

EVENTS 2024-2025



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**CHRISTMAS
AND
HOLIDAY
HOURS**

A place of belonging, providing life changing experiences that connect people to discover, explore, create, learn, and share knowledge, opening up a world of possibilities.

Cover, children enjoying the journey workshop: Chau Chak Wing Museum, University of Sydney.


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EARLY CHILDHOOD ENTREPRENEURSHIP WORKSHOP

Explore early childhood entrepreneurship with expert-led workshops for parents & carers. Dive into the world of early childhood entrepreneurship with specialised workshops run by CCA NSW Community Hub. Tailored for stay-at-home parents & carers, or who completed their early childhood certificate and looking to launch their own business right from their own home.



LOCATION Parramatta Library Level 3, Room 3.01	DATE Monday, 2 December	TIME 9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online 
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HAVE A YARN

Join us for a friendly, fortnightly gathering of needlework enthusiasts. Work on your own project or start one with the group. Knit, crochet or embroider as you choose. Learn some new skills or perhaps share yours with others. All skill levels are welcome.

LOCATION Ermington Library	DATE Mondays, 2 December to 24 February (every second Monday - except 30 December)	TIME 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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BOOK YOUR OWN SEWING MACHINE

Come and join us to experience the joy of sewing in a well-equipped and welcoming lab.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 

DATE
Mondays, 2 December to
24 February (except 23 &
30 December 2024, 6 & 27
January 2025)



FORM FILLING AND TECH HELP 填写表格和技术帮助

In Mandarin

This session will help you understand daily correspondence and fill out simple forms. In partnership with City of Parramatta, CASS assists Chinese-speaking migrants in navigating smart devices (e.g. phone/tablet), understanding daily correspondence, and filling out simple forms.

Form Filling Services

- Centrelink and Services NSW welfare applications
- Public housing and exchange of housing application
- Other short forms such as passport applications, licence renew, etc.

Smart Devices Support

- How to use Google maps/ translation app
- Make online payment/ online banking
- How to use WeChat/WhatsApp/ Email/QR code, etc.

Phone bookings required: please ring CASS at 9789 4587, 9am to 5pm, Monday-Friday

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Library 3D Studio,
Level 1

DATE
Tuesdays 3 December
to 25 February (except
24, 31 December 2024, 7
January 2025)

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Phone CASS
9789 4587 

SETTLEMENT CASEWORK 定居服务 In Mandarin

This session is designed to help Chinese-speaking migrants with settlement concerns.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
3D Studio, Level 1

TIME
1:30 PM - 5:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Phone 9806 5159 

DATE
Tuesdays, 3 December to
25 February (except 24, 31
December 2024, 7 January
2025)





CONVERSATION CLASS FOR ADVANCED ENGLISH SPEAKERS

This conversation class for advanced English speakers provides a supportive environment for participants to expand their language proficiency and cultural literacy. By blending structured lessons with interactive activities and expert guidance, the program fosters a deep appreciation for the English language and prepares participants for academic, professional, and personal success.

LOCATION Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library	DATE Wednesdays 4 December to 26 February (except 25 December, 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 January 2025)	TIME 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM	BOOKINGS Phone 9806 8600 📞
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KNITTING CLUB

Join us for a casual morning where we can share our experiences and learn some valuable knitting skills together. You'll appreciate the camaraderie of like-minded individuals while enjoying the library's services. Don't forget to bring your own yarn and needles!

LOCATION Constitution Hill Library	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
DATE Thursdays, 5 December to 27 February (except 26 December 2024, 2 & 9 January 2025)	BOOKINGS No booking required



LAUGHTER YOGA

Join us for a session of contagious giggles, hearty chortles, and belly laughs! Laughter Yoga is a process that enables you to laugh even when you don't feel like it. It is an aerobic exercise that anyone can do anytime and anywhere that promotes health and happiness. Combining deep breathing exercises with playful laughter, it can boost your mood, reduce stress, and enhance overall well-being.

LOCATION Parramatta Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1	TIME 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM
DATE Thursdays, 5 December, 2 January, 6 February	BOOKINGS Online 🌐

INTERMEDIATE ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLASS – SENIORS

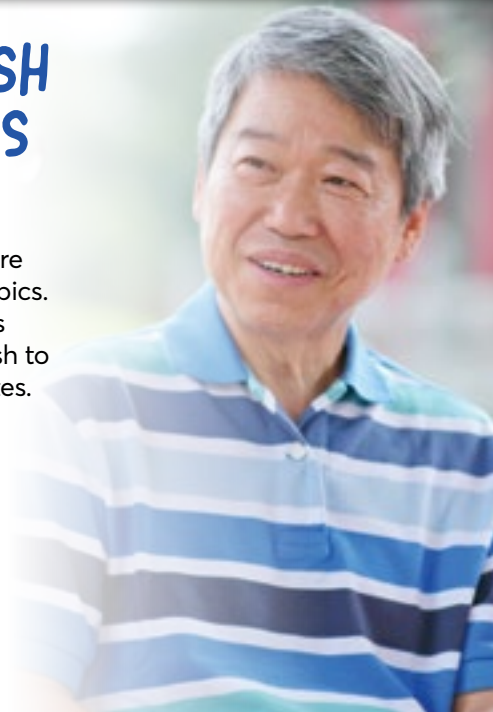
Seniors with an intermediate level of English are encouraged to discuss a range of everyday topics. This conversation class is to encourage seniors with a minimum of intermediate level of English to talk about everyday topics with their classmates.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Fridays, 6 December to 28 February (except 13, 20, 27 December, 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 January 2025)

BOOKINGS
No booking required



CHA AND CHAT CHINESE SOCIAL GROUP

茶与交流：华人社交活动 In Chinese

Come and join our Cha & Chat Chinese social gathering to meet new friends, share your experiences, inspire and encourage each other. Enjoy a cup of tea or coffee and conversation.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Thursdays, 12 December and 20 February

BOOKINGS
No booking required



SUSTAINABLE CHRISTMAS WORKSHOP: FUROSHIKI

Learn the art of Furoshiki the traditional Japanese method of wrapping gifts with beautiful fabric.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Thursday, 12 December

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

LOCATION
Ermington Library

DATE
Monday, 17 December

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



SEWING WORKSHOP: CHRISTMAS STOCKING & ORNAMENTS

Join us for the Christmas Hanging Ornaments Workshop, where you can learn to create your own festive decorations and stocking. This workshop is open to beginners and those with some sewing experience.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Friday, 13 December

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online





CHRISTMAS KOKEDAMA HANGING PLANT WORKSHOP

Join us for a festive and hands-on workshop in partnership with the Sydney Royal Botanic Garden and Community Greening. You will learn the art of Kokedama, a traditional Japanese technique for creating beautiful moss ball plants. All materials will be provided.

LOCATION Parramatta Library IDEAS Lab, Level 1	DATE Monday, 16 December	TIME 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online
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LUNAR NEW YEAR: CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY WORKSHOP

Celebrate Lunar New Year, where you will learn the art of Calligraphy. Our presenter, Xueyi Bai, is a member of the Chinese Calligrapher Association, one of the few in Australia.

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Wednesday, 15 January

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1

DATE
Saturday, 18 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

TIME
10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

BOOKINGS
Online



RETIREE MEET UP

Join us for our monthly Retirees Meetup, where friends and new acquaintances gather to share stories, enjoy engaging activities, and make the most of retirement. Whether you're looking to catch up with old friends or meet new people, this is the perfect opportunity to socialise, participate in fun events, and enjoy good company.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lounge, Level 1

DATE
Thursdays, 23 January
and 20 February

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



MEET & SEW: GROUP MEET UP

A friendly social gathering that meets once a month in the library to celebrate the art of sewing. Whether you're a seasoned pro or just starting, our group offers an excellent opportunity to connect with like-minded individuals and share your sewing skills and knowledge with others.

Attendees are welcome to bring their own sewing, quilting, embroidery, or other craft projects to work on and showcase with the group.

LOCATION Parramatta Library IDEAS Lab, Level 1	DATE Wednesdays, 29 January & 26 February.	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online 
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ENGLISH CONVERSATION COURSE INTERVIEW

Join us and learn spoken English in a relaxed and friendly environment. Participants are encouraged to attend the interview on Tuesday 4th February and be assessed by an experienced and trained teacher, who will evaluate students. Classes will run for 7 weeks. **Participants are required to attend all 7 sessions.**

LOCATION Parramatta Library IDEAS Lab, Level 1	TIME 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM
DATE Interview day - Tuesday 4 February. Course - Tuesdays, 11, 18, 25 February, 4, 11, 18, 25 March	BOOKINGS No booking required



NEEDLEWORK NOOK

Share your love for all things needlework. Needlework Nook is a place for community members to meet and share our common love of all things knitting, crochet or embroidery. It is a knitting/needlework craft group for you to share your skills and knowledge with minded people. You will learn from each other, or grab a book from the library, or open an online learning video, to connect with others, to enhance your skills in a friendly environment.

