



2022 Free and Low-Cost Things To Do

“Reg” dates are the dates that registration begins for a particular activity.

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Every Sunday Afternoon, 1:30-4:30, Boston Children’s Museum is \$1 admission for everyone over age 12 (usually \$20). Children under age 12 are always free. **Reservations required.** Covid guidelines: <https://bostonchildrensmuseum.org/visit>

Every Friday Summer Afternoon, 4:30-7:30, Discovery Museum, 177 Main St., Acton, is free for all. Reservations are required to limit indoor capacity and be admitted to the grounds. **Reservations required.** Covid guidelines: <https://www.discoveryacton.org/>

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| July 1
Drop in | Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children’s Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too. | Free |
| July 1
Reserve Time | Kids Crafts on the Lawn: Decorate Your Own Bucket Hat for ages 4 & up. 10-12:30 at Carlisle Library
Check website if rain. Fabric markers & embellishments provided. Email childrens@gleasonlibrary.org | Free |
| July 1
Register | Rolie Polie Guacamole Family Concert on the Lawn at Carlisle Library, 6-7 p.m., 22 Bedford Road
Register on calendar: https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/ | Free |
| July 1
Drop in | Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional. | Free |
| July 1-6
Reserve Tix | The Caterpillar Lab visits the Discovery Museum! Viewing from 9:00-12 and 1:00-4, included w/admission
The caterpillars take over the Play Labs and turn them into a mini version of their own lab space. See a huge variety of N.E. species in open-air displays on local plants, ask the educators questions, more.
Learn more here: https://www.discoveryacton.org/events-programs/caterpillar-lab . Free for teachers & active duty military. \$1/person up to 6 with EBT/WIC/ConnectorCare cards. 50% with a library pass: \$7.75 adult/child age 1+, \$7.25 age 60+. Mask required 9-10:00; strongly encouraged inside at other times.
Library passes available at all 11 First Connections towns. | Free
up to
\$15.50/
Person |
| July 2
Drop in | Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea. | Free |
| July 3 | Worcester Art Museum free admission 10-4:00, 55 Salisbury St., Worcester. www.worcesterart.org
Current exhibitions include Jewels of the Nile and Higgins Armory collection in the Medieval Galleries. | Free |
| July 3 | Museum of Russian Icons free admission 10-4:00, 203 Union St, Clinton https://www.museumofrussianicons.org/ | Free |
| July 5
Drop in | Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran’s Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain). | Free |

July 5	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance!10-10:30	Free
July 5	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
July 5	Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room	Free
July 5 Reg. 6/29, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library/	Free
July 5 Drop in	Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess!	Free
July 5 Drop in	Craft Camp-Suncatchers for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. 4-4:45. Masks required 07/05/2022 Craft Camp: Summer Suncatchers! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 5 Drop in	Music & Movement with Concord Conservatory of Music at Concord Library, 1322 Main St, 10:00 or 11:00 Geared toward babies thru 5 years, highlighting how music stimulates physical, language, social and cognitive development. Held in the Labyrinth Garden at W. Concord Union Church across the street from Fowler Branch library, where the program will be held if it rains and where masks will be required.	Free
July 6 Drop in	Meet children's book author D.B. Johnson at Concord Library, 129 Main St, 10:30. Ages 4 & up. Bring your copy of the author's book for autographing. Listen to a story and learn to draw Henry.	Free
July 6	Bookworm Wednesday at Showcase Cinema Lowell – <i>Boss Baby 2</i> , PG 10:00. Present a book report for admission for child, adult, and siblings under age 6. https://www.showcasecinemas.com/programs/bookworm-wednesdays	Free
July 6 Register	Virtual Drawing Super Heroes Class with Rick Stromoski, 4-5:00, thru Westford Library. Interactive cartooning class. https://westfordlibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/virtual-draw-super-heroes-with-rick-stromoski/	Free
July 6 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
July 6 Reg. 6/29, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-13/	Free
July 6 Reg. 6/29, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-5/	Free
July 6 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
July 6 Drop in	Through Me to You Puppetry visits Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 6-7:00 pm. Join Newton and his puppet friends as they take turns reading stories & singing songs. Free play with puppets after the show.	Free
July 6	Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann	Free
July 6 Ticket Req'd	Vanessa Trien & the Jumping Monkeys Concert at Nara Park, Acton, 25 Ledgerock Way, 6-7:30 pm https://www.eventbrite.com/e/vanessa-trien-the-jumping-monkeys-tickets-272128582917	Free
July 6 Reg. on calendar	"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project will use recycled materials to build hydroponic planters. https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm	Free
July 6 Drop in	Dance Party with Denise at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., 10-10:30, for ages 6 & under. Held indoors in the Tarbell Room. Groove to children's songs, oldies, & pop favorites.	Free
July 7	Drop-in Baby Bounce Stories & Songs at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30, in the Tarbell Room	Free

July 7 Drop in	Wingmasters: World of Owls for ages 5 & Up at Sudbury Library, 4-4:45, in the Community Room. Learn about owls' extraordinary sight, hearing & flight abilities. Community Room, mask-friendly.	Free
July 7	Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St.	Free
July 7 Drop in	Rockabye Beats performs a family concert outdoors at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 7-8:30 p.m. Enjoy rock'n'roll, calypso, funk, blues, learn Spanish vocabulary. Bring a blanket or chair, bug spray.	Free
July 7 Drop in	Join the Concord Librarians for their Favorite New Picture Books for Infants-Preschoolers 10:30-11:30 Each time you read 25 books on the "101 Picture Books" list and finish a coloring sheet you get a prize!	Free
July 7 Drop in	Fitchburg Art Museum is FREE today from 12 Noon to 7:00 p.m., 185 Elm Street, Fitchburg, 978-345-4207 https://fitchburgartmuseum.org/plan-your-visit/ , info@fitchburgartmuseum.org , See their ongoing Egyptian exhibit, the Largest Book in the World about Peace, and Hypnagogia – a unique art/craft exhibit!	Free
July 7 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
July 7 Register	Outdoor Concert with Alistair Moock on the Lawn at Carlisle Library, 22 Bedford Road, 4-5:00 p.m. Register on the library calendar: https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
July 7 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
July 7 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 8 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.	Free
July 8 Register	Toddler Storytime (18 mos.–3 yrs) w/Miss Jennifer at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St, 10:30-11. Meets on the patio (Sturtz room if rain). https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-july/	Free
July 8 Register	Take a Tromp Through the Swamp music show with Tom Sieling behind Groton Library, 11-12:00. Participatory songs for kids accompanied by banjo, guitar, drum machine and harmonica. Use 99A Main St. https://qpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/musician-tom-sieling-take-a-tromp-through-the-swamp-all-ages/	Free
July 8 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
July 8 Register	Summer Preschool Storytime at Carlisle Library, 10:30-11:15, for ages 3-6, with interactive stories, rhymes, fingerplays, songs, and craft. Masks strongly recommended for ages 2 & up. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
July 8 Drop in/Reg*	Curious Creatures visits Bedford Library for ages 5 & Up, 10:30-11:30, outside. Learn about, see and maybe even touch amazing small mammals, snakes & reptiles. *If rain, register on website for mtg. room. https://www.bedfordlibrary.net/events/event/curious-creatures-4/	Free
July 9 Drop in	Plant Play for ages 3-8 at Garden in the Woods, 180 Hemenway Rd., Framingham 10:30-11:30 Nature-inspired stories, songs & crafts with admission or library pass. Active duty military free, Library Pass cost: \$8 adult, \$1 child, under 5 free. https://www.nativeplanttrust.org/visit/events/ Library pass Available in Acton, Boxboro, Harvard, Lincoln, Littleton, Maynard, Sudbury.	Free up to \$16
July 9 Drop in	Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea.	Free

