–5 years)  
Fairview Shores Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.  
Hiawassee Branch, Mondays, 10:15 a.m.  
Washington Park Branch, Tuesdays, 10:15 a.m.  
Eatonville Branch, Thursdays, 10:15 a.m.  
South Trail Branch, Fridays, 10:15 a.m.  
Orlando Public Library, Saturdays, 11 a.m.

**SUNDAY FAMILY STORYTIMES**  
Alafaya Branch, Second Sundays, 2 p.m.  
South Creek Branch, Third Sundays, 2 p.m.  
West Oaks Branch, Fourth Sundays, 2 p.m.



PRESCHOOL (Ages 3–5)

IN-PERSON

**CHIQUITICOS / LITTLE ONES**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Fridays, September 2–30, 10:30 a.m.*  
South Creek Branch  
*Thursday, September 8, 11 a.m.*  
North Orange Branch  
*Thursday, September 15, 5:30 p.m.*  
Learn Spanish through the exploration of original music with a live guitar performance. Reinforce new vocabulary words using visual, auditory and kinesthetic skills. Recommended for ages 0–8.



**Countdown to Kindergarten**  
Southeast Branch  
*Thursdays, September 1–15, 10:15 a.m.*  
Explore families and feelings through stories, rhymes and activities designed to help preschoolers develop skills to become readers and succeed in kindergarten. Recommended for ages 4–5.

**My Hero, the Mail Carrier!**  
North Orange Branch  
*Thursday, September 1, 11 a.m.*  
There are Heroes all around us! Celebrate the superstars of our community with stories, songs, and crafts at the library.

**Grandparents are Grand**  
South Creek Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m.*  
Southwest Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 10:30 a.m.*  
West Oaks Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 11 a.m.*  
Preschoolers will celebrate grandparents through stories, songs and a special craft. All grandparents are welcome.

**Look, I'm a Scientist**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 11 a.m.*  
You don't need a white coat and a fancy lab to be a scientist. You have all you need: your brain and five senses. Registration required for each child.

**Pajama Jamboree**  
Windermere Branch  
*Tuesday, September 6, 4:30 p.m.*  
Put on your favorite jammies for a fun-filled evening of a story, craft, and cookies and milk. Recommended for ages 3–7.

**Little Artist**  
North Orange Branch  
*Friday, September 9, 11 a.m.*  
Get creative with arts and crafts! Preschoolers will enjoy age-appropriate stories and crafts.

**Rainy Day Fun**  
Southeast Branch  
*Monday, September 12, 10:15 a.m.*  
Splash into some rainy day fun with stories, songs, and crafts all about rain.

**Caregiver Connect**  
Southeast Branch  
*Mondays, September 12 & 26, 11:15 a.m.*  
Connect with other caregivers while your little one explores imaginary play with friends. Learn about new resources for you and your little one.

**Bubble Party**  
Winter Garden Branch  
*Tuesday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.*  
Move and dance with your child during this bubble filled event.

**Storytime Safari**  
South Creek Branch  
*Tuesday, September 13, 10:30 a.m.*  
We're going on a safari! Explore African animals through stories and art.

**Rough Tough Trucks**  
North Orange Branch  
*Tuesday, September 13, 11 a.m.*  
Beep beep! Vroom vroom! Let's zoom together to the world of rough and tough trucks with songs, stories and crafts.

**While You Sleep**  
North Orange Branch  
*Thursday, September 15, 11 a.m.*  
Night frog sings, owls hoot and trains rumble. Discover what happens at night while you sleep.

**Spooktember Celebration**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Tuesday, September 20, 11 a.m.*  
Who's afraid of ghosts? Not us! Join us for a not-so-creepy early Halloween celebration with books, songs and crafts. Costumes encouraged! Registration required.

**Vamos a Leer**  
Windermere Branch  
*Wednesday, September 21, 10:30 a.m.*  
Acompañanos con canciones y un cuento en español para niños preescolares y sus padres o cuidadores.

**Cuéntame un Cuento**  
South Trail Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 10:15 a.m.*  
Cuéntame un Cuento is a bilingual interactive storytime featuring books and songs in English and Spanish that are suitable for speakers of either language.