LOCATION Parramatta Library Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
DATE Thursdays, 6, 13, 20, 27 February	BOOKINGS No booking required




CROSS STITCH YOUR INITIALS

Learn to cross stitch embroider initials to make a gift in time for Valentine's Day. Join us for a fun workshop suitable for beginners to learn how to cross stitch embroidery. **(Optional) please bring a garment to sew your final cross stitch initials.**

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Tuesday, 11 February

BOOKINGS
Online 



PLANT PROPAGATION TECHNIQUES WORKSHOP

Don't buy expensive plants and seedlings again! Save money by learning how to sow your own seeds and take cuttings to create new plants. This workshop will cover choosing seeds, making propagating mix, and doing soft-wood, semi-hardwood, and hardwood cuttings. During this hands-on workshop, participants will take home plants they have propagated.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 

DATE
Thursday, 13 February




MINDFUL MORNINGS

Join us in a nurturing space where you can unwind, release stress and ignite your imagination as you create beautiful works of art and discover the joy of mindful creativity. **Please only book 1 session as both sessions are the same.**

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Monday, 17 February
and
Thursday, 20 February

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 





LIBRARY LOVERS' DAY

Your library will be celebrating Library Lovers' Day with some fun events, such as **Blind Date with a Book**, drop note to show your library some love, craft a magnetic heart, or join our dazzling couples dance class! Drop into your local library and let your library return the love!

Blind Date With A Book

Embrace your passion for reading this Library Lovers' Day by going on a blind date with a book. Browsing the shelves is encouraged for those unsure of what to borrow. However, for our more adventurous library members, we offer lucky-dip loans, giving you the chance to embrace the unknown. We're confident you'll discover something you'll adore.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point
Community Centre and
Library

TIME
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

DATE
Friday, 14 February

Library Lovers' Day

Express your love for your library by leaving a note about what makes it unique. By doing so, you can inspire others and enter a chance to win a jarful of red heart shaped chocolates on February 14th.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

TIME
9:30 AM - 5:00 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

DATE
Monday, 3 February to
Friday, 14 February

Dance With Your Love

Unleash your dancing potential with our captivating couples dance class and master the fundamental movements. In this session, you will delve into a universal sequence that can be performed to any rhythm, at any time and place, while being inspired by diverse dance styles. Join us and let the music guide your steps!

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

DATE
Friday, 14 February

BOOKINGS
Online

Paint a Magnetic Heart

Create your own magnetic heart in time for Valentine's Day or Library Lovers' Day! Under the guidance of staff, you will be given a blank magnetic heart canvas and tools to unleash your creativity. At the end of the workshop, you will be taking your amazing artwork home with you.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

DATE
Friday, 7 February

BOOKINGS
Online



INTERNATIONAL DAY FOR PEOPLE WITH A DISABILITY

Join us for a meaningful and inspiring mini expo in honour of International Day for People with a Disability. This event will showcase adaptive technologies, resources, and organizations dedicated to supporting individuals with disabilities. Attendees will have the opportunity to explore interactive displays, attend informative talks, and connect with community advocates and service providers.

Come join organisations and learn how we can collectively enhance accessibility and support within our community.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BOOKINGS
Parramatta Library Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1	Tuesday, 3 December	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Online

ROBOTICS WORKSHOP FOR PEOPLE WITH DISABILITY -

Facilitated by Australian Academy of Robotics and Team

This robotics workshop is designed for 10-16 year olds that identify with disability. It will introduce participants to the fundamentals of robotics and coding through interactive, hands-on activities. Participants will begin by exploring robot kits and learning basic robot construction, followed by an introduction to block-based programming. This hands-on learning approach fosters problem-solving and creativity, as participants experiment with coding and robotics principles in a fun and engaging manner.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BOOKINGS
Parramatta Library Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1	Tuesday, 3 December	3:30 PM - 5:30 PM	Online



DIGITAL LEARNING

COMPUTER COURSE FOR BEGINNERS

The Beginner Computer Course is a four-session program designed for those new to technology. Each session will cover essential computer skills. By the end of the course, attendees will have gained the confidence and skills needed to use a computer effectively in their daily lives. Perfect for anyone looking to improve their digital literacy! **Participants are required to attend all 4 sessions.**

LOCATION
Dundas Library

TIME
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

DATE
Thursdays, 6, 13, 20, 27
February

BOOKINGS
Phone 9806 5960 📞

Adults

BASIC COMPUTER HELP 基础电脑帮助

Parramatta Library is providing basic computer help for Word Processing and Internet Access, during school term.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Fridays, 21, 28 February,
7, 14, 21, 28 March, 4 April

BOOKINGS
No booking required

Adults

Adults

BEGINNERS COMPUTER CLASS

In this course over four training sessions, we will walk you first through the basics of computer. Then we'll put those skills to good use to create your first document. Emailing and internet surfing will be positive outcomes of the course. Printed learning outcomes will be provided at the end of each class. **Participants are required to attend all 4 sessions.**

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

DATE
Fridays 7, 14, 21, 28 February

BOOKINGS
Phone 9806 5500 📞

Adults

TSS: INTRODUCTION TO SMART PHONES

Becoming familiar with a smartphone can take a little bit of practise, but you'll soon find yourself doing more than you ever thought possible on a mobile phone. In this workshop, you will learn the basics of how to navigate your way around a smartphone with a touchscreen, make and receive calls, add a contact and more.

LOCATION
Ermington Library

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

DATE
Tuesday, 25 February

BOOKINGS
Phone 9806 5869 📞

BOOK CLUBS

Join one of our many Book Clubs to mingle, read and chat about books across the different genres. For further information and bookings please contact the relevant Library.

Korean Book Clubs

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Carlingford Library	Third Thursday of the month	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Parramatta Library 3D Studio, Level 1	Every Second Thursday	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Book Clubs

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Constitution Hill Library	Fourth Thursday of the month	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Constitution Hill Library	Fourth Friday of the month	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Dundas Library	First Friday of the month	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Dundas Library	Last Friday of the month	10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Dundas Library	Last Wednesday of the month	1.30 PM - 2.30 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Epping Library	First Friday of each month	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Epping Library	Second Tuesday of the month	7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Epping Library	Third Wednesday of the month	10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Ermington Library	First Wednesday of the month	6:00 PM - 7:30 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Ermington Library	First Friday of the month	11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Parramatta Library	Second Tuesday of the month	6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Parramatta Library	Last Thursday of the month	10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Parramatta Library	Third Monday of the month	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Parramatta Library	First Wednesday of the month	6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library	Second Tuesday of the Month	6:00 PM - 7:30 PM



FAMILY EVENTS

TRIVIA


EPPING LIBRARY FAMILY TRIVIA NIGHT

Bring the kids, bring the family and bring your smiles to our inaugural Epping Library Trivia night.

We will provide the fun and laughter!

There will be prizes on offer, games to win and of course, trivia questions to answer! So, get your team together! Tables are minimum 2 people, maximum 8.

Please book 1 ticket per person on your team. 1 adult must be present.

LOCATION Epping Library	DATE Thursday, 12 December	TIME 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM	BOOKINGS Online 
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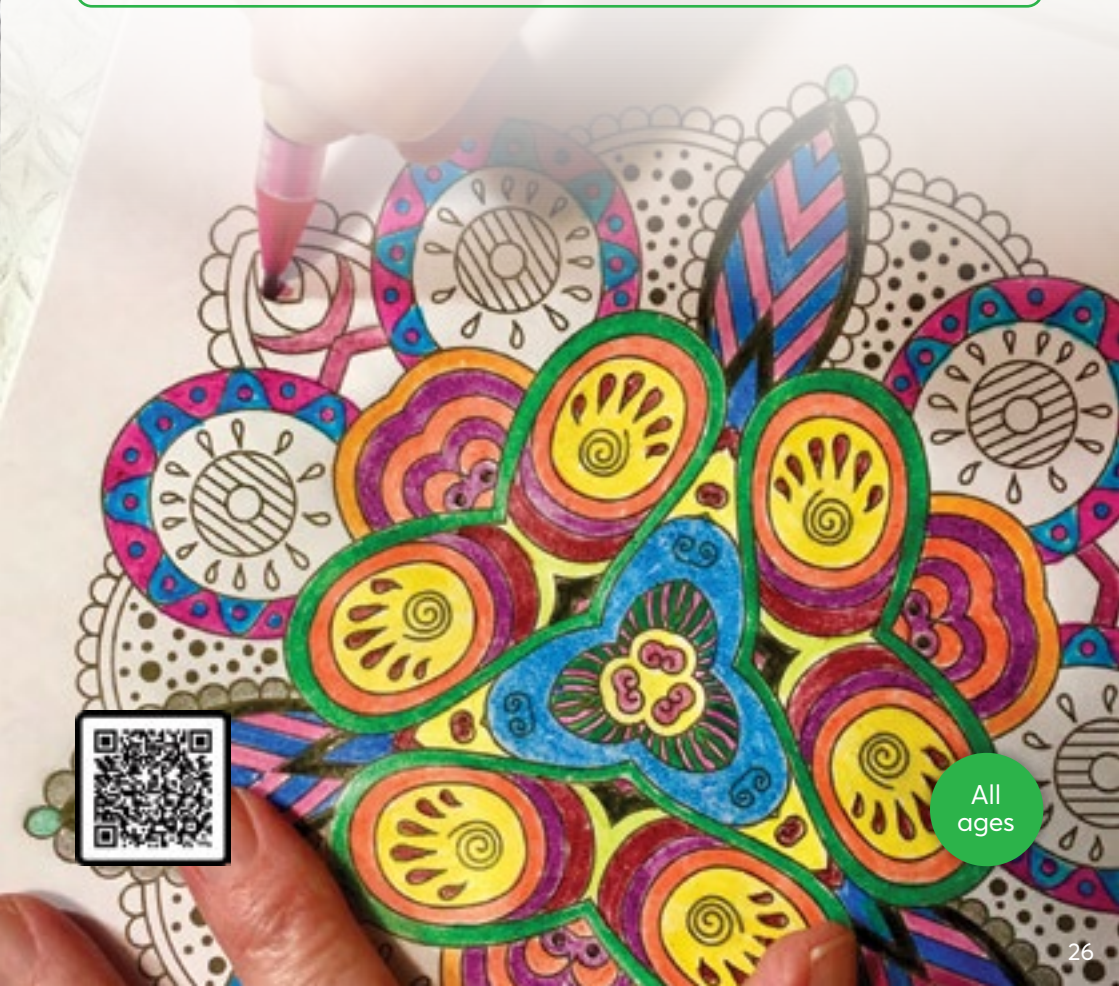
All ages,
1 adult must
be present.