July 9	Outdoor Drop-in Munchkin Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., 11-11:30. Stories, songs & donuts	Free
July 9	Outdoor Dads & Donuts Drop in Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd., 10:00, with juice & coffee	Free
July 9-14 Reserve Tix	Construct Fairyborough at the Discovery Museum! 10-3:00 daily. Design, build & explore a mysterious forest environment of fairy houses, gnome homes & sprite skyscrapers made completely out of natural materials and creativity. Held outdoors weather permitting each day with staff assistance. Learn more here: https://www.discoveryacton.org/events-programs/fairyborough Free for teachers & active duty military families. \$1/person up to 6 with EBT/WIC/ConnectorCare cards. Library pass cost: \$7.75 for adult/child age 1+, \$7.25 age 60+. Mask required 9-10:00; strongly encouraged inside other times. Library passes available at all 11 First Connections towns.	Free up to \$15.50/Person
July 9 Reserve Tix.	Insect Day at the Ecotarium, Worcester, 10-4:30, for all ages. Get up close, learn fun facts, dress up in life-like costumes, create beautiful art and dance like an arthropod. Held outdoors. See schedule and reserve tickets here: https://ecotarium.org/insect_day/ ? Masks recommended indoors. Active duty military and reservists free. EBT/WIC/Wonderfund \$4/person up to 4 in same car. Library pass cost: Adult \$9.50, child \$7, senior \$7.50. Under 2 always free. Planetarium & train extra fee. Library pass available in Acton, Boxboro, Carlisle, Harvard, Littleton and Maynard	Free up to \$19/person ←
July 9 Register	Hoop Jam at Carlisle Library's front lawn, 22 Bedford Rd, for all ages, 2-3:30. Drop in any time during the 90 minutes to meet professional hoop instructor Stephanie & give it a try! https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
July 9 Drop in	Family Music for all ages with Sarah, on the lawn at Bedford Library, 10:30-11:15. Bring a blanket to sit on, and sing, dance and make music. Held inside if rain. 7 Mudge Way, Bedford Center.	Free
July 11 Register	Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picturebooks, fingerplays & songs. Register: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 11 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 11 Drop in	Sing Camp Songs with Tom Sieling and his guitar, banjo and drum machine at Concord Library, 129 Main 10:30-11:30. Join us in the Children's Garden for lots of audience interaction and interesting nature facts!	Free
July 11 Reg. 6/27, 9:00	Lego Downhill Racing at Acton Library, 3-4:00 for ages 5 & Older. Build your own vehicle & race it against others on the custom-made track. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/lego-downhill-racing-2/	Free
July 11 Ticket Required	Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11 Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live.	Free
July 11	Drop in Musical Monday at Bedford Library, 10:30-10:50, for 2-5 years. Stories, rhymes & movement.	Free
July 11 & 12	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
July 12 Drop in	Craft Camp for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. Make seashell animals today at 4:00 Mask-friendly. 07/12/2022 Craft Camp: Seashell Animals! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 12 Reg. 7/6, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-2/	Free
July 12 Drop in	Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain).	Free
July 12	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance!10-10:30	Free

- July 12
Drop in
Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, Free rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.
- July 12
Register
Davis Bates, "The Places You'll Go" family music & storytelling program for all ages. 4:00 at Harvard Library Free Native American, international, and regional songs encourages everyone to join the fun. Held on library lawn. Register: <https://forms.gle/EmD6r6ECAzdfjBiY6>
- July 12
Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room Free
- July 12
Register
Dream Tale Puppet Show at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., 2-3:00. Help Alice look for her lost kitten Free but stay away from the dragon! <https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-july/>
- July 13
Register
2's & 3's Themed Storytime with songs, felt board and fingerplays at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30 Free Held outdoors under a tent. Older siblings welcome. <https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8>
- July 13
Reg. on calendar
"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project Free focuses on "fueling" a trip on the Oregon Trail. We'll make butter and biscuits and then figure out how much we'd need for a trip. <https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm>
- July 13
Reg. 7/6, 9:00
Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. Free <https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-6/>
- July 13
Reg. 7/6, 11:00
Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the Free best books ever: <https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-14/>
- July 13
Bookworm Wednesday at Showcase Cinema Lowell – *Spirit Untamed*, PG. 10:00. Present a book report for Free admission for child, adult, & siblings under age 6. <https://www.showcasecinemas.com/programs/bookworm-wednesdays>
- July 13
Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann Free
- July 13
Drop in
Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will Free get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.
- July 14
Drop-in Baby Bounce Stories & Songs at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30, in the Tarbell Room Free
- July 14
Register
Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, Free movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: <https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8>
- July 14
Register
Nature Connection Program for ages 3-6 at Carlisle Library, 22 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:15 on the lawn. Free Plant & animal-based nature stories and sensory engagement activities. <https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/>
- July 14
Drop in
Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime Free and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.
- July 14
Reg. on calendar
Let's Go on a Bug Hunt with Hands on Nature for All Ages, 4:30-5:30, at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave. Free Investigate beetles, worms, slugs, ladybugs, & caterpillars, then go on a bug hunt at the library. There will be a storytime for toddlers & preschoolers in another room during the program.
- July 14
Drop in
Join the Concord Librarians for their Favorite New Picture Books for Infants-Preschoolers 10:30-11:30 Free Each time you read 25 books on the "101 Picture Books" list and finish a coloring sheet you get a prize!
- July 14
Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St. Free
- July 14
Drop in
Messy Fun outside at at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Free Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.