**Fall Festival**  
South Creek Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 10:30 a.m.*  
Celebrate fall with stories, games and activities featuring apples, pumpkins and autumn leaves.

**Dragon Storytime**  
Alafaya Branch  
*Tuesday, September 27, 11 a.m.*  
Here be dragons! Celebrate these mythical creatures with stories, songs and crafts. Registration for each child required.

**Sesame Street Storytime**  
Orlando Public Library  
*Wednesday, September 28, 10:30 a.m.*  
Sing, dance and learn your way through the alphabet and numbers with interactive stories and activities inspired by *Plaza Sésamo!*



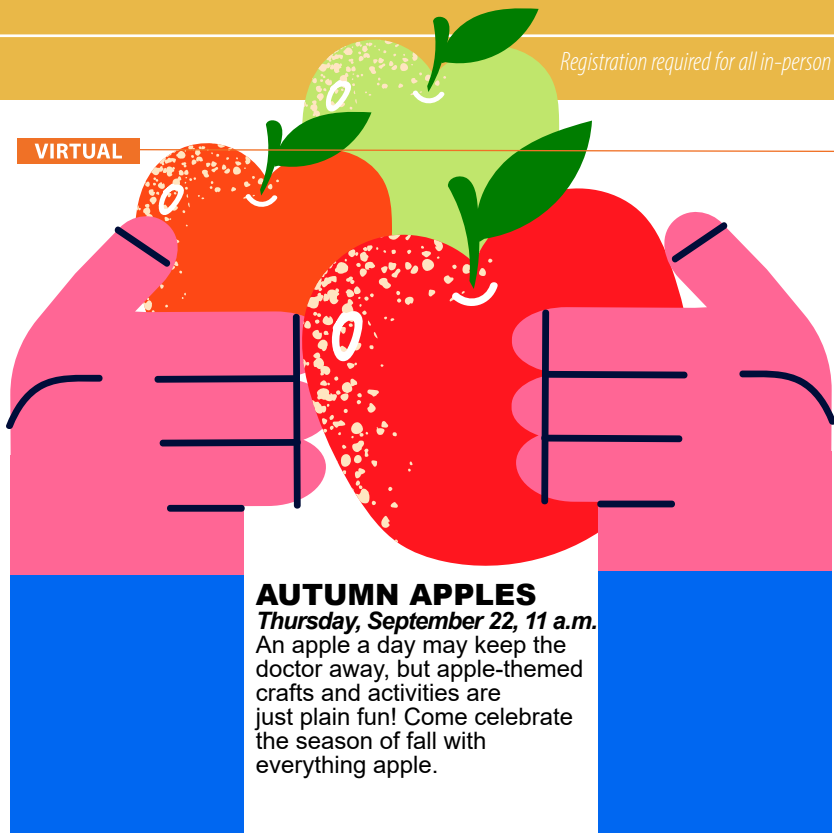
IN-PERSON

# G IS FOR GRANDPARENTS

Chickasaw Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 11 a.m.  
North Orange Branch  
Thursday, September 8, 11 a.m.  
Hiawassee Branch  
Friday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.  
Windermere Branch  
Monday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.  
West Oaks Branch  
Tuesday, September 13, 11 a.m.  
South Trail Branch  
Wednesday, September 14, 11 a.m.  
Winter Garden Branch  
Tuesday, September 20, 10:30 a.m.  
Southwest Branch  
Tuesday, September 27, 10:30 a.m.  
Make a hug that you can mail and learn new songs about grandmas and grandpas.



VIRTUAL



**AUTUMN APPLES**  
Thursday, September 22, 11 a.m.  
An apple a day may keep the doctor away, but apple-themed crafts and activities are just plain fun! Come celebrate the season of fall with everything apple.

**Cuéntame un Cuento**  
Tuesdays, September 6 & 20, 10 a.m.  
Cuéntame un Cuento is a bilingual interactive storytime featuring books and songs in English and Spanish that are suitable for speakers of either language.