DROP-IN MINDFUL COLOURING

Mindful colouring is an enjoyable, creative, and engaging way to relax whilst expressing your inner artist. Mindfulness practice is known to improve concentration, stimulate creativity and improve mental health. Our after-school drop-in sessions are open to all ages and abilities.

All materials provided.

LOCATION Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library	DATE Thursdays, 6, 13, 20, 27 February 2025	TIME 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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All
ages



SUMMER READING HOLIDAY PROGRAM

THEME: ESCAPE INTO A WORLD OF IMAGINATION

WELCOME TO THE PROGRAM: The City of Parramatta Libraries presents the Summer Reading Holiday Program 2024-2025: Escape into a World of Imagination.

Escape into a World of Imagination at the City of Parramatta Libraries' Summer Reading Holiday Program 2024-2025. The program will open on Sunday, 1 December 2024, and close on Friday, 31 January 2025. This program is not just about reading; it's about fostering a love for books and encouraging early literacy among children of all ages.

The program aims to create a fun and engaging environment for children and families to explore the magic of storytelling and the joy of reading. By taking part in the Summer Reading Holiday Program, children will have the opportunity to discover new worlds, characters, and adventures through the power of storytelling. In addition to promoting literacy, the program aims to cultivate a lifelong love of reading and learning in young minds. Join us for a summer full of exciting literary adventures, imagination, creativity, and great prizes to be won!

Prizes: 10 gift cards worth \$100 each will be randomly raffled off by the library staff.

The winners will be announced on the library's Facebook page and notified by email and by the library staff by Monday, 17 March 2025



LOCATION

All City of Parramatta libraries

DATE

Monday, 2 December 2024 to Friday, 28 February 2025

BOOKINGS

No booking required

CHILDREN & YOUTH

DRAWING ANIMATION

Get ready to explore your artistic potential on the iPad by creating individual drawing segments to produce an animated clip. You will have the opportunity to create your own characters and doodle. With patience, you must recreate and sketch every move you want your character to make.

LOCATION

Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

DATE

Monday, 2 December

TIME

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS

Online

LOCATION

Carlingford Library

DATE

Tuesday, 3 December

TIME

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS

Online

LOCATION

Parramatta Library IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE

Thursdays, 5 & 12 December

TIME

3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS

Online



9-12 years

CHILDREN & YOUTH

8+ years



3D PRINTING DROP-IN SESSION

Come by and talk to our library staff to discover the exciting world of 3D printing. We will assist you create a 3D design and bring it to life. The session will include using a 3D design platform or a 3D pen.

Each drop-in session will take 15-20 minutes.

Your design will be printed, and available to pick it up two weeks after attending the program.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BOOKINGS
Parramatta Library Library 3D Studio, Level 1	Mondays, 2 December 2024, 6 January, 3 February 2025	3:00 PM - 4:30 PM	No booking required

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BOOKINGS
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library	Wednesdays, 5, 12, 19, 26 February	3:30 PM - 4:30 PM	No booking required

LOCATION	DATE	TIME	BOOKINGS
Ermington Library	Wednesdays, 12 & 19 February	3:30 PM - 5:00 PM	No booking required

PERSONALISE A 3D PRINTED CHRISTMAS DECORATION.

Come and spend a couple of hours designing your own 3D printed Christmas decoration using Tinkercad software. Choose from one of our templates & personalise it to your own design! Will you write your name on a bauble OR design a tree for your tree?

LOCATION
Epping Library

TIME
4:30 PM - 6:30 PM

DATE
Tuesday, 3 December

BOOKINGS
Online [📅](#)

8+ years



VIRTUAL REALITY DROP-IN

Experience a whole new dimension of fun and excitement with our Virtual Reality Drop-In Program. Immerse yourself in a captivating virtual world filled with thrilling adventures. Get ready to escape reality and embark on unforgettable virtual adventures like never before!

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

DATE
Tuesdays, 3, 17 December 2024, 7,
21 January, 4, 18 February 2025

BOOKINGS
No booking
required

12+ years



CHILDREN & YOUTH

CHRISTMAS CRAFTERAFTERNOON: DOLLY PEG DECORATIONS

Create a fabulously original Christmas decoration using dolly pegs, felt and paint! Using an old-fashioned dolly peg, felt, pipe cleaners and paint, together we will create an original tree decoration for you to use for years to come. **No bookings required, just come in after school for Crafternoon!**

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Wednesday, 4 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 5:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

5+
years



CRAFTERNOON

Join us for a children's craft program for primary-aged children to explore artistic expression with theme-based activities, a variety of crafts and instruction and guidance. All materials and tools and other craft supplies will be supplied by the library.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

DATE
Wednesdays, 4 December to 18 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

5-10
years



FUN TO DRAW WORKSHOP

Unleash your limitless creativity by honing your digital drawing skills. This program involves the participants using iPads to freely draw or follow the artist's instructions on the screen. The artist and the participants will draw simultaneously to help everyone learn and improve their skills.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Wednesdays, 4 & 11 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

5-8
years



KUBO ROBOTICS

Meet KUBO, the unique STEM robot with a captivating personality that turns learning into an enjoyable and interactive experience! Your child will dive into a world of creativity and digital intelligence as they develop basic coding skills with KUBO. Get ready for an exciting journey where your child will think critically, solve problems, and explore the fascinating realm of working with a robot!

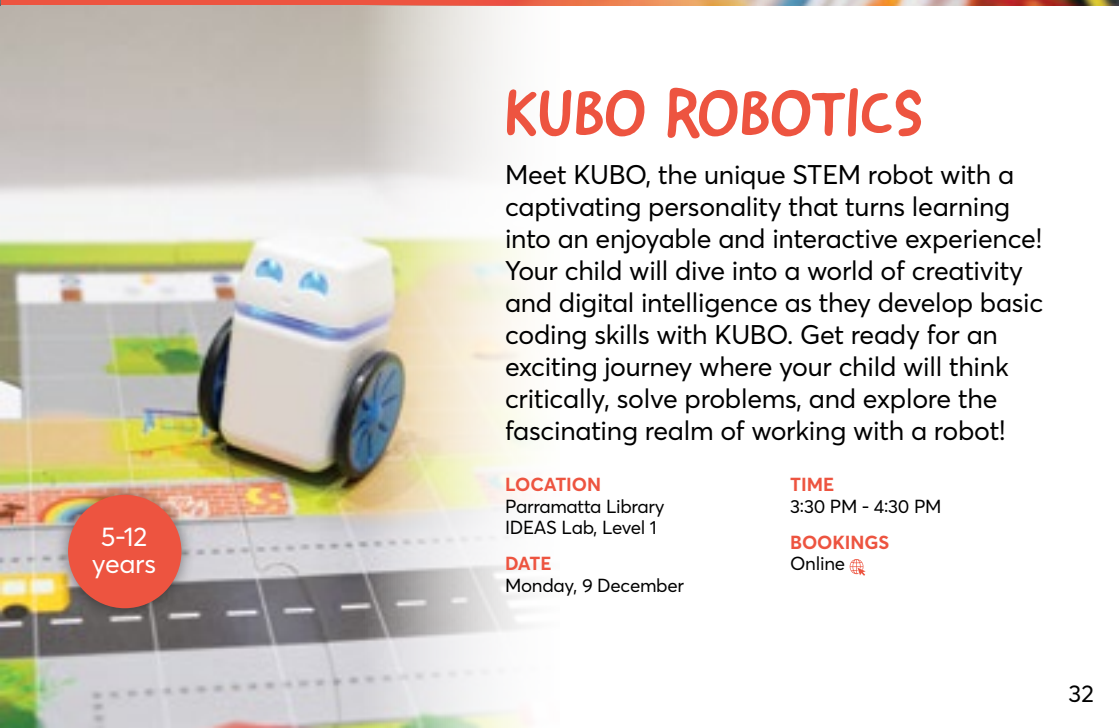
LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Monday, 9 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

5-12
years



CHILDREN & YOUTH

TEENS SEWING WORKSHOP: CHRISTMAS STOCKING

Join us for the Christmas Stocking Workshop, where you can learn to create your own festive stocking that will add a personal touch to your Christmas celebrations! This workshop is open to beginners and those with some sewing experience.

