

Children's Services Calendar of Events

April 2025

East Baton Rouge Parish Library
Delmont Gardens Branch
3351 Lorraine St.
(225) 354-7060

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FAMILY STORYTIME:

Wednesday, April 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 at 6:00 PM (All ages welcome)

Songs, poems, and stories for elementary aged children and their families.



Pre-School Storytime:

Saturday, April 12 at 10:00 AM (Age: 3-5)

Songs, poems, and stories for children age 3-5.



Egg-citing Scavenger Hunt

Tuesday, April 1 through Sunday, April 13, All day! (Age: 3-11)

All day from April 1-13, come and hunt for paper Easter eggs. Participants who find all of the eggs will receive a little reward!

Spring Umbrellas

Wednesday, April 2 at 4:30 PM (Age: 3-5)

Tap, tap, tip, tap! Put together a picture of a rainy day and enjoy the book *Tap Tap Boom Boom* by Elizabeth Bluemle.

The Flipside: Football from the Historical to the Hilarious

Saturday, April 5 at 12:30 (All ages)

Mama SaBa joins us again to share her fun stories and information about football with stories like, "How the Pig Became a Ball," in which we will learn why a football throughout time has been referred to as a "pig skin." There will be lots of fun stories for the audiences to enjoy.

Cityscape

Tuesday, April 8 at 4:30 PM (Age: 6-8)

Join us to read Tar Beach by Faith Ringgold and create a city from cut paper.

- All children under the age of 9 must be accompanied by an adult.
- Register in the Children's room or by phone at (225)354-7060.
- We're happy to welcome all patrons of appropriate cognitive ages to our Children's Services Programs with a helper as needed.



Spring Character Ornaments

Monday, April 14 at 4:30 PM (Age: 3-5)

Since spring has sprung, come out everyone and create a spring character. After we Read *Peter Easter Frog* by Erin Dealey, we'll make a cute little spring ornament.

Shakespeare in the Library

Saturday, April 19 at 10:00 AM (Age: 5-11)

This interactive program will entertain and teach children about Shakespeare. Join the Bard himself as he brings one of his plays to life. (Registration is required!)

Board Game Blitz!

Monday, April 21 through Friday, April 25, All day (Age: 6-11)

Hey kids, don't be bored during your week off from school! Come in anytime and play a cool game with us! We'll have *Uno, Memory Match: Finding Nemo, Connect Four, and Scooby Doo Mystery Mansion Game.*

Sea Turtle Necklace

Tuesday, April 22 at 4:30 PM (Age: 5-9)

Ever wonder how and where baby sea turtles are born? You can find out as we read *Run, Sea Turtle, Run: A Hatchling's Journey* by Stephen R. Swinburne. Then, we'll make a colorful, beaded necklace that you can wear home.

STEM: Building Straws

Saturday, April 26, at 10:00 and 11:00 AM (Age: 3-11)

How tall can you build a tower? We'll read the book *Up! Up! Up! Skyscraper* by Anastasia Suen and make 3-D shapes and structures from straws and special connectors

Best Wisher

Galaxy Jars

Tuesday, April 29, at 4:30 PM (Age: 8-11)

Let's read *Skywatcher* by Jamie Hogan and make a cool meditation jar that looks like outer space! **Registration required**. Register in the Children's Room or call (225) 354-7060.

Sensory Sensitivity Time: Tuesday, April 8, from 9:00-11:00 AM

For our sensory sensitive patrons, any unnecessary light or sound elements will be turned off in the Children's Room. From the Children's service desk, patrons can pick up noise–blocking headphones, sunglasses, and various fidget items to use while in the library.



The library will be closed Thursday, April 17, for staff training.

The library will also be closed Friday, April 18, in observance of Good Friday.

The library will be closed Sunday, April 20, in observance of Easter Sunday.