July 14 Drop in	Curious Creatures at Boardinghouse Park, Lowell, 10-12:00. Schedule: 10:00 Free arts & crafts, children's book, & healthy snacks. 11:00 Performance. https://lowellsummermusic.org/free-fun-for-kids/	Free
July 15 Reserve Time	Kids Crafts on the lawn at Carlisle Library: Pour Painting for ages 4 & up 10-12:30. Email the library to reserve your family's time slot for this activity: childrens@gleasonlibrary.org 22 Bedford Road.	Free
July 15 Register	Toddler Storytime (18 mos.–3 yrs) w/Miss Jennifer at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St, 10:30-11. Meets on the patio (Sturtz room if rain). https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-july/	Free
July 15 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
July 15 Drop in	Drumming About You! At the Pierce House tent, 17 Weston Rd, Lincoln for all ages, 10:30. Everyone plays at Bob Bloom's interactive drumming hoots. See the colorful cargo of curious drums! Parking details: https://lincolnpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/drumming-about-you-at-the-pierce-house/	Free
July 15 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.	Free
July 16	Outdoor Drop-in Munchkin Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., 11-11:30. Stories, songs & donuts	Free
July 16 Drop in	Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea.	Free
July 16 Register	Saturday Outdoor Storytime for Ages 3-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30-11:00 https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 16 Drop in	Outdoors Construction Zone Play at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd., 10-12:00, for ages 3 and up. Come play with a GIANT collection of Legos, Duplos and other construction toys. Inside if rain/heat.	Free
July 18 Register	Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picture books, fingerplays & songs. Register: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 18 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 18	Drop in Musical Monday at Bedford Library, 10:30-10:50, for 2-5 years. Stories, rhymes & movement.	Free
July 18 Drop in	Rockabye Beats performs a family concert outdoors at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:15 Enjoy rock'n'roll, calypso, funk, blues, learn Spanish vocabulary. Bring a blanket or chair, bug spray.	Free
July 18 Ticket Required	Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11 Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live.	Free
July 18 Reg. 7/4, 9:00	Lego Challenge at Acton Library, 3-4:00 for ages 5 & Older. From individual lego bins, each child will build their own creation, then display it. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/lego-challenge-4/	Free
July 18 & 19	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
July 19	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance! 10-10:30	Free
July 19 Drop in	Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess!	Free
July 19	Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime,	Free

Drop in	rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.	
July 19 Reg. 7/13, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-3/	Free
July 19 Drop in	Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain).	Free
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July 19 Drop in	Craft Camp for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. Make Fireflies & Glow Jars at 4:00. Masks 07/19/2022 Craft Camp: Fireflies and Glow Jars! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 20 Reg. 7/13, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-7/	Free
July 20 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
July 20 Drop in	Join Animal World Experience on Concord Library lawn, 129 Main St. All ages program. Meet and touch unusual animals that are seldom seen in the wild except by seasoned experts. 4:00-5:00	Free
July 20	Bookworm Wednesday at Showcase Cinema Lowell – <i>Secret Lives of Pets 2</i> , PG. 10:00. Present a book report for admission for child, adult, and siblings under age 6. https://www.showcasecinemas.com/programs/bookworm-wednesdays	Free
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July 20 Reg. 7/13, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-15/	Free
July 20 Drop in	Westford Library Garden Check-in, a drop in program for Ages 4-10 with a caregiver held outside Check on the plants growing in bags. Are there any bugs? Any critters eating them? Do they need water?	Free
July 20 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
July 20 Register July 6	Learn to Play the Ukulele with Miss Amy at Sudbury Library for rising 2 nd -5 th graders. 2-2:45 or 4-4:45. https://goodnowlibrary.org/events/ Register for the time slot. Repeats on August 10. Mask friendly.	Free
July 21 Drop in	Ben Rudnick & Friends at Boardinghouse Park, Lowell, 10-12:00. Schedule: 10:00 Free arts & crafts, children's book, & healthy snacks. 11:00 Performance. https://lowellsummermusic.org/free-fun-for-kids/	Free
July 21 Reg. 7/1, 9:00	Jungle Jim's Camp Balloon Magic Show at Acton Library for all ages, 2-3:00. Held outdoors. In case of rain held indoors. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/jungle-jims-camp-balloon-magic/	Free
July 21 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free

July 21 Drop in	Join the Concord Librarians for their Favorite New Picture Books for Infants-Preschoolers 10:30-11:30 Each time you read 25 books on the "101 Picture Books" list and finish a coloring sheet you get a prize!	Free
July 21 Register	STEM Fun: Ring the Bell! For ages 7-11 at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 4:00. Join real scientists as they explore simple machines & build a crazy, complex machine. Email dleopold@minlib.net	Free
July 21	Drop-in Baby Bounce Stories & Songs at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30, in the Tarbell Room	Free
July 21 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
July 21 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
July 21	Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St.	Free
July 21 Register	Yo Yo Guy visits Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd, at 4:00. World yo yo champion brings an interactive show with yo yos, unicycle, and a GIANT yo yo! Outdoors. https://forms.gle/WGUYQq79mAUqpJDw6	Free
July 21 Register	Join Violet the Clown for a Special Career Day Show! Littleton Library, 25 Shattuck St. 2-3:00 p.m. Watch Violet transform from a mom into a clown right before your eyes, then watch her magic show.	Free
July 21 Drop in	World Champion "YoY o Guy" John Higby arrives with a high-energy show held outside, Westford Library, 50 Main Street. Held indoors if rain.	Free
July 21 Drop in	Watch <i>Fern Gully: The Last Rain Forest</i> (1 hr.16 min, rated G) on the lawn at the Discovery Museum, 8:00. STEAM activities begin at 7:00 pm. No registration. Held July 22 if rain. Rest rooms open/museum closed.	Free
July 21 Drop in	Camp Balloon Magic with Jungle Jim for ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 4-4:45 pm. Learn about animal identification, magic, and see a 6-ft. balloon. Mask friendly, held in the community room. 21 Concord Rd.	Free
July 22 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.	Free
July 22 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
July 22 Register	Summer Preschool Storytime at Carlisle Library, 10:30-11:15, for ages 3-6, with interactive stories, rhymes, fingerplays, songs, and craft. Masks strongly recommended for ages 2 & up. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
July 23 Reserve Tix.	Rocket Day at the Ecotarium, Worcester, 10-4:30, for all ages. Celebrate space travel and science with indoor and outdoor activities. See schedule and reserve tickets here: https://ecotarium.org/rocket_day/ Build rockets from 11:00 onward, construct parachutes from 2:00 onward, rocket launch at 1:00. Five Space planetarium shows are \$7 extra. Active duty military and reservists free. EBT/WIC/Wonderfund \$4/person up to 4 in same car. Library pass is 50% discount: Adult \$9.50, child \$7, senior \$7.50. Under 2 always free. Train extra fee. Library pass available in Acton, Boxboro, Carlisle, Harvard, Littleton, Maynard.	Free up to \$19/ person ←
July 23 Drop in	Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea.	Free
July 23 Drop in	Plant Play for ages 3-8 at Garden in the Woods, 180 Hemenway Rd., Framingham 10:30-11:30 Nature-inspired stories, songs & crafts with admission or library pass. Active duty military free, Library Pass cost: \$8 adult, \$1 child, under 5 free. https://www.nativeplanttrust.org/visit/events/ Library pass available in Acton, Boxboro, Harvard, Lincoln, Littleton, Maynard, Sudbury.	Free to \$16 ←