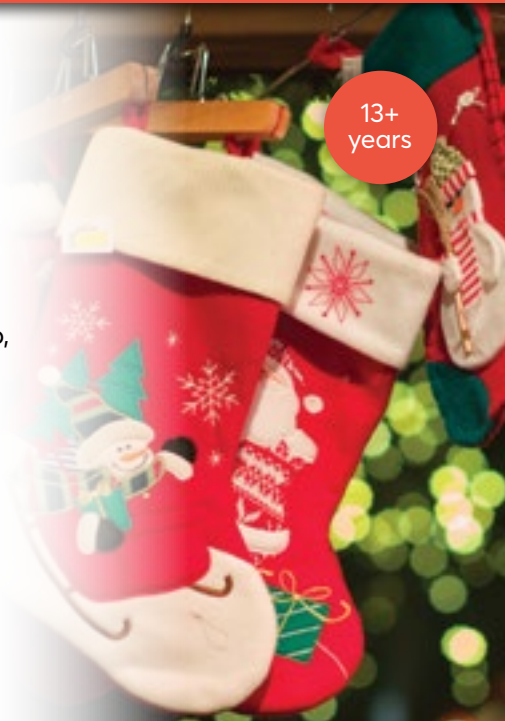
LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Tuesday, 10 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 

13+
years



8+
years

CHRISTMAS CRAFTERNOON: STRING ART

Create an original festive artwork using the art of string and nails. Choose from a variety of mini Christmas themed images, hammer your design then get to threading your string! Due to the nature of this craft and materials used, parents/carers must attend with child(ren)

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Tuesday, 17 December

TIME
4:00 PM - 6:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 



7-12
years

CHRISTMAS SAND ART

This Sand Art Workshop is a festive, creative event where children can make holiday-inspired sand art artworks. Using vibrant coloured sand and Christmas designs, this workshop is perfect for getting into the holiday spirit while exploring your creativity.

LOCATION
Dundas Library

DATE
Wednesday, 18 December

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 



CHILDREN & YOUTH



12+
years



VR DROP-IN

This VR Drop-in offers an exciting opportunity for both children and adults to experience the immersive world of virtual reality. Participants can try a variety of games and interactive experiences and with no need to book in advance.

LOCATION Dundas Library	DATE Fridays, 31 January, 14, 28 February	TIME 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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CLIMATE FRESK BY PARENTS FOR CLIMATE WORKSHOP

Join us for a fun, free Climate Fresk workshop! Learn about climate change through a collaborative game and work together to understand its causes, effects, and what you can do to help. No prior knowledge is needed! In partnership with Parents For Climate.

LOCATION Parramatta Library IDEAS Lab, Level 1	DATE Saturday, 1 February	TIME 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online
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10+
years

CHILDREN & YOUTH

EXPERIENCE VR DROP-IN

Experience a whole new dimension of fun and excitement with our Virtual Reality Drop-In Program. Immerse yourself in a captivating virtual world filled with thrilling adventures. Get ready to escape reality and embark on unforgettable virtual adventures like never before!

LOCATION
Wentworth Point
Community Centre and
Library

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

DATE
Tuesdays, 4, 11, 18, 25
February

12+
years



SCIENCE CLUB

Looking for a fun and exciting way to explore the wonders of science? Join us for the Science Club, meeting every other Thursday from 3:30 PM-4:30 PM. Our club offers hands-on experiments, cool science challenges, and engaging activities that will ignite your curiosity and inspire your inner scientist. Whether you're passionate about chemistry, biology, physics, or technology, there's something for everyone. Come discover, experiment, and learn in a friendly and fun environment!

8-12
years

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Thursdays, 6 & 20
February

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

INTRODUCTION TO CODRONE WORKSHOP

This workshop will introduce you to the world of drone technology and programming. You will learn how to build, program, and fly your own CoDrone. You will also have hands-on practice and real-time flying sessions to test your skills and creativity. It is suitable for beginners as well as those with some experience.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

TIME
3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

DATE
Wednesday, 5 February

9-12
years



CHILDREN & YOUTH



HOMESCHOOL HELP

Available for free, after-school homework help is provided by experienced tutors for Primary School students, in Maths, English or Science during school term. Telephone booking or booking at the library essential.

LOCATION Constitution Hill Library	DATE Thursdays, 6, 13, 20, 27 February	TIME 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM	BOOKINGS Constitution Hill Library 9806 5500 📞	AGES 7-12 years
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LOCATION Dundas Library	DATE Wednesdays, 12, 19, 26 February	TIME 3:45 PM - 4:45 PM	BOOKINGS Dundas Library 9806 5960 📞	AGES 5-11 years
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MICROSCOPE EXPLORERS

Get ready for an exciting journey into the microscopic world! During this drop in session kids will discover how to use a microscope to explore the hidden details of nature. They will have the opportunity to inspect preserved animals and plants encased in resin, providing a close-up look at insects, leaves, flowers, and other fascinating specimens.

LOCATION
Dundas Library

DATE
Wednesday, 12 February

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Thursday, 27 February

TIME
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

TIME
3:30 PM - 7:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required



6+ years

VR GAME DESIGN WORKSHOP

Step into the future of gaming with our immersive workshop on creating Virtual Reality games! Delve into the exciting world of VR development as we show you how your gaming ideas can be brought to life in a virtual environment. This workshop offers hands-on experience with cutting-edge VR technology and practical tips to unleash your creativity. Don't just play the game - create it!

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Wednesday, 19 February

TIME
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online 🌐

9-12 years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

SEW YOUR OWN CHRISTMAS STOCKING

Christmas is only a few days away! Get ready to impress Santa with your creativity this year. Sew and decorate your own felt Christmas stocking in this fun holiday activity. We will be using children-friendly equipment for this great introduction to sewing.

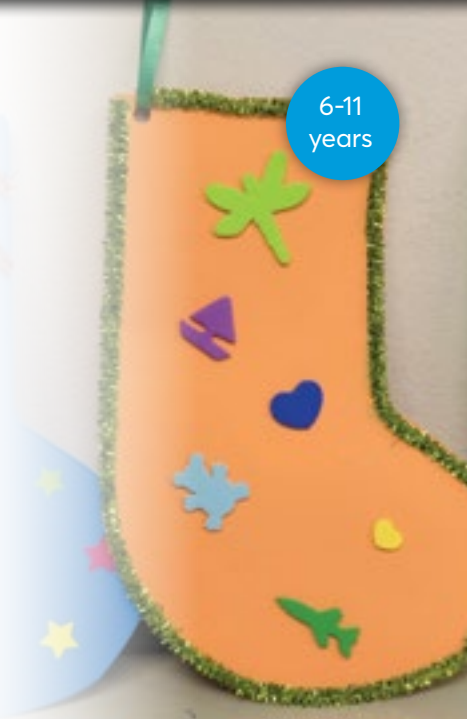
LOCATION
Ermington Library

DATE
Friday, 20 December

TIME
3.30 PM – 4.30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

6-11
years



ANIMAL WORKSHOP

Enjoy an intimate session, meeting fascinating native Australian animals. Learn about the roles of wildlife in the environment and their unique features that help them survive.

Brought to you by Taronga Zoomobile this program provides the opportunity to meet some of our native animals whilst learning about the role of wildlife in the environment.