**Fall Festival**  
Tuesday, September 6, 11 a.m.  
Celebrate fall with stories, games and activities featuring apples, pumpkins and autumn leaves.

**Merry Mice**  
Wednesday, September 7, 11 a.m.  
In this storytime that promotes early literacy, we will learn about mice with fun activities just for preschoolers.

**Celebrate with Dora and Friends**  
Thursday, September 8, 11 a.m.  
Grab your backpacks and let's go, vámanos! Join in on the adventure to create crafts and hear stories inspired by *Dora the Explorer* and her amigos.

**Sesame Street Storytime**  
Mondays, September 12–26, 11 a.m.  
Can you tell me how to get, how to get to *Sesame Street*? Let's make it a sunny day with a storytime and craft celebrating our favorite friends.

**Pajama Party**  
Mondays, September 12–26, 7 p.m.  
Put on your pajamas and join us virtually for stories, songs and a craft.

**Rainy Day Fun**  
Tuesday, September 13, 11 a.m.  
Splash into some rainy day fun with stories, songs and crafts all about rain.

**Greedy Goats**  
Wednesday, September 14, 11 a.m.  
Learn about goats through fact-filled stories and activities that promote early literacy in preschoolers.

**It's All Groovy! / ¡Todo es fantástico!**  
Tuesday, September 20, 11 a.m.  
Learn basic concepts with stories and activities inspired by *Pete the Cat*. Aprende conceptos básicos con historias y actividades inspiradas en *Pete el Gato*.

**Awesome Owls**  
Wednesday, September 21, 11 a.m.  
Discover what owls are doing while you sleep at night with fact-filled stories and activities for your preschooler.

**B is for Bailar**  
Tuesday, September 27, 11 a.m.  
¡Azúcar! Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month with a music appreciation storytime.

**Cuddly Cats**  
Wednesday, September 28, 11 a.m.  
Listen to stories about cats and participate in fun songs and a craft for preschoolers.

**Little Chef: Avocado Smash & Chips!**  
Thursday, September 29, 11 a.m.  
Chop, scoop and smash! Learn how to make guacamole with fresh ingredients and enjoy it with a side of chips. Adult participation is required.

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**HISPANIC ART IN CONSERVATION**  
Winter Garden Branch  
Tuesday, September 20, 4:30 p.m.  
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month by taking a safari through Latin America and making art of the creatures seen on the way. Recommended for ages 9–12.

IN-PERSON

**Afternoon Art**  
Alafaya Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 4 p.m.  
Let's go on an art adventure! Learn about a different artist and artistic style, and then create your own masterpiece. Registration required for each child. Recommended for ages 6–8.

**Folk Art Arpilleras**  
Washington Park Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 4 p.m.  
Winter Garden Branch  
Thursday, September 15, 4:30 p.m.  
Celebrate National Hispanic Heritage Month! Learn about folk art arpilleras from Chile and Peru and create one of your own.

**Crafternoons: Frog Game**  
South Trail Branch  
Thursday, September 8, 4:30 p.m.  
Get ready for an hour of crafting fun with friends!

**Sing Along with Yehaa Bob**  
Southwest Branch  
Friday, September 9, 10:30 a.m.  
Sing along, clap along and laugh along with one of America's funniest entertainers.

**Angel Paws to Read**  
North Orange Branch  
Saturday, September 10, 11 a.m.  
Windermere Branch  
Saturday, September 10, 11:30 a.m.  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturday, September 24, 11:30 a.m.  
Orlando Public Library  
Saturday, September 24, 11:30 a.m.  
Practice your reading skills by reading aloud to a lovable, furry listener. Be An Angel Therapy Dogs Ministry presents this reading program for children featuring certified therapy dogs.

**LEGO One Scoop**  
Winter Garden Branch  
Tuesday, September 13, 4:30 p.m.  
Create greatness with one single scoop! The challenge is on so let's see what you can build. Bricks for play will be provided but cannot go home with you. Recommended for ages 6–8.