July 23	Outdoor Drop-in Munchkin Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., 11-11:30. Stories, songs & donuts	Free
July 23 Drop in	Storywalk & Snacks for all ages at 158 Robin Hill Rd., Chelmsford. 10-11:30. There will be an activity related to the story and a snack after the walk. Canceled if rain. Storywalk and Snacks! Drop in for all ages, meet at the StoryWalk (near 158 Robin Hill Road) - Chelmsford Events & Programs - Chelmsford Public Library (libcal.com)	Free
July 24 Ticket Req'd	Beach Party with Scooby Snax Band Concert at Nara Park, 25 Ledgerock Way, Acton, 12-3:00 Includes beach. https://www.eventbrite.com/e/beach-party-featuring-the-scooby-snax-band-tickets-272096145897	Free
July 25 Ticket Required	Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11 Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live.	Free
July 25 Register	Learn to Play Campfire Songs on the Ukulele for ages 4 & up at Concord Library, 129 Main St, 10:30-11:30 Held in the Children's Garden. Registration required thru online calendar. 07/25/2022 Musical Mondays - Learn to Play Campfire Songs on the Ukulele Concord Free Public Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 25 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 25 Register	Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picturebooks, fingerplays & songs. Register: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 25 Register	Intro to the Night Sky with Hands-on Nature for ages 4 & up in the Hollis Room at Carlisle Library, 6-7 pm Constellations & the stories they tell with night sky activities. Masks required 2 & up. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
July 25	Drop in Musical Monday at Bedford Library, 10:30-10:50, for 2-5 years. Stories, rhymes & movement.	Free
July 25 & 26	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
July 26 Drop in	Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.	Free
July 26	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance! 10-10:30	Free
July 26 Drop in	Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain).	Free
July 26 Register	Origami Tales with Storyteller Motoko indoors at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 4-5:00 for school ages kids. Under age 7 will need adult assistance with craft. Folktales from Asia. Email dleopold@minilib.net	Free
July 26 Reg. 7/20, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-4/	Free
July 26	Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room	Free
July 26 Register	Nature Program for Ages 7-12 at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck Street. Create an upcycled press for preserving leaves and petals. Learn about lifecycle changes from flower to fruit, dissect a tulip. 07/26/2022 Make a Plant Press with Tower Hill Reuben Hoar Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 26 Drop in	Craft Camp for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. Make Cactus Pet Rocks at 4:00. Masks. 07/26/2022 Craft Camp: Cactus Pet Rocks! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
July 26 Drop in	Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess!	Free

July 26 Drop in	Flying High Dogs at Bartlett Park, Chelmsford, 10-11:00. Drop in to this park across the street from the Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd. See border collies catching Frisbees! Canceled if rain.	Free
July 27	Bookworm Wednesday at Showcase Cinema Lowell – <i>Sing 2</i> , rated PG. 10:00. Present a book report for admission for child, adult, and siblings under age 6. https://www.showcasecinemas.com/programs/bookworm-wednesdays	Free
July 27 Register	Animal World Experience at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 4:00. Meet unusual amazing animals that are seldom seen in the wild except by experts. Held outdoors. https://forms.gle/8iY1UYXssrnLrNZ56	Free
July 27 Register	2's & 3's Themed Storytime with songs, felt board and fingerplays at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30 Held outdoors under a tent. Older siblings welcome. https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 27 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
July 27 Reg. 7/1, 9:00	Dinoman! Informative and fun for all ages. Held at Nara Park, 25 Ledge Rock Way, Acton, picnic pavilion https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/dinoman/	Free
July 27	Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann	Free
July 27 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
July 27 Register	Hands on Nature: Discover Fascinating Local Bugs! Westford Library, outside, 3:30-4:15. In addition to learning about beetles, worms, slugs, ladybugs & caterpillars, you'll join a live bug hunt! https://westfordlibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/lets-go-on-a-bug-hunt-with-hands-on-nature/	Free
July 27 Reg. on calendar	"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project will create an adventure story and map; then Ms. Heather will create a website where everyone can read about our adventure online! https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm	Free
July 28 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
July 28 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
July 28 Register	"Not Really So Scary Animals" Live Animal Program indoors at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30 All ages show where children meet animals in person. Email: dleopold@minlib.net	Free
July 28 Drop in	Crafty Afternoon at Maynard Library, 77 Nason St. front lawn for ages 3-18. Watercolor squirt art, nature photo frames, sidewalk chalk, shadow art, bubbles. 2:30-3:30.	Free
July 28	Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St.	Free
July 28 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
July 28 Drop in	Curious Creatures Animal Show at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 4-4:45 for ages 4 and up. An animal expert will introduce and talk about many different types of animals. Mask friendly inside.	Free
July 29 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
July 29 Reserve Time	Kids Crafts on the lawn at Carlisle Library: Paint Spinning for ages 4 & up 10-12:30. Email the library to reserve your family's time slot for this activity: childrens@gleasonlibrary.org 22 Bedford Road.	Free

- July 29 Drop in short films based on beloved Mo Willems stories for ages 2 & up, 10:30, indoors at Lincoln Library **Free**
- July 29 Drop in Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional. **Free**
- July 30 Drop in Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea. **Free**
- July 30 Outdoor Drop-in Munchkin Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., 11-11:30. Stories, songs & donuts **Free**

Free August Adventures, funded by the Highland Foundation, provides 1 free activity on each day in August, including zoos, museums and carousels. Individual sites may have capacity limits which require advance registration, so check the schedule on their website for the details: <https://www.highlandstreet.org/programs/community-events/august-adventures>

August 1 Register Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picture books, fingerplays & songs. Register: <https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8> **Free**

August 1 Register Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: <https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8> **Free**

August 1 Reg. 7/25, 9:00 Lego Downhill Racing at Acton Library, 3-4:00 for ages 5 & Older. Build your own vehicle & race it against others on the custom-made track. <https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/lego-downhill-racing-3/> **Free**

August 1 Register Children can join the Insect Safari with Professor Bugman at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 2-4:00 p.m. Held outdoors. Join an entomologist and learn about his tools, sweep nets, magnifiers, and explore green space with him. In case of rain, will be rescheduled to August 2, 2:00 p.m. Register thru online calendar. [08/01/2022 | Insect Safari with Professor Bugman | Concord Free Public Library \(assabetinteractive.com\)](https://www.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/insect-safari-with-professor-bugman) **Free**

August 1 Ticket Required Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11 Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live. **Free**

August 1 Drop in Musical Monday at Bedford Library, 10:30-10:50, for 2-5 years. Stories, rhymes & movement. **Free**

August 1 Drop in "Two of a Kind" Music Show for Families at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:15. Hear singing, move around, learn sign language, see puppets while listening to guitar & multiethnic percussion instruments **Free**

August 1 Reg. 7/11, 9:00 Learn How to Play the Ukulele for Ages 8+, 10:30-11:30, on the lawn at Acton Library (inside if rain). Bring your own or borrow during class. <https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/learn-how-to-play-the-ukulele/> **Free**