LOCATION
Ermington Library
Ermington Community Centre

DATE
Tuesday, 7 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

LOCATION
Parramatta Library

DATE
Wednesday, 15 January

TIME
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Wednesday, 22 January

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

BOOKINGS
Online



3+
years

MICROSCOPE EXPLORERS

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LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Tuesday, 7 January

TIME
10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

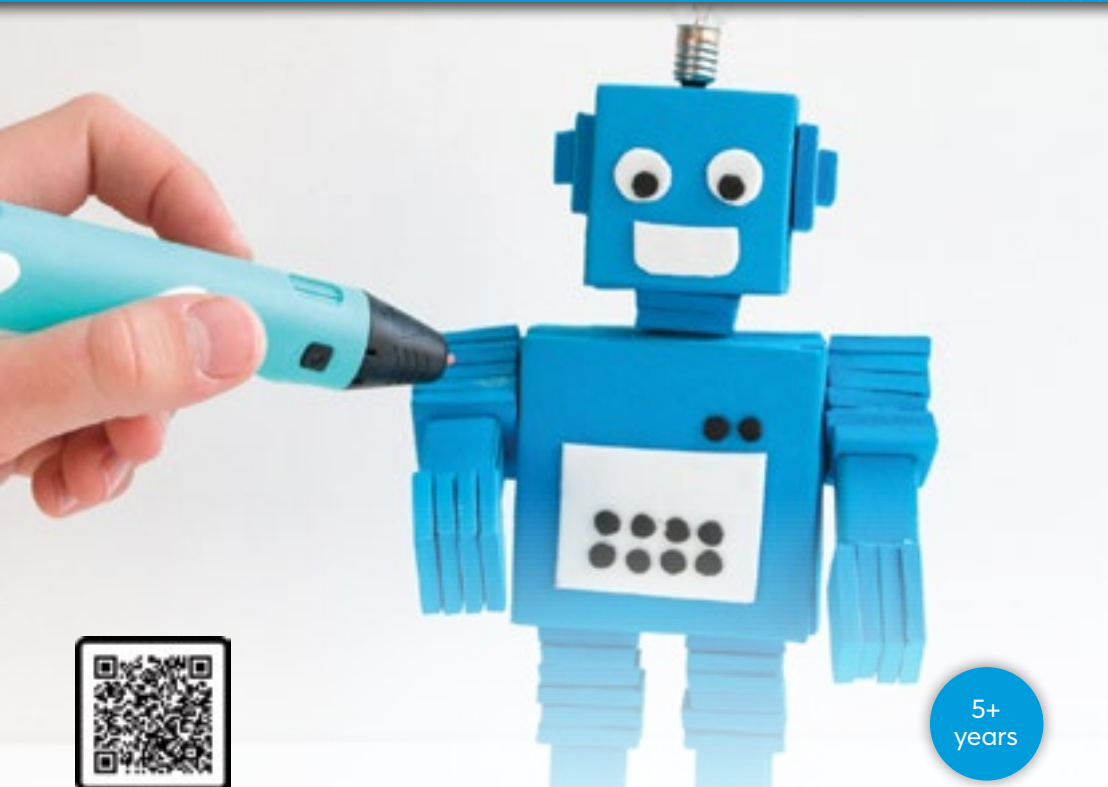
7+
years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM



5+ years

3D PEN DROP-IN

The 3D Pen drop-in session invites children to explore creativity by designing and crafting 3D objects using 3D pens. Children can experiment with drawing in three dimensions, building unique shapes, figures, and creations. It's a fantastic way to introduce young minds to the world of 3D design and art through hands-on play!

LOCATION Carlingford Library	DATE Wednesday, 8 January	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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LOCATION Dundas Library	DATE Monday, 13 January	TIME 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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MEET AND FEED IT TO FOGO SHOW

Join Mike and the Caddy puppet for an interactive show about FOGO (Food Organic & Garden Organic) recycling services. The story, song, and dance help families learn about FOGO, prepare for changes, and support environmental efforts.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Children's Library, Level 1

DATE
Wednesday, 8 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
2:00 PM - 3:00PM

BOOKINGS
Online 🌐

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

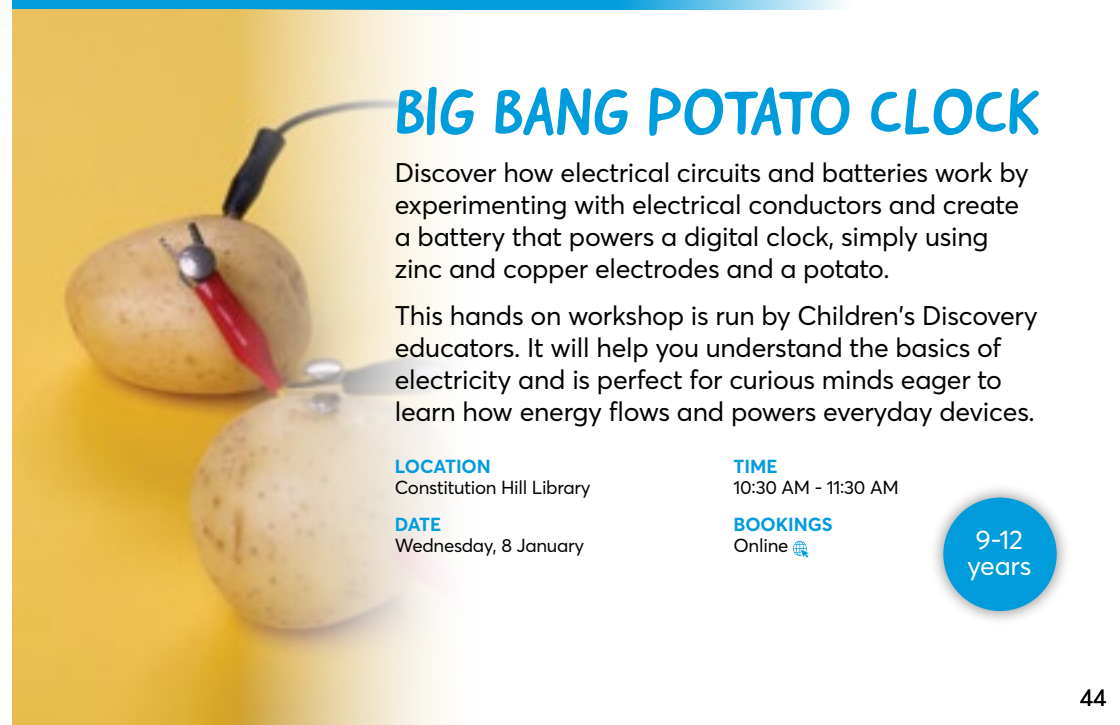
DATE
Wednesday, 15 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online 🌐



3-8 years



BIG BANG POTATO CLOCK

Discover how electrical circuits and batteries work by experimenting with electrical conductors and create a battery that powers a digital clock, simply using zinc and copper electrodes and a potato.

This hands on workshop is run by Children's Discovery educators. It will help you understand the basics of electricity and is perfect for curious minds eager to learn how energy flows and powers everyday devices.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Wednesday, 8 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online 🌐

9-12 years

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

BUILD A BARN

Construct and decorate your own wooden barn or house. Bring your building and creative skills with you as you assemble and decorate a shelter to house creatures with two feet or four! Customise the structure as you choose and take home your finished product.

LOCATION
Ermington Library

DATE
Wednesday, 8 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

6-9
years



TINA GREEN CIRCUS SHOW

Tina Green Circus Show is an action-packed comedy circus show. Kids of all ages will have lots of laughs and be captivated by Emma's skills featuring juggling, balance tricks and hula hoops. After the show kids will learn the FUNadmentals of basic circus skills!

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

DATE
Wednesday, 8 January

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1

DATE
Monday, 20 January

TIME
2:00 PM - 3:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

7+
years



DECORATE YOUR OWN WOODEN DREAMCATCHERS: JUNIOR

The dream catcher is believed to protect sleepers from bad dreams by "catching" them in the web, while letting good dreams pass through.

Join us in making and decorating your own wooden version! Using a variety of paints, glitter, gemstones and ribbons.

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Wednesday, 8 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

5-9
years



BIG SCIENCE BIG FUN

See gigantic bubbles, flying toilet paper, hair-raising electricity experiments, levitating beach balls, volunteers on a nail chair, a giant gyroscope, fire balls, coloured shadows, a flame equalizer and much more!

Run by professional Science Communicators
this show is not to be missed.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library
Carlingford Scout Hall

DATE
Thursday, 9 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

5+
years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

DECORATE YOUR OWN WOODEN DREAMCATCHERS: YOUTH

The dream catcher is one of the most enduring and widespread symbols associated with Native American culture. It's commonly believed that the iconic hoop-and-web form is meant to protect sleepers from bad dreams by "catching" them, while letting good dreams pass through. Join us in making and decorating your own wooden version!

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Thursday, 9 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

10+ years



MAGIC PICTURE REVEAL

Learn to make magic that turns a black outline into a full colour picture using a Magic Picture Reveal Frame. Guided by staff, children can unleash their creativity after picking a picture. Watch as the magic unfolds as they insert their colourful artworks in a special picture that reveals hidden surprises.

Please note participants under 10 years old needs to be accompanied by an adult.

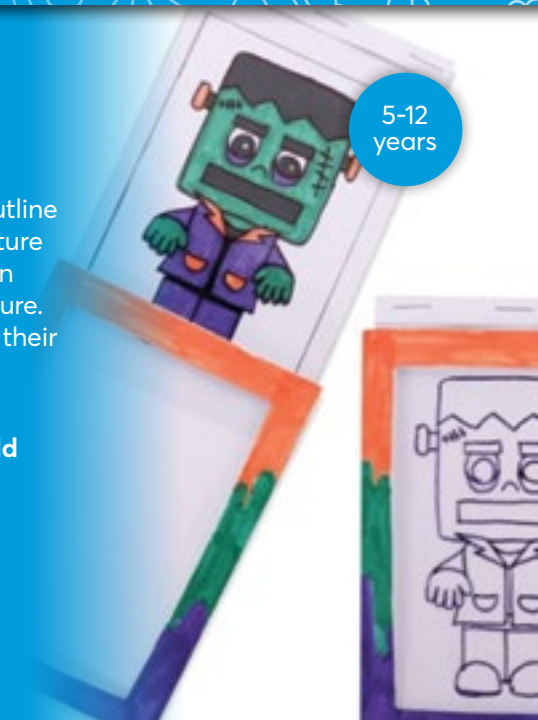
LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Friday, 10 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

5-12 years



CURIOUS KIDS SCIENCE SHOW

This workshop begins with an interactive science show to get children's minds started, followed by an introduction to the many hands on experiments that they can explore themselves! Participants will learn to investigate energy and use their senses to discover how the science activities and toys operate.