**Hola Biblioteca**  
West Oaks Branch  
Wednesday, September 14, 4 p.m.  
Washington Park Branch  
Wednesday, September 14, 4 p.m.  
Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with this fabuloso event! Take a trip to the library and enjoy stories, crafts and activities.

**Happy Habitats**  
Alafaya Branch  
Wednesday, September 14, 4 p.m.  
Learn about habitats, plants and animals through books and crafts. This month we're learning about the desert. Registration required for each child. Recommended for ages 6–8.

**Dog Man Diorama**  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturday, September 17, 11 a.m.  
Munchy is attacking the city! Create your own diorama and help Dog Man stop this foe. Registration required for each child.

**High Five – Handprint Art**  
South Creek Branch  
Saturday, September 17, 4 p.m.  
Explore ways to turn your hand into a work of art!

**Batman Origami**  
Hiawassee Branch  
Monday, September 19, 4 p.m.  
Help celebrate Batman Day by creating your very own origami batarang!

**World Traveler: South America**  
Washington Park Branch  
Wednesday, September 21, 4 p.m.  
Become a world traveler! Take a trip to South America with fun trivia, activities and crafts. Recommended for ages 6–8.









**SOPHIA'S HEARTH WOOL PUPPET STORYTIME**  
Southeast Branch  
Saturdays, September 10 & 24,  
10:30 a.m.

Children benefit from a daily rhythm, healthy foods and plenty of time accompanied by educators. This curriculum is based on Waldorf education and the principles developed by pediatrician Emmi Pikler.

IN-PERSON

**Dòmì san Danje**  
Hiawassee Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  
South Trail Branch  
Wednesday, September 21, 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  
Apran'n kreye yon anvivònman pou domi san danje, 5 teknik pou kalme tibebe, e kòman pou anpeche sendwòm tibebe souke nan klas sa ki prezante an patenarya avèk Depatman Sante Florid lan.

**Safe Sleep**  
Southwest Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 3:30–5 p.m.  
Hiawassee Branch  
Wednesday, September 21, 3:30–5 p.m.  
Learn to create a safe sleep environment, the “5 S’s” technique to soothe babies, and how to avoid Shaken Baby Syndrome at this class presented in partnership with the Florida Department of Health.