August 1 Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St. **Free**

August 1 & 2 Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m. **Free**

August 1-7 Register Take a Vegetable Safari with the Caterpillar Hunter as he shrinks himself and sets off to explore the terrain pursuing elusive bugs and strange herbage in a common North American vegetable garden. Available each day, all day – register to receive the link. <https://gpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/caterpillar-hunter/> **Free**

August 2 Drop in Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain). **Free**

August 2 Drop in Learn All About Butterflies at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Road, for ages 6 & up, 10-11:00. T-shirt craft after the program. If you want to be assured of a particular size of T-shirt you can bring your own white 100% cotton T-shirt. Held indoors in case of rain or extreme heat. **Free**

August 2 Drop in	Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess!	Free
August 2 Reg. 7/27, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-5/	Free
August 2	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance!10-10:30	Free
August 2 Drop in	Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.	Free
August 2 Drop in	Craft Camp for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. Make Yarn Butterflies today, 4:00. Masks 08/02/2022 Craft Camp: Yarn Butterflies! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
August 2	Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room	Free
August 2 Register	Ukulele Program with Julie Stepanek at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck Street. 2-3:00. Learn how to tune, strum, read chords, and sing favorite campfire & other fun songs. Bring your own or borrow a ukulele at The program. Register on calendar: https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-august/	Free
August 3 Register	2's & 3's Themed Storytime with songs, felt board and fingerplays at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30 Held outdoors under a tent. Older siblings welcome. https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 3 Reg. 7/27, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-9/	Free
August 3 Reg. 7/27, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-17/	Free
August 3 Reg. on calendar	"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project is SLIME! Using glue, glitter & food color. https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm	Free
August 3 Register	Camp Balloon Magic with Jungle Jim at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd, 4-4:45 pm. Animal identification, magic 101, a 6-ft. balloon and participatory silly magic. Outdoors. https://forms.gle/a5b62ynTxsMSdoFN6	Free
August 3 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
August 3 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
August 3	Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann	Free
August 3 Register	Pirates Lost at Sea with Talewise at Westford Library, held outside, 1-2:00. This is a thrilling action-packed adventure that includes hands-on science experiments about clouds, air pressure, chemical chgs. https://westfordlibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/pirates-lost-at-sea-with-talewise-formerly-sciencetellers/	Free
August 4 Drop off/pick up	Annual Stuffed Animal Camp Out at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 4-7:00 p.m. Make a craft, say good night, then come back tomorrow morning (9:30-11:30) to see what kind of mischief your favorite stuffy got into overnight. Craft held indoors, mask-friendly. Drop in/pick up any time within stated hours.	Free
August 4 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 4	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime	Free

Drop in	and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	
August 4 Reg. on calendar	Wildlife Tracking with Hands on Nature at Boxboro Library, 4:30-5:30, for ages 5-12. Learn about mammal tracks, fur traces, scat, and scratch marks. Make track rubbings and a track cast to take home. There will be a toddler/preschool drop in storytime for younger kids while the class is going on. EventKeeper : EK Form	Free
August 4 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
August 4 Drop in	Fitchburg Art Museum is FREE today from 12 Noon to 7:00 p.m., 185 Elm Street, Fitchburg, 978-345-4207 https://fitchburgartmuseum.org/plan-your-visit/ , info@fitchburgartmuseum.org . See their ongoing Egyptian exhibit, the Largest Book in the World about Peace, and Hypnagogia – a unique art/craft exhibit!	Free
August 4 Drop in	Drum to the Beat with Otha Day for Ages 5 & Up at Bedford Library, 7 Mudge Way, 3:30-4:30. Join a fun and lively drum circle, which comes from a deep belief that rhythm has the power to build community, promote wellbeing, and create joy. No experience needed – “if you have a heartbeat you have rhythm.”	Free
August 5 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children’s Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
August 5 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.	Free
August 5	Drop-in Rockabye Beats at the Pierce House, 17 Weston Rd, Lincoln, 10:30-11:30. Singing, dancing, & silliness! Parking info: https://lincolnpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/rockabye-beats-at-the-pierce-house/	Free
August 5 Register	Musician & Storyteller Steve Blunt performs at the Gazebo behind Groton Library, 99A Main Street. 10:30 Held on Groton Town Field. https://gpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/steve-blunt-at-the-gazebo/	Free
August 5 Reserve Time	Kids Crafts on the lawn at Carlisle Library, 10-12:30, for ages 4 and up. Camping Suncatchers! Email childrens@gleasonlibrary.org to reserve your family’s time slot. 22 Bedford Road.	Free
August 6 Drop in	Plant Play for ages 3-8 at Garden in the Woods, 180 Hemenway Rd., Framingham 10:30-11:30 Nature-inspired stories, songs & crafts with admission or library pass. Active duty military free, Library Pass cost: \$8 adult, \$1 child, under 5 free. https://www.nativeplanttrust.org/visit/events/ . Library pass available in Acton, Boxboro, Harvard, Lincoln, Littleton, Maynard, Sudbury.	Free to \$16 <-
August 6 Drop in	Outdoors Construction Zone Play at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd., 10-12:00, for ages 3 and up. Come play with a GIANT collection of Legos, Duplos and other construction toys. Inside if rain/heat.	Free
August 6 Drop in	Outdoor Storytime at The Old Manse, 269 Monument Street, Concord, 10:30-11:30 for all ages. Each storytime focuses on a different aspect of the natural world followed by an art activity that explores that idea.	Free
August 7	Worcester Art Museum free admission, 55 Salisbury St., Worcester, 10-4:00 www.worcesterart.org Current exhibition includes Jewels of the Nile and Higgins Armory collection in the Medieval Galleries.	Free
August 7	Museum of Russian Icons free admission 10-4:00, 203 Union St, Clinton https://www.museumofrussianicons.org/	Free
August 8 Ticket Required	Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11 Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live.	Free
August 8 Drop in	Join Hugh Hanley in the Children’s Garden at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:15. Hugh is an early childhood music educator who entertains with songs, guitar, banjo and finger plays!	Free
August 8	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs,	Free