LOCATION
Epping Library
Epping Leisure & Learning Centre

DATE
Friday, 10 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

5-12 years



BIG CHEMISTRY SHOW

Through a series of Chemistry experiments water changes to wine, Liquid Nitrogen liquefies air and even elephant's toothpaste shoots to the ceiling all in the name of Chemistry.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Library IDEAS Lounge, Level 1

DATE
Friday, 10 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

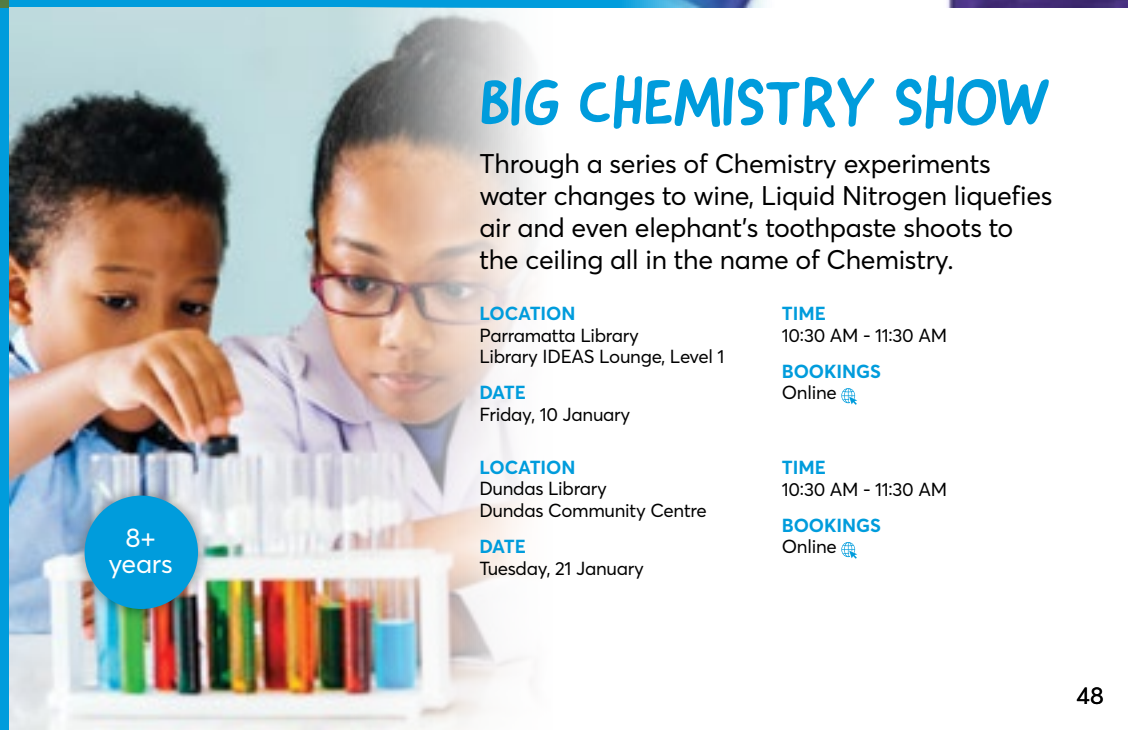
LOCATION
Dundas Library
Dundas Community Centre

DATE
Tuesday, 21 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

8+ years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

SHARK WOODEN FRAME WORKSHOP

7-12 years

Sharks are of all kinds, some scary and some harmless. Decorate your shark frame the way you want it to look. Choose from a large variety of colourful craft material and mosaic beads and let your imagination go wild! All materials will be provided.



LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

DATE
Friday, 10 January

BOOKINGS
Online

AUSTRALIAN PLANETARIUM

5-12 years

This incredible program features the latest and most advanced 360° portable 4K projection system, bringing ground-breaking technology right to your local library. Experience the wonders of the universe with visually stunning and educational content. Join us for presenter-led astronomy shows delivered by engaging and experienced science communicators. The immersive dome provides a theatre setting for standard and 360° 4K images with surround sound, making it a totally interactive experience. Marvel at the night sky above your head and embark on a virtual trip to the farthest regions of the universe with our trailblazing software.

LOCATION
Ermington Library
Ermington Community Centre

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January

BOOKINGS
Online

FROGS, FROGS, FROGS!

Join us for an immersive illustration workshop where art and nature collide! Participants will get the unique opportunity to observe live frogs up close, studying their fascinating textures, colours, and movements. Guided by an instructor, you'll learn various illustration techniques to capture these amazing creatures on paper. **Suitable for all ages and skill levels, this workshop blends art, science, and fun!**

LOCATION
Ermington Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Monday, 13 January

BOOKINGS
Online

7+ years

INTRODUCTION TO 3D PRINTING

3D printing allows you to design or download objects in full three dimension (3D), then print them out using a 3D printer. This workshop will give you an introduction to the basics of 3D design, and the printing process. We will as a group craft a small 3D design object and get the file ready for it to be transformed into reality using a 3D printer.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January

BOOKINGS
No booking required

9+ years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

YARN WRAPPED LIZARDS

This workshop is a fun and creative session where participants can craft colourful lizard figures by wrapping yarn around simple frames. This hands-on activity encourages creativity and fine motor skills while offering a playful, relaxing crafting experience.

LOCATION
Dundas Library

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online



8-12 years

JOURNEY WITH THE CHAU CHAK WING MUSEUM

Join archaeologists, historians and artists in this hands-on workshop and explore the University of Sydney's Chau Chak Wing Museum's collection through the theme of journeys. You will be able to handle some objects and artefacts from the museum's collection and engage in activities centring around artefacts from ancient Egypt and Mesopotamia. The workshop also includes a creative writing session designed by poet Sara Saleh. Trace your personal journey alongside those of real museum objects, and graffiti our wall to match that theme. **Please only book and attend 1 session as both sessions are the same.**

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January

TIME
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



8-14 years

MINI MOBILES

Choose from one of our mini wooden mobiles & unleash your inner artist using our paint stampers! We will be using easy stampers for painting and added extras like glitter and gemstones!

Please only book and attend 1 session as both sessions are the same.

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM
12:30 PM - 1:30 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



4-8 years

PAINT A SUNSET MASTERPIECE

Unleash your inner artist in our thrilling 2-day workshop! Dive into the vibrant world of acrylic painting and create a breathtaking sunset masterpiece on canvas. By the end, you'll have a stunning piece of art to proudly display at home. Don't miss this chance to turn your artistic dreams into reality! **Participants are required to attend both sessions.**

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community
Centre and Library
Creative Studio

DATE
Tuesday, 14 January & Wednesday,
15 January

TIME
2:30 PM - 4:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



10-16 years

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

DIGGING DINOSAURS

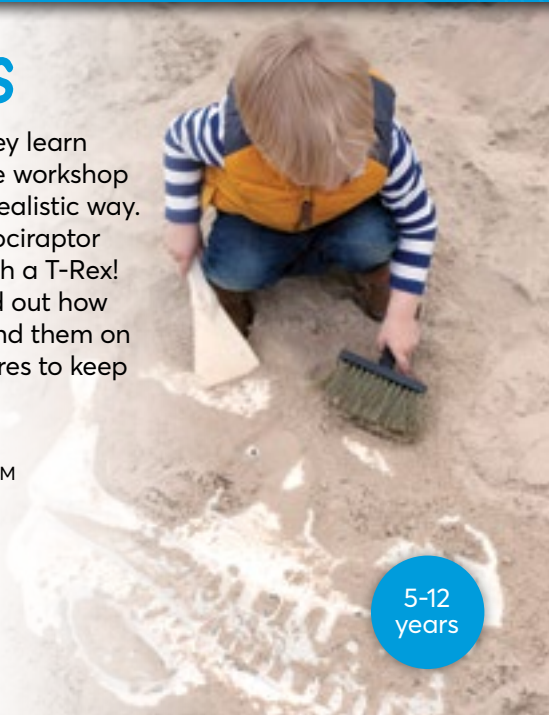
Kids will have a roaring great time as they learn about dinosaurs in this hands-on science workshop designed to look at palaeontology in a realistic way. Check out the life-size replica of the Velociraptor dinosaur skull and come face to face with a T-Rex! Work like a real palaeontologist and find out how fossils are formed and how it's easy to find them on the beach, make casts of ancient creatures to keep and much more!