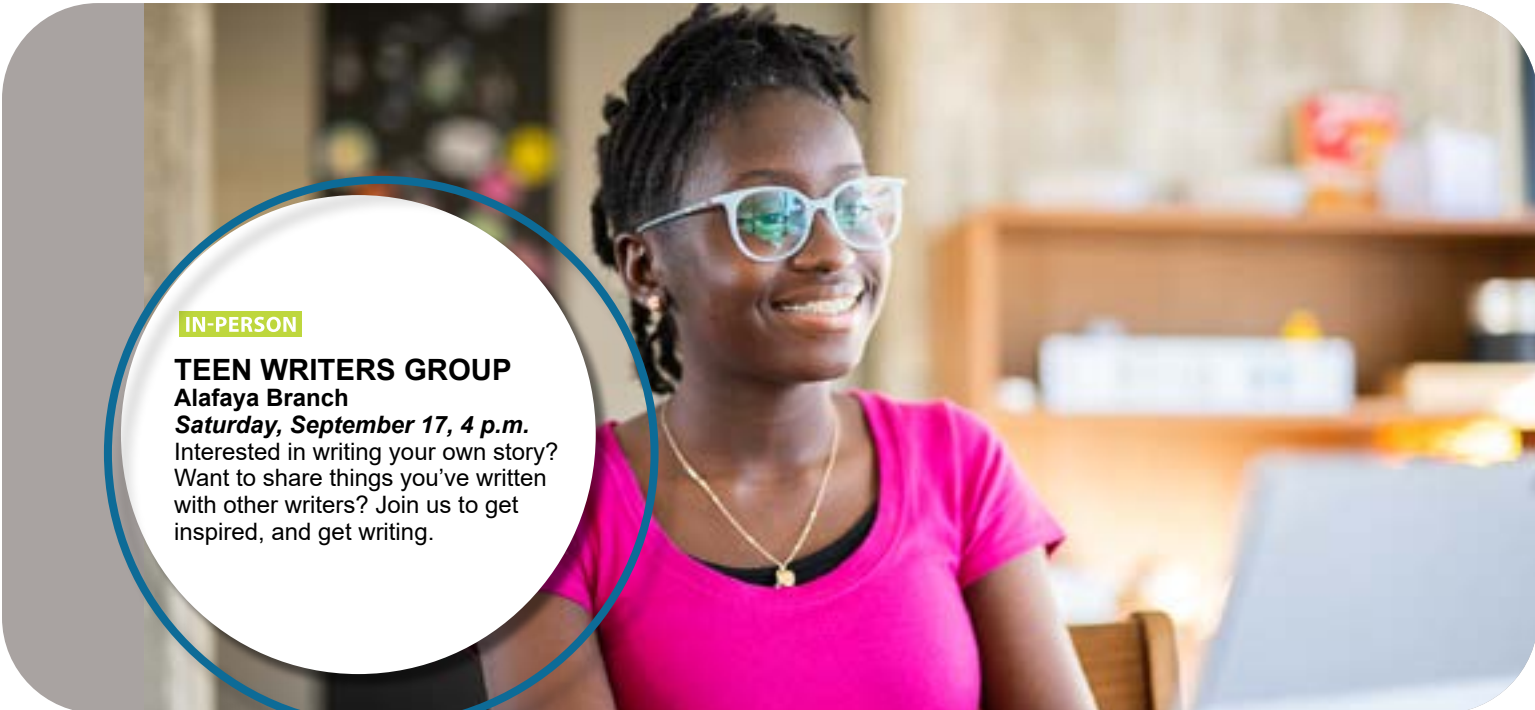
**Sueno Seguro**  
Southwest Branch  
Thursday, September 8, 3:30–5 p.m.  
South Trail Branch  
Tuesday, September 20, 10–11:30 a.m.  
Aprende como crear un ambiente seguro para dormir, las 5 técnicas para calmar y tranquilizar a sus bebés, y como evitar el síndrome del bebé sacudido.

**Caregiver Connect: Stay and Play**  
Winter Garden Branch  
Fridays, September 2–30, 11:35 a.m.  
Fairview Shores Branch  
Mondays, September 12–26, 11 a.m.  
Connect with other caregivers to meet and mingle while your little one explores imaginary play with new and old friends.

**Every Child Ready to Read Caregiver Workshop**  
West Oaks Branch  
Monday, September 12, 10:30 a.m.  
Learn about the five early literacy practices as well as tips, tricks and resources to help your child strengthen important pre-reading skills. Recommended for adults who care for children ages 0–5.

VIRTUAL

**FAMILY ZUMBA**  
Saturday, September 10, 11 a.m.  
Get your family moving with this energizing workout class! Learn basic Zumba moves to help you dance your way to fitness. Zumba uses dance aerobics to create a fun workout.



IN-PERSON

**TEEN WRITERS GROUP**  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturday, September 17, 4 p.m.  
Interested in writing your own story? Want to share things you've written with other writers? Join us to get inspired, and get writing.

IN-PERSON

**Pop-Up Culture**  
Alafaya Branch  
Saturday, September 3, 4 p.m.  
Create fun paper creations inspired by your favorite fandoms. Learn basic paper engineering techniques while making pop-up cards and crafts.

**Middle School Advisory Board Meeting**  
Orlando Public Library  
Wednesday, September 7, 4 p.m.  
Author and illustrator Sumer Strawbree is leading board members in a hands-on, vision board workshop at this month's hybrid meeting. Recommended for students in grades 6–8.

**Back in the Day: '80s Edition**  
South Trail Branch  
Wednesday, September 7, 4:30 p.m.  
Hop in your Delorean, because it's time to flashback to the '80s with a craft and trivia. Radical, dude!

**Teen Volunteering**  
Orlando Public Library  
Saturday, September 10, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.  
High school students will earn two hours of community service by assembling craft kits for the library.