Register	movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	
August 8 Register	Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picture books, fingerplays & songs. Register: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 8	Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St.	Free
August 8	Drop in Musical Monday at Bedford Library, 10:30-10:50, for 2-5 years. Stories, rhymes & movement.	Free
August 8 & 9	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
August 9 Drop in	Outdoor Fairytale Players at Chelmsford Library, for ages 3 & up, 10-11:00. Watch “The Lion & the Mouse,” “The Boy Who Cried Wolf,” & “Tortoise & the Hare.” If rain/extreme heat, held indoors. 25 Boston Road.	Free
August 9 Reserve space	Stone Zoo is free today through the Highland Foundation. Online reservations are required. 617-989-2076 Buy Tickets Stone Zoo (zoonewengland.org) August Adventures Highland Street Foundation	Free
August 9	Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children’s Activity Room	Free
August 9 Drop in	Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess!	Free
August 9 Drop in	Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran’s Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain).	Free
August 9	Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, ages 0-5 w/books, music, movement & dance!10-10:30	Free
August 9 Drop in	Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.	Free
August 9 Reg. 8/3, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-6/	Free
August 9 Register	Cartoonist Rick Stromoski teaches you hhow to draw Woodsy Animals via Zoom, 2-3:00 for Ages 6-12 Sign up for one link per family: https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-august/	Free
August 9 Register	Toe Jam Puppet Band high-energy show with music, laughs & fun. Westford Library, 2:30-3:15. https://westfordlibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/srp-finale-with-the-toe-jam-puppet-band/	Free
August 9 Drop in	Craft Camp for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd. Make Sand Art today at 4:00. Masks. 08/09/2022 Craft Camp: Sand Art! Ages 4 & up Goodnow Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
August 10	Children’s Camping Photo Frame Take & Make It Kit for Ages 3-12 while supplies last at Maynard Library	Free
August 10 Register	2’s & 3’s Themed Storytime with songs, felt board and fingerplays at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30 Held outdoors under a tent. Older siblings welcome. https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 10 Reg.8/3, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-18/	Free
August 10 Reg. 8/3, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-10/	Free
August 10 Register July 27	Learn to Play the Ukulele with Miss Amy at Sudbury Library for rising 2 nd -5 th graders. 2-2:45 or 4-4:45. https://goodnowlibrary.org/events/ Register for the time slot you prefer. Mask friendly.	Free

August 10 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
August 10 Reg. on calendar	"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project explores how dirt can make things dirty and clean! https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm	Free
August 10 Drop in	Circus Minimus One-Man Circus-in-a-Suitcase performance. Held at Concord Library, 10:30-11:30 p.m. 129 Main Street in the children's garden. Audience participation while watching an entire circus emerge!	Free
August 10 Register	Mr. Vinny the Bubble Guy visits Harvard Library at 4:30 for an outdoor show with giant bubble wands that he made himself. https://forms.gle/e5hEmy4ArTUHzJd9	Free
August 10 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
August 10	Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann	Free
August 10 Register	Wildlife Encounters Ecology Center visits Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., 2-3:00. Includes a diverse selection of animals. Meets in the back yard of the old library near the parking lot. Register on calendar. 08/10/2022 Wildlife Encounters Reuben Hoar Library (assabetinteractive.com)	Free
August 10 Reg. Aug 1	Kids Cooking Green: Ice Cream! For ages K-2 nd grade, 2-3:00, Bedford Library, 7 Mudge Way Whip up a batch of homemade maple syrup ice cream & serve it with local berries & hand-whipped cream. Adult should plan to stay in the program w/children. Register: https://www.bedfordlibrary.net/events/	Free
August 11 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 11 Drop in	Baby Animal Farm at Boardinghouse Park, Lowell, 10-12:00. Schedule: 10:00 Free arts & crafts, children's book, & healthy snacks. 11:00 Performance. https://lowellsummermusic.org/free-fun-for-kids/ Staff will introduce lambs, goats, piglet, chicks, ducklings and bunnies & help children brush & hold them.	Free
August 11	Drop-in Baby Bounce Stories & Songs at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30, in the Tarbell Room	Free
August 11 Reg. July 11	Nature Connection Program for ages 3-6 on the lawn at Carlisle Library, 10:30-11:15. Nature-based stories and poems, and a sensory-based activity. Masks for ages 2 & up. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
August 11 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
August 11 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Free Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
August 11 Drop in	Watch <i>Hidden Figures</i> (2 hr. 7 min, rated PG) on the lawn at the Discovery Museum, 8:00 p.m. STEAM activities begin at 7:00 pm. No registration. Held Aug. 12 if rain. Rest rooms open/museum closed.	Free
Aug. 12-Sept. 2 Register	Baby Massage 4-session class with Sheryl White at Lincoln Library with pre-crawling babies. Includes a colic relief routine and 30 strokes. Held indoors Register: dleopold@minlib.net	Free
August 12 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
August 12 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and	Free

board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.

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| August 13
Register | Saturday Outdoor Storytime for Ages 3-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30-11:00
https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8 | Free |
| August 13 | Outdoor Dads & Donuts Drop in Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd., 10:00, with juice & coffee | Free |
| August 15
Register | Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8 | Free |
| August 15
Ticket Required | Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11:00. Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live. | Free |
| August 15
Register | Meet "How to Bake a Universe" author Alec Carvlen and do fun activities. Meets in the Sturtz room of Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St. 2-2:45. https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-august/ | Free |
| August 15
Register | Storytime for Ages 4-7 at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd., 1:30-2, held outside under a tent. Longer, more complex picturebooks, fingerplays & songs. Register: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8 | Free |
| August 15 | Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St. | Free |
| August 15
Reg. 8/1, 9:00 | Lego Challenge at Acton Library, 3-4:00 for ages 5 & Older. From individual lego bins, each child will build their own creation, then display it. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/lego-challenge-5/ | Free |
| August 15 & 16 | Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m. | Free |
| August 16
Reg. 8/10, 11:00 | Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-7/ | Free |
| August 16
Drop in | Playful Engineers with Jay Mankila for ages 6+ at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd., 10-11:00. Hands-on STEM-focused workshop where you can design, build, test & play with Rube Goldberg Machines, paper construction, domino towers, exploding popsicle-stick snakes, etc. Held outdoors/indoors if rain/extreme heat. | Free |
| August 16
Drop in | Harvard Museums of Science & Culture are free today through the Highland Foundation. Masks for age 2+ August Adventures Highland Street Foundation Harvard Museums of Science & Culture | Free |
| August 16 | Drop-in Storytime at Lincoln Library, 3 Bedford Rd., for ages 0-5 with books, music, movement & dance! | Free |
| August 16
Register | Circle of Songs with early childhood educator and music specialist Hugh Hanley at Harvard Library, 10:30 Outdoor songs, fingerplays, and highly engaging musical activities. https://forms.gle/ShNjbmBVzvYiDZo7 | Free |
| August 16
Drop in | Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain). | Free |
| August 16 | Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room | Free |
| August 16
Drop in | Crafternoon for Ages 5-10 at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass Ave., 3-4:00. Learn a new art skill each week. Nature-based themes – dress to make a mess! | Free |
| August 16
Drop in | Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older. | Free |
| August 17
Register | 2's & 3's Themed Storytime with songs, felt board and fingerplays at Harvard Library, 4 Pond Rd. 10:30 Held outdoors under a tent. Older siblings welcome. https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8 | Free |