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Wednesday, 15 January

TIME
10:00 AM - 11:00 AM

BOOKINGS
Online



5-12
years

WILD AT HEART WORKSHOP Nature-Based Solutions

In this Wild At Heart sustainability experience, children will enjoy hands-on activities to bring nature-based solutions to life, including engaging in interactive storytelling, using motion to change floor projections and creating "green streets" with preloved Lego.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Thursday, 16 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community
Centre and Library

DATE
Monday, 20 January

TIME
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



5-10
years

FUN TO DRAW

This program involves the participants using iPads to freely draw or follow the artist's instructions on the screen. The artist and the participants will draw simultaneously to help everyone learn and improve their skills.

Come and enjoy being creative these school holidays!

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Wednesday, 15 January

TIME
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online



5-8
years

CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY DROP-IN SESSIONS

Join us to celebrate Lunar New Year and learn the art of Calligraphy. Our presenter, Xueyi Bai, is a member of the Chinese Calligrapher Association, one of the few in Australia. Xueyi will introduce the development of Chinese calligraphy and guide children to practice lines, dots, and characters for them to create a calligraphy character such as "harmony" or "prosperity" to take home.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
IDEAS Lab, Level 1

DATE
Saturday, 18 January

TIME
11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required



4-8
years

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

INTRODUCTION TO KUBO ROBOTICS

Meet KUBO, the unique STEM robot with a captivating personality that turns learning into an enjoyable and interactive experience! Your child will dive into a world of creativity and digital intelligence as they develop basic coding skills with KUBO.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Friday, 17 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

7+ years



INTRODUCTION TO FABLE ROBOTS

This workshop is a fun and interactive session where young learners can explore the world of robotics. Designed for beginners, this hands-on class introduces kids to assembling and programming Fable robots using simple, block-based coding.

LOCATION
Dundas Library

DATE
Monday, 20 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

12+ years



MAKE A 3D WOODEN FLYING BIRD

Do you like birds and building things with your hands? If yes, join us in a fun lesson on birds and making a 3D wooden flying bird.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Friday, 17 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

8-12 years



INTRODUCTION TO 3D PRINTING

You will learn the basic setup of the 3D Printer and the software required to print the 3D file. You will also have a chance to create your own design, print it, and take it home with you.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

DATE
Tuesday, 21 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

9-12 years



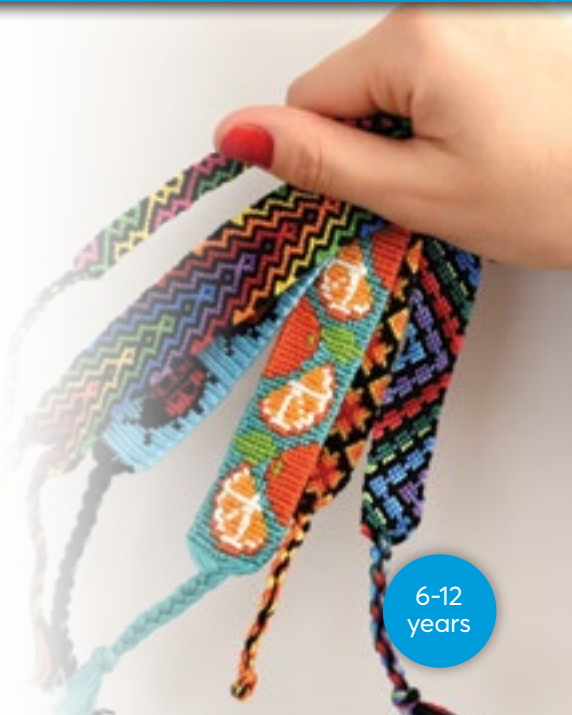
SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

DIY FRIENDSHIP BRACELET WORKSHOP

In this fun workshop you will learn how to make colourful friendship bracelets, using simple patterns and materials. Friendship bracelets are a great summer accessory and make ideal gifts to share with friends. Why not bring your BFF along for double the fun! Tuition and all materials provided.



6-12 years

LOCATION
Wentworth Point
Community Centre
and Library

TIME
2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

DATE
Tuesday, 21 January



12+ years

BECOME A NINJA WARRIOR

Skilled coaches from Fun Incursion will guide children through engaging obstacle courses, competitions, and problem-solving challenges tailored to various skill levels. Using colourful, soft, and safe equipment, we ensure every participant is safe while having a blast. Perfect for aspiring ninjas of all abilities.

LOCATION Epping Library Epping Leisure & Learning Centre	DATE Wednesday, 22 January	TIME 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM	BOOKINGS Online	5-8 years
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LOCATION Epping Library Epping Leisure & Learning Centre	DATE Wednesday, 22 January	TIME 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online	8-12 years
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LOCATION Epping Library Epping Leisure & Learning Centre	DATE Wednesday, 22 January	TIME 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online	12-18 years
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EXPERIENCE VR AND LED MICROSCOPE DROP IN SESSIONS

Experience mind-bending adventures, immersive simulations and captivating storytelling. Discover the hidden beauty and fascinating features of the natural world all around us.

LOCATION Ermington Library	TIME 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM
DATE Wednesdays, 22 & 29 January	BOOKINGS No booking required



8+ years

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

POETRY SAFARI

From funny poems to tales of fun
You'll, craft your own when the day is done
So grab your pen, and bring your voice
In the world of poetry, you're the choice!

Featuring a variety of topics and themes, you
will craft your own poem and learn new ways of
creating prose. We will then display your poems
on our "Po-e-tree" within the library for the
community to enjoy.

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Wednesday, 22 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

BOOKINGS
Online

8-12
years



LUNAR NEW YEAR: CHINESE CALLIGRAPHY WORKSHOP

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and guide children to practice lines, dots, and
characters to create a 1 calligraphy character
such as "harmony" or "prosperity" to take home.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community
Centre and Library

DATE
Thursday, 23 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

7+
years



EXPERIENCE VR DROP-IN

Experience a whole new dimension of
fun and excitement with our Virtual
Reality Drop-In Program. Immerse
yourself in a captivating virtual world
filled with thrilling adventures. Get
ready to escape reality and embark
on unforgettable virtual adventures
like never before! **Each participant
has 15 minutes to experience VR.**

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

DATE
Wednesday, 22 January

TIME
1:30 PM - 3:30 PM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

12+
years



CELEBRATE AUSTRALIA WITH INDIGENOUS VELVET ART

Bring the little ones and enjoy some painting and
colouring with our easy stampers for very young
children. Designed by indigenous artist Kerry-
Ann Taggart, these colouring sheets are printed
on thick card with black velvet flocking designs.
There will be paints and crayons available also
to help our little artists celebrate Australia.

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Thursday, 23 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
Online

4-8
years



SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM



7+
years

AUSTRALIA DAY: CREATE AUSSIE ANIMALS WITH 3D PEN

Delve into the unique world of Australian wildlife using a 3D pen to make unique animals. Young creators are welcome to join us in a session celebrating Australian animals. **Please note participants under 10 years old needs to be accompanied by an adult.**

LOCATION Carlingford Library	DATE Friday, 24 January	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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8+
years

CELEBRATE AUSTRALIA WITH AN INDIGENOUS DIORAMA

Come together to celebrate Australia by illustrating your own diorama. Designed by Indigenous Artist Kerri-Ann Taggart, *"The Great Rainbow Serpent travelled around Australia carving rivers throughout the land. This is the moment where the Serpent travelled through the Mountains into the Hunter Valley and carved out the Hunter River."*

LOCATION Epping Library	DATE Friday, 24 January	TIME 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online
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SCHOOL HOLIDAYS



School holiday registrations open
Monday 9 December at 9:30 AM

5+
years

PAPER LANTERNS FOR CHINESE NEW YEAR

Lanterns symbolise driving out darkness and bringing hope to a new year. Join us as we make lanterns to adorn the library and your home for this lunar new year, the Year of the Snake.

LOCATION Epping Library	DATE Wednesday, 29 January	TIME 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM	BOOKINGS No booking required
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3D PRINTED NAME TAG WORKSHOP!

Unlock your creativity with our 3D Printed Name Tag Keyring workshop! Dive into the world of design and technology as you craft a personalized name tag. Using Tinkercad software and state-of-the-art 3D printers, you'll learn the basics of 3D modelling while customizing your tag.

LOCATION Epping Library	DATE Thursday, 30 January	TIME 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM	BOOKINGS Online
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8+
years



STORY TIME

Bring your little ones to join us for stories, rhymes and lots of fun! Story time is held during school term and bookings are not required for sessions.