**Happy Little Trees**  
Orlando Public Library  
Wednesday, September 14, 3 p.m.  
Grab a brush, mellow out and paint some happy, little trees the Bob Ross way! Remember, there are no mistakes, only happy accidents.

**Art Adventures: Chalk Art**  
Hiawassee Branch  
Wednesday, September 14, 4 p.m.  
Take your art from the sidewalk to next level with chalk art.

**Teen Art Adventures**  
Southeast Branch  
Wednesday, September 21, 4:30 p.m.  
Explore your creative side with this monthly series. We'll provide the supplies and instruction on different types of art forms, you bring the imagination!

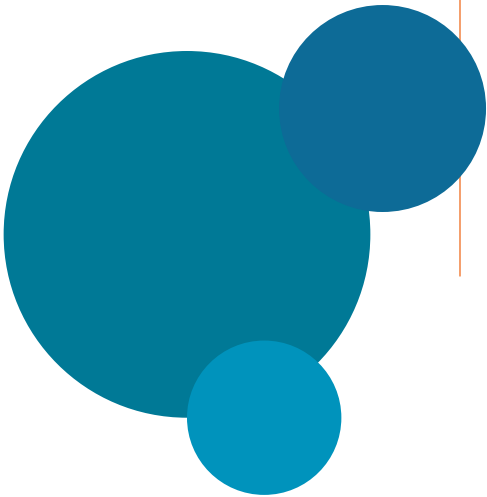
**Spooky Jars Jewelry**  
Alafaya Branch  
Wednesday, September 21, 5 p.m.  
Create your personalized potion jar jewelry.

**Fantasy Mugs**  
Alafaya Branch  
Wednesday, September 28, 4 p.m.  
Personalize your own fantasy ceramic mug.

**The Ring of Resin**  
Alafaya Branch  
Friday, September 30, 4 p.m.  
Make your very own Shrinky Dink ring and bottle of Mordor fire to cast it into.

VIRTUAL

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## BOOK DROP LOCATIONS

### Horizon West Book Drop

Hamlin Town Center  
14416 Shoreside Way, Winter Garden, FL 34787

### Lake Nona Book Drop

Valencia College Lake Nona Campus  
12350 Narcoossee Rd, Orlando, FL 32832

*Materials placed in book drops are picked up and returned to the library Monday–Saturday.*

## LOCATIONS Sunday Hours: 🕒

### Orlando Public Library

101 E. Central Blvd., Orlando, FL 32801  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.  
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

### Alafaya Branch

12000 E. Colonial Drive, Orlando, FL 32826  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.  
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

### Chickasaw Branch

870 N. Chickasaw Trail, Orlando, FL 32825  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Eatonville Branch

200 E. Kennedy Blvd., Eatonville, FL 32751  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Fairview Shores Branch

902 Lee Road, Suite 26, Orlando, FL 32810  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Hiawasse Branch

7391 W. Colonial Drive, Orlando, FL 32818  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### North Orange Branch

1211 E. Semoran Blvd., Apopka, FL 32703  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.  
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

### South Creek Branch

1702 Deerfield Blvd., Orlando, FL 32837  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.  
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

### South Trail Branch

4600 S. Orange Blossom Trail, Orlando, FL 32839  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Southeast Branch

5575 S. Semoran Blvd., Orlando, FL 32822  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Southwest Branch

7255 Della Drive, Orlando, FL 32819  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Washington Park Branch

5151 Raleigh St., Suite A., Orlando, FL 32811  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### West Oaks Branch & Genealogy Center

1821 E. Silver Star Road, Ocoee, FL 34761  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.  
Sunday 1–6 p.m. 🕒

### Windermere Branch

530 Main St., Windermere, FL 34786  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.

### Winter Garden Branch

805 E. Plant St., Winter Garden, FL 34787  
Monday–Thursday 10 a.m.–7 p.m.  
Friday–Saturday 10 a.m.–6 p.m.



## CLOSURES

### Labor Day

All Locations:  
Sunday & Monday,  
September 4 & 5

**Conmemoración  
del día del trabajo**  
Todos las localidades:  
el domingo y lunes,  
4 y 5 de septiembre



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