August 17 Drop in	Dinoman at Boardinghouse Park, Lowell, 10-12:00. Schedule: 10:00 Free arts & crafts, children's book, & healthy snacks. 11:00 Performance. https://lowellsummermusic.org/free-fun-for-kids/ . Take a wild trip thru the Mezoic era . Rain moves program to auditorium across the street. Covid protocols posted.	Free
August 17 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
August 17 Reg. on calendar	"What Sticks" Summer Science Program at Boxboro Library, 3-4:00, for ages 7-12. This week's project will focus on how chemicals and physics can make crystals. https://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/b/boxlib/ek.cfm	Free
August 17 Reg. 8/10, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-11/	Free
August 17 Reg.8/10, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-19/	Free
August 17	Drop-in Storytime at Littleton Library, 35 Shattuck St., for ages 4 and older, 11-11:30 w/Miss Diann	Free
August 17 Register	Join Heather from Hands-on-Nature for a workshop on Fireflies at Littleton Library, 25 Shattuck St. Program meets indoors from 2-2:45. Register: https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-august/	Free
August 17 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
August 18 Register	Mother Goose on the Loose for Ages 0-2 at Harvard Library, 10:30, 4 Pond Rd. Nursery rhymes, songs, movement, ritual, repetition, positive reinforcement, developmental tips, puppets. Held outdoors under a tent. Register to be notified of cancellations: https://forms.gle/31ncCNkwptBUT1VH8	Free
August 18 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
August 18 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
August 18 Register	"Adventure is Out There" Magic Show with Mike Bent at Littleton Library, 25 Shattuck St. 7-7:45 p.m. Meets in the Sturtz meeting room. https://littletonma.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/2022-august/	Free
August 18 Reg. July 18	Infant Massage Class with Baby Kneads, 10:30-11:30, on the lawn at Carlisle Library for newborns to pre-crawlers. Bring a blanket. Rain date 8/25. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
August 19 Drop in	Concord Puppet Theatre Live! Drop in to Concord Library 129 Main St. 10:30-11:30. Different puppets and songs each week in the Children's Activity Room. Bring your own puppet to join the fun! Crafts too.	Free
August 19 Drop in	Outdoor Baby Storytime at Chelmsford Library, 25 Boston Rd, 10-11:00. Caregivers share parenting experiences with one another and bond with their babies thru lap bounces, nursery rhymes, songs and board books. Bring a blanket/sunscreen. In extreme heat/rain, held indoors, masks optional.	Free
August 20 Drop in	Plant Play for ages 3-8 at Garden in the Woods, 180 Hemenway Rd., Framingham 10:30-11:30 Nature-inspired stories, songs & crafts with admission or library pass. Active duty military free, Library pass 50% cost: \$8 adult, \$1 child, under 5 free. https://www.nativeplanttrust.org/visit/events/ Library pass available in Acton, Boxboro, Harvard, Lincoln, Littleton, Maynard, Sudbury.	Free to \$16 <-
August 20 Drop in	Family Music for all ages with Sarah, on the lawn at Bedford Library, 10:30-11:15. Bring a blanket to sit on, and sing, dance and make music. Held inside if rain. 7 Mudge Way, Bedford Center.	Free
August 22	Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11	Free

Ticket Required	Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live.	
August 22	The Swan Boats on Boston Common are free today thru the Highland Foundation, 10:00-5:00. August Adventures Highland Street Foundation Swan Boats	Free
August 22 Drop in	Join Hugh Hanley in the Children's Garden at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:15. Hugh is an early childhood music educator who entertains with songs, guitar, banjo and finger plays!	Free
August 22	Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St.	Free
August 22 & 23	Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m.	Free
August 23 Reg. 8/17, 11:00	Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-8/	Free
August 23 Reg July 23	Stacey Peasley Family Concert on the lawn at Carlisle Library, 22 Bedford Rd, 10:30-11:30. Songs, dancing, and imaginative play for all ages. Rain date August 24. https://gleasonlibrary.org/events/	Free
August 23 Drop in	Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain).	Free
August 23 Drop in	Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.	Free
August 23	Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room	Free
August 23 Reg. 8/17, 11:00	Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the best books ever: https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-20/	Free
August 24 Drop in	Summer Lego Club for Ages 4 & Up at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd, 4-4:45. Each participant will get their own box of lego bricks to build with. Creations will be displayed at the library. Masks required.	Free
August 24 Drop in	Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.	Free
August 24 Reg. 8/17, 9:00	Summer STEAM Workshop at Acton Library on the lawn, 2-3:30, for Ages 7 and up. Held indoors if rain. https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-steam-workshop-12/	Free
August 25 Drop in	Tales for Ages 3-6 at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Interactive themed storytime and craft. Mask required for ages 2 and older for this indoor event.	Free
August 25 Drop in	Messy Fun outside at Fowler Library, 1322 Main St., West Concord, for ages 5 & under. 11-12:00. Different stations set up for child-guided and social distanced activities. Held indoors if rain.	Free
August 25 Register	Adventure is Out There: Get Ready! Magic show with Mike Bent at Groton Library, 2-2:45 for all ages Indoor program: https://gpl.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/summer-reading-finale-magician-mike-bent/	Free
August 25 Drop in	End of Summer Bash with Toe Jam Puppet Band for all ages at Bedford Library, 7 Mudge Way Bring a picnic and blanket. Popsicles, bubbles and tattoos at 6:00, concert held 6:30-7:15.	Free
August 26	Amelia Park Children's Museum in Westfield is free today thru Highland Street Foundation, 413-572-4014 https://www.ameliaparkmuseum.org/ https://www.highlandstreet.org/programs/community-events/august-adventures	Free
August 26-28 Walk-in tickets	Middlesex County 4-H Fair, 55 S. Chelmsford Rd., Westford. *Schedules and admission prices not posted by 6/28/22, however admission for the last year the fair was held was \$8 adult, \$6 child, under 3 free for 1 day.	*\$0-8

[Middlesex County 4-H Fair | To help encourage, educate and improve the youth of Middlesex County through 4-H Club work \(4hmiddlesexfair.org\)](http://4hmiddlesexfair.org)