CARLINGFORD LIBRARY

Bibs n Books

DATE	TIME	AGE
Wednesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-2 years

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Fridays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	2-5 years

CONSTITUTION HILL LIBRARY

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Tuesdays	11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	0-5 years

DATE	TIME	AGE
Wednesdays	11:00 AM - 11:30 AM	0-5 years

DUNDAS LIBRARY

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Tuesdays and Thursdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-5 years

EPHING LIBRARY

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Tuesdays and Fridays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	3-5 years

Bibs n Books

DATE	TIME	AGE
Wednesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-2 years

ERMINGTON LIBRARY

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Wednesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-5 years

DATE	TIME	AGE
Fridays	10:00 AM - 10:30 AM	0-5 years

PARRAMATTA LIBRARY

Toddler Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Tuesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	18 months - 3 years

Bibs n Books

DATE	TIME	AGE
Wednesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-2 years

DATE	TIME	AGE
Thursdays	2:00 PM - 2:30 PM	0-2 years

Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Fridays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	2-5 years

Family Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Saturdays & Sundays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	All ages

DATE	TIME	AGE
Monday	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	3-5 years

PARRAMATTA LIBRARY

Pyjama Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Monday	6:30 PM - 7:00 PM	0-8 years
2 December, 3 February		

Auslan Interpreted Story Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Monday	1:30 PM - 2:00 PM	0-5 years
24 February		

WENTWORTH POINT COMMUNITY CENTRE AND LIBRARY

Bibs n Books

DATE	TIME	AGE
Tuesdays & Wednesdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	0-2 years

Sing, Read and Grow

- Toddler Time

DATE	TIME	AGE
Thursdays	10:30 AM - 11:00 AM	2-5 years



STORY TIME

SANTA'S CHRISTMAS STORY TIME

Santa Claus welcomes families to enjoy a special Christmas Storytime. The jolly old man will read Christmas stories to the children and sing Jingle Bells, Rudolf the Red Nosed Reindeer and We Wish you a Merry Christmas, encouraging the children and parents to join in! Within the visit, Santa will also ask each child what they would like for Christmas and will happily have photos with the children.

LOCATION
Parramatta Library
Children's Library, Level 1

DATE
Monday, 16 December

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

0-10
years



STARTING SCHOOL STORY TIME

Join us for a special family story time for children who are about to start school and their families. Transitioning from home, day care or pre-school to "big" school is a significant change for everyone in the family. It can be difficult, as well as being a wonderful step forward. This story time will address the challenge that starting school presents, and also promote positivity and demonstrate that learning is an amazing adventure. The fun really does start now.

LOCATION
Wentworth Point Community
Centre and Library

DATE
Wednesday, 22 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

3-5
years



CHRISTMAS STORY TIME

Join us as we jingle all the way to the end of 2024. Families with preschoolers are welcome in this special story time session run by our friendly library staff. A craft activity will follow storytelling as we celebrate this year and usher in the next one.

LOCATION
Ermington Library

DATE
Wednesday, 18 December

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

0-5
years



BILINGUAL STORY TIME (ENGLISH AND MANDARIN) TO CELEBRATE CHINESE NEW YEAR

Come and celebrate the start of the Chinese New Year with a special Bilingual Storytime. Join us for stories in English and Chinese. Let's celebrate the Year of the Snake!

LOCATION
Epping Library

DATE
Wednesday, 29 January

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:30 AM

BOOKINGS
No booking required

2-7
years



STORY TIME

CHINESE LUNAR NEW YEAR STORY TIME (English and Chinese)

Join us for a special bilingual storytime to celebrate Chinese Lunar New Year - Year of the Snake (蛇). With singing and stories read aloud in Chinese and English. There will also be a craft you can take home afterwards.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

TIME
3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

DATE
Friday, 31 January

BOOKINGS
No booking required



LUNAR NEW YEAR STORY TIME

Celebrate the New Year once more during Lunar New Year! In the Chinese zodiac, the snake symbolises wisdom, charm, elegance, and transformation. Join us for a storytelling and craft session as we mark 2025 as the Year of the Snake. We wish you joy and prosperity

LOCATION
Ermington Library

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

DATE
Wednesday, 5 February

BOOKINGS
No booking required



CHINESE NEW YEAR SPECIAL STORY TIME

Celebrate Chinese New Year with us as we welcome the Year of the Snake! Enjoy captivating stories filled with bright colors, delicious food, and the lively spirit of this annual festivity. Discover more about the Year of the Snake and take home your creations after participating in a fun coloring activity.

LOCATION
Constitution Hill Library

TIME
11:00 AM - 11:30 AM

DATE
Tuesday, 4 February &
Wednesday, 5 February

BOOKINGS
No booking required



BILINGUAL (ENGLISH AND CHINESE) STORY TIME

Bilingual Story Time offers an engaging and interactive storytelling experience for children aged 2 to 5 and their parents or caregivers.

LOCATION
Carlingford Library

TIME
10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

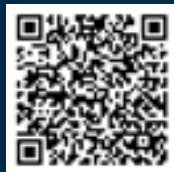
DATE
Friday, 7 February

BOOKINGS
No booking required





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Carlingford Library

17 Lloyds Avenue, Carlingford
9806 5850
Monday to Tuesday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Wednesday 9:30am – 8:00pm
Thursday to Friday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Saturday: 9:30am – 12:00pm

Constitution Hill Library

20 Hollis Street, Constitution Hill
9806 5500
Monday to Wednesday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Thursday 9:30am – 8:00pm
Friday to Saturday 9:30am – 5:00pm

Dundas Library

21 Sturt Street, Telopea
9806 5960
Monday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Tuesday 9:30am – 8:00pm
Wednesday to Friday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Saturday 9:30am – 12:00pm

Epping Library

Chambers Court, Epping
9806 5843
Monday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Tuesday to Thursday 9:30am – 8:00pm
Friday to Saturday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Sunday 2:00pm – 5:00pm

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE SERVICE

Please call the library to confirm availability.
Check the library website for times. <https://parra.city/jpservice>

Carlingford Library 9806 5850

Constitution Hill Library 9806 5500

Dundas Library 9806 5960

Epping Library 9806 5843

Ermington Library 9806 5869

Ermington Library

River Road, Ermington
9806 5869
Monday to Tuesday 9.30am – 5:00pm
Wednesday 9.30am – 8:00pm
Thursday to Friday 9.30am – 5:00pm
Saturday 9.30am – 12:00pm

Parramatta Library

5 Parramatta Square, Parramatta
9806 5159
Monday to Thursday 9:00am – 8:00pm
Friday to Sunday 9:00am – 5:00pm
*Local Studies and Family History Library is located here

Wentworth Point Community Centre & Library

10 Footbridge Boulevard, Wentworth Point
9806 8600
Monday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Tuesday to Thursday 9:30am – 8:00pm
Friday to Saturday 9:30am – 5:00pm
Sunday 2:00pm to 5:00pm

Home Library Service

9806 5150
Monday to Friday 8:00am – 4:00pm

Wentworth Point Community Centre and Library

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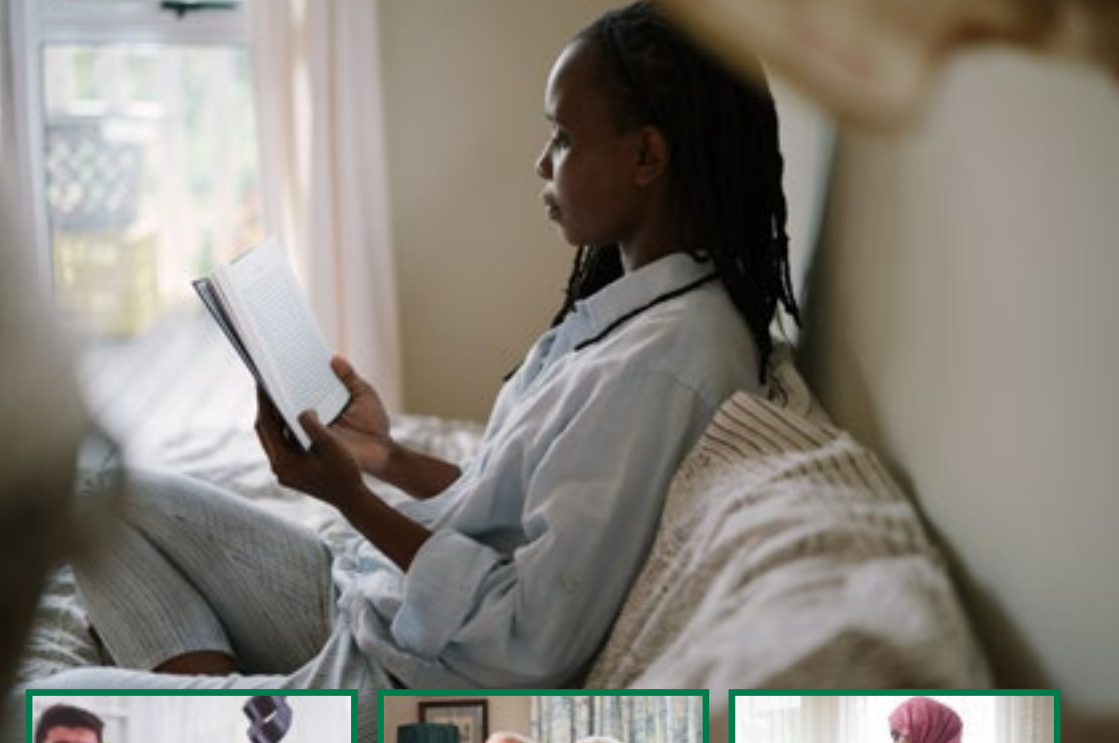


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Home Library Service

Are you unable to visit the library due to poor health or disability? Contact us to chat about our free home library service, which is available for eligible residents of the City of Parramatta.



Contact: 9806 5150

