



**Richard Salter Storrs Library**  
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### Library Hours

Monday–Thursday 9–8  
Friday 9–5  
Saturday 9–4

## What's Happening in Youth Next Week at Storrs Library

Dates: October 8–October 14, 2023



**The Library will be closed on Monday, October 9th for Indigenous Peoples' Day.**

### Youth Programs

#### Tot Time (ages 2–3yrs)

Tuesday, October 10, 9:30–10:00



[Read More/Register](#)

A circle storytime for children ages 2-3 years with their caregiver. Children will listen to stories, sing songs, dance, and enjoy hands-on fun with art or manipulatives.

#### Newbies (birth–15mo)

Tuesday, October 10, 10:45–11:30

[Read More/Register](#)

Pathways for Parents CFCE presents Newbies at Storrs Library. Participants in this group will receive developmental milestone information, ways to engage in



floor time play, resources, and opportunities to connect to other caregivers of children this age. Newbies is targeted for ages birth-15 months old.

This program is sponsored by Pathways for Parents. Pathways for Parents is funded by the Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant through the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

## Social Smarts: How do I eat this food? (Gr. 3-5)

Tuesday, October 10, 3:30-4:15



[Read More/Register](#)

Every parent tries to reflect good manners to their children but often kids learn better when they know the “why” for certain manners—and it doesn’t hurt that we use a few games to get the points across!

Over these three classes we will cover the basics of meeting and introducing people to adults, how to feel comfortable starting a conversation with someone new and then something I call “walking around” manners.

Then we will have two classes to tackle the all important table manners. Children will know how to set the table, how to eat at the table and how to act at the table.

They won’t leave eating with their pinkie up, but they will know which fork to use when they tell you about their day.

## Grow Play Learn (birth-5yrs)

Wednesday, October 11, 9:30-10:30



[Read More/Register](#)

Join Pathways for Parents CFCE for Grow Play Learn at Storrs Library. This group will include a storytime curriculum, fun play activities and the Ages and Stages Questionnaire. This program is geared for children up through age five with a caregiver.

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## You & Me In Music (ages 2–5yrs)

Wednesday, October 11, 11:30–12:15



In this developmentally appropriate music class for children ages 2-5 years old, you and your child are invited to engage in the many aspects of music, including singing, playing instruments, and moving in a fun, social group setting! We will create music together, while encouraging children's social, emotional and physical development. Join us for this dynamic program led by Music Therapist, Renee Coro of Harmonious Happenings.

**Please note you are registering once for all sessions.**

This program is sponsored by Pathways for Parents. Pathways for Parents is administered by Ludlow Public Schools and is funded by the Coordinated Family Community Engagement Grant through the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

## Tiny Tales (ages 1–2yrs)

Thursday, October 12, 9:30–10:00



[Read More/Register](#)

A lapsit storytime for children ages 12 to 24 months with their caregiver. Children will enjoy stories, songs, rhymes, fingerplays and free play, with an emphasis on repetition and social interaction.

## Little Listeners (ages 3–5yrs)

Friday, October 13, 9:30–10:00



[Read More/Register](#)

A circle storytime for children ages 3-5 years with their caregiver. Children will listen to stories, sing songs, dance, and enjoy hands-on fun with art or manipulatives.

## Story Art (ages 4–6yrs)

Friday, October 13, 10:30–11:15



[Read More/Register](#)

This group will support learners of ages 4–6 and their families, in a multisensory format. We will engage with a storybook, then facilitate hands-on creative activities, while using art as a way to contribute to more successful learning. This group is perfect for homeschoolers and families who are not engaged with preschool.

This program is sponsored by Pathways for Parents. Pathways for Parents is funded by the Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Grant through the Massachusetts Department of Early Education and Care.

## Leaf Art (ages 6+)

Friday, October 13, 3:30–4:00



[Read More/Register](#)

Join us to make fun art using Fall foliage!

## More Than Mom Drop-In Playgroup

Saturday, October 14, 11:00–12:00



A drop-in playgroup for parents with kiddos up to 18 months, hosted by More Than Mom Inc., a nonprofit group providing support to area parents. We'll have a story, bring out some toys, and everyone (parents included) will make some new friends!

**In Case You Missed...**

## Discovery Room Guessing Jar



Pop into the Discovery Room to test your estimating skills and enter a chance to win a prize. The participant who guesses correctly, or has the closest guess, wins the jar, the contents and a plush.

## Discovery Room Scavenger Hunt



Go on a quest in the Discovery Room and locate the list of items hidden around the room. Each month a new Scavenger Hunt will be displayed. One lucky participant will win a prize at the end of the month. Join us in the fun!

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