- August 29
Drop in
Rockabye Beats performs a family concert outdoors at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:15
Enjoy rock'n'roll, calypso, funk, blues, learn Spanish vocabulary. Bring a blanket or chair, bug spray. Free
- August 29
Ticket Required
Monday Music Makers for Ages 0-5 held indoors & online at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Rd., 10:00 or 11
Songs, instruments & fun! Tickets distributed at 9:30 & 10:30. Masks required for ages 2+. Also on FB Live. Free
- August 29
Children's Museum of Easton is free today thru Highland Street Foundation, 9:30-3:00, 508-230-3789
<https://www.highlandstreet.org/programs/community-events/august-adventures> <https://www.cmeaston.org/> Free
- August 29
Drop-in Mother Goose Story Time for infants & older held outside, 10:30-11, Westford Library, 50 Main St. Free
- August 29 & 30
Drop in Toddler & Preschooler Story & Song Fun at Boxboro Library, 427 Mass. Ave., 11-11:30 a.m. Free
- August 30
Drop in
Birds, Breeze & Books Outdoor Storytime for ages 3 & Up with Mr. Mark, 3:30-4:15 at Veteran's Memorial
Park on Summer Street, Maynard (in the library storytime room if rain). Free
- August 30
Drop in to Story & Craft Time at Concord Library, 129 Main St., 10:30-11:30 in the Children's Activity Room Free
- August 30
Reg. 8/24, 11:00
Baby & Toddler Storytime Outside at Acton Library, 9:30-11, with Stories, songs, rhyme & movement. Free
<https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/baby-toddler-storytime-at-the-library-9/>
- August 30
Drop in
Tales for Tots 18 Mos. to 3 Yrs. held indoors at Sudbury Library, 21 Concord Road, 10:30-11:15. Storytime, Free
rhymes, finger plays and songs with a sensory craft. Masks required for ages 2 and older.
- August 31
Reservations
Cape Cod Museum of Natural History, Brewster, is free today thru Highland Street Foundation, 508-896-3867 Free
Some activities require reservations, such as butterfly house, mudflat mania, mud kitchen, animal ambassadors.
<https://www.ccmnh.org/> <https://www.highlandstreet.org/programs/community-events/august-adventures>
- August 31
Drop in
Wee Reads for Ages 0-18 Mos. with Lapsit Stories, Songs, Rhymes, Movement, at Sudbury Library Free
21 Concord Road, 10:30-11. Masks required for anyone age 2 and older.
- August 31
Reg. 8/24, 11:00
Singalong Storytime w/Mr. Robert & his guitar on the lawn at Acton Library, 10:30. Sing, dance & read the Free
best books ever: <https://actonmemoriallibrary.assabetinteractive.com/calendar/singalong-storytime-at-the-library-21/>

2022 Blue Star Families Free Museum Admission Program

<https://bluestarfam.org/family-life/blue-star-museums/>

Free admission to active duty military personnel and their families, including National Guard and Reservists, thru Labor Day

Discovery Museum	Museum of Russian Icons	Children's Museum, Easton
Peabody Essex Museum	Museum of Fine Arts-Boston	Worcester Art Museum
Institute of Contemporary Art	Ecotarium	Old Sturbridge Village
U.S.S. Constitution Museum	Eric Carle Museum, Amherst	Springfield Museums

Additional museums and historic sites, not necessarily child-centered, listed on website

Museum Admission Using Your Massachusetts EBT or P-EBT Cards

<https://www.mass.gov/service-details/ebt-card-to-culture-organizations>

Participating museums listed by region of Massachusetts.

Library Passes Available at Area Libraries

[Acton Memorial Library – www.actonmemoriallibrary.org](http://www.actonmemoriallibrary.org)

Boston Children's Museum, DeCordova, Discovery Museums, Drumlin Farm, Ecotarium, Garden in the Woods, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands), Zoo New England. **(Passes may be checked out by anyone over age 14 with a valid Minuteman Library Network card).**

[Bedford Free Public Library – www.bedfordlibrary.net](http://www.bedfordlibrary.net)

Boston Children's Museum, Discovery Museums, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. Audubon (Drumlin Farm), Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex Museum, Tower Hill Botanical Gardens, Trustees (DeCordova & Fruitlands) Zoo New England (Stone & Franklin Park)

[Sargent Memorial Library, Boxborough – https://boxlib.org](https://boxlib.org)

Animal Adventures, Boston Children's Museum, Boston Harbor Islands, Concord Museum, Discovery Museums, Davis Farmland/Mega Maze, Ecotarium, Fitchburg Art Museum, Garden in the Woods, Harvard Art Museums, Harvard Museum of Science & Culture, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Orchard House (Alcotts), Mass. Audubon/Drumlin Farm, Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Russian Icons, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Old Sturbridge Village, Peabody Essex, Roger Williams Zoo, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands and Decordova), USS Constitution, Worcester Art Museum, Zoo New England. **(Passes available to anyone with a valid C/W Mars library card who has less than \$10 in outstanding fines).**

[Gleason Library, Carlisle – www.gleasonlibrary.org](http://www.gleasonlibrary.org)

Boston Children's Museum, Butterfly Place, Concord Museum, Discovery Museums, Ecotarium, Harvard Museum of Science & Culture, Mass Audubon/Drumlin Farm, Orchard House, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex, Salem Witch Museum, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands & DeCordova), USS Constitution, Worcester Art Museum, Zoo New England.

[Concord Free Public Library – www.concordlibrary.org](http://www.concordlibrary.org)

Concord Museum, Davis Farmland, Discovery Museums, Harvard Museum of Natural History, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. Audubon/Drumlin Farm, Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Old Sturbridge Village, Peabody Essex, Tower Hill, Zoo New England (Stone & Franklin Park).

[Harvard Public Library – www.harvardpubliclibrary.org](http://www.harvardpubliclibrary.org)

Boston Children's Museum, Butterfly Place, Davis Farmland, Discovery Museums, Ecotarium, Garden in the Woods, Harvard Museum of Science and Culture, Harvard Art Museum, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner, Mass State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Russian Icons, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex Museum, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands & DeCordova), U.S.S. Constitution, Worcester Art Museum. **(Please Note: Passes may only be reserved by Harvard residents, Non-residents may borrow passes on a walk-in basis)**

[Lincoln Public Library – www.lincolnlpl.org](http://www.lincolnlpl.org)

Boston Children's Museum, Concord Museum, Discovery Museums, Garden in the Woods, Harvard Museum of Science & Culture, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. Audubon (Drumlin Farm), Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex Museum, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands & DeCordova), Zoo New England. **Anyone with a Minuteman Library Network Card may borrow passes.**

[Reuben Hoar Library, Littleton – www.littletonlibrary.org](http://www.littletonlibrary.org)

Boston Children’s Museum, Butterfly Place, Concord Museum, Davis Farmland, Discovery Museums, Ecotarium, Fitchburg Art Museum, Garden in the Woods, Harvard Art Museum, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. Audubon (Drumlin Farm), Mass. State Parks, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Old Sturbridge Village, Peabody Essex Museum, Tower Hill, Trustees (DeCordova & Fruitlands), U.S.S. Constitution, Worcester Art Museum, Zoo New England (Stone & Franklin Park)

[Maynard Public Library – www.maynardpubliclibrary.org](http://www.maynardpubliclibrary.org)

Boston Children’s Museum, Concord Museum, Discovery Museums, Ecotarium, Garden in the Woods, Harvard Art Museum, Institute of Contemporary Art, Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum, Mass. Audubon/Drumlin Farm, Mass. State Parks Pass, Museum of Fine Arts, Museum of Science, N.E. Aquarium, Peabody Essex Museum, Tower Hill, Trustees (Fruitlands/deCordova Museum), Worcester Art Museum, Zoo New England (Stone & Franklin Park Zoos). **Passes are available to anyone with a Minuteman Library Network card.**

[Goodnow Library, Sudbury – https://goodnowlibrary.org](https://goodnowlibrary.org)

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[J.V. Fletcher Library, Westford – www.westfordlibrary.org](http://www.westfordlibrary.org)

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