

Children's Services Calendar of Events

February 2025

East Baton Rouge Parish Library Delmont Gardens Branch 3351 Lorraine St. (225) 354-7060 www.ebrpl.com www.facebook.com/EBRPLKids

FAMILY STORYTIME:

Wednesday, February 5, 12, 19, 26 at 6:00 PM (All ages welcome)

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



Winter Bookmarks: Grab-N-Geaux

Monday, February 3—Friday, February 7 from 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM (Age: 6-11)

Come and grab a winter-themed craft kit and make a bookmark to celebrate the winter season. Children must be present. (While supplies last!)

<u> Playful Polar Bear Craft</u>

Tuesday, February 4 at 4:30 PM (Age: 3-6)

Ever wonder what polar bears eat? Where do they live or how do polar bears stay dry? Then, come and listen to *Polar Bears* by Anastasia Suen and make a paper polar bear to take home.

<u>Fabulous Hair</u>

Thursday, February 6 at 4:30 PM (Age: 8-11)

Let's celebrate diversity of hairstyles by reading *Hair Love* by Matthew Cherry. Then, we'll create a fresh "do" out of yarn.

Valentine Mailboxes

Tuesday, February 11 at 5:00 PM (Age: 6-8)

Read, *The Day it Rained Hearts* by Felicia Bond and celebrate **Valentine's Day** with us. We'll assemble a cute heart mailbox together.

STEM Saturday: Automobile Engineer

Saturday, February 15 at 11:00 AM (Age: 3-8)

Join us to read *Let's Build a Car* by Chris Van Dusen. Then, follow directions to build rolling vehicles!

- 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.



Teach your Child to Read with Kylie

Tuesday, February 18 at 4:30 PM (For Families with non-readers)

Families with children not yet reading are invited to join Kylie Altier, the 2024 Louisiana State Teacher of the Year, to learn together how to teach their little ones to read. **Children are encouraged to participate.** All participants will go home with FREE literacy kits stuffed with all you need, because learning to read is too important to be anything BUT free! **Space is limited and registration is required. Sign up for your spot today!**

Mae Among the Stars Rocket

Thursday, February 20 at 5:00 PM (Age: 5-9)

Blast off into space as we explore the life of Dr. Mae Jemison. We'll read *Mae Among the Stars* by Rhoda Ahmed and create a rocket out of craft sticks and glittery paper.

Celebrate Fairy Tale Day with Frozen II

Tuesday, February 25 at 4:00 PM (Age: 6-11)

We'll keep you warm with hot chocolate and mini-marshmallows as you watch the movie, *Frozen II.*

Mardi Gras Headband

Thursday, February 27 at 4:30 PM (Age: 3-5)

Dinosaur Mardi Gras, Chomp! Chomp! Dinosaur Mardi Gras, Stomp! Stomp! Down in New Orleans! Join us to read *Dinosaur Mardi Gras* by Dianne de Las Casas and decorate a festive headband.

Sensory Sensitivity Time: Tuesday, February 11 from 9:00AM-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.