



Richard Salter Storrs Library
693 Longmeadow Street
Longmeadow, MA 01106
(413) 565-4181

Library Hours

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

What's Happening in Youth Next Week at Storrs Library

Dates: February 11, 2024–February 17, 2024

All Ages Programs

Annual Magazine Sale

Saturday, February 3 – Thursday, February 29



Come One, Come All to the Storrs Library Annual Magazine Sale!

50 cents each or 3 for \$1

Youth Programs

Process Art (ages 3–6yrs)

Monday, February 12, 10:00–10:45



[Read More/Register](#)

Children ages 3-6 are invited to participate in this group with their caregiver. Process art is art that focuses on the experience and process involved in creating. It is free, open-ended art, meaning children are able to freely choose what materials to use, how to use them and what to create. This group is sensory friendly!

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.

Youth Chess (gr K+)

Monday, February 12, 3:15–4:15



[Read More/Register](#)

All skill levels are welcome for chess and a challenge! Chess instructors will provide help for beginners and tips to sharpen your game for more advanced students. Registration is required and limited.

Book Tasting (ages 13+)

Monday, February 12, 6:00–6:45



[Read More/Register](#)

Are you hungry for a good book but don't know what to read next? Teens (13+) are invited to come enjoy snacks and sample a menu of books!

Tot Time (ages 2–3yrs)

Tuesday, February 13, 9:30–10:00



[Read More/Register](#)

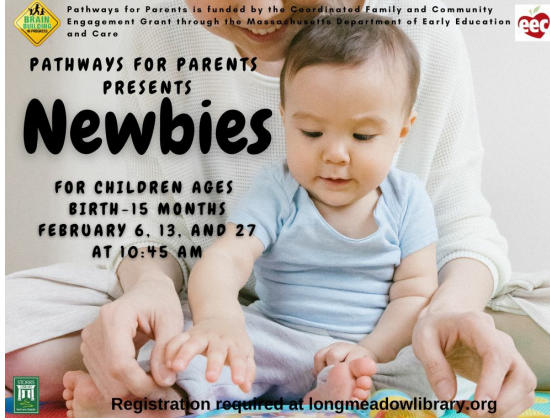
A circle story time for children ages 2-3 years with their caregiver. Children will listen to stories, sing songs, dance, and enjoy hands-on fun with art or manipulatives.

Newbies (birth–15mo)

Tuesday, February 13, 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.

Anything But A Paint Brush (ages 6+)

Tuesday, February 13, 3:30-4:00

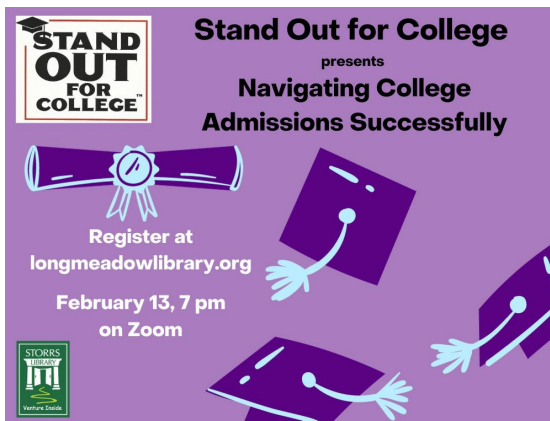


[Read More/Register](#)

Come to the library and paint with anything BUT a paintbrush! Make fabulous art with things like forks, toothbrushes, and cotton swabs!

Navigating College Admissions Successfully

Tuesday, February 13, 7:00-8:00



[Read More/Register](#)

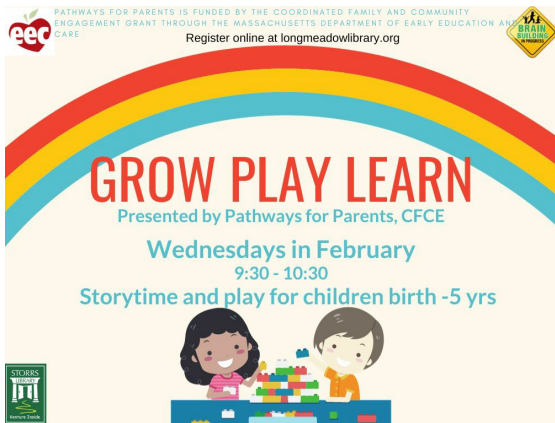
Storrs Library invites you to join us as Ron Feuchs and Jackie Tepper, partners at Stand Out for College, LLC., walk us through the changes in the college admissions landscape this year for Freshmen, Sophomores, and Juniors.

We will discuss current college admissions trends, the importance of researching and visiting colleges to find schools that can be a good fit for your child, a timeline and other action steps that can be taken to make this school year productive and help reduce the stress around the college admissions process. We will also discuss the importance of community service and how it can help a student to stand out from other applicants.

Make sure to register in advance to receive the Zoom link.

Grow Play Learn (birth-5yrs)

Wednesday, February 14, 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.

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.

Book Tasting (gr. 3-5) Wednesday, February 14, 3:30-4:15



[Read More/Register](#)

Are you hungry for a good book but don't know what to read next? Children grades 3-5 are invited to come enjoy snacks and sample a menu of books!

Tiny Tales (ages 1-2yrs) Thursday, February 15, 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.

Book Tasting (gr. K-2) Thursday, February 15, 3:30-4:15

[Read More/Register](#)

Are you hungry for a good book but don't know what to read next? Children grades



K-2 are invited to come enjoy snacks and sample a menu of books!

Puppet Party (ages 6+)

Friday, February 16, 3:30-4:30



[Read More/Register](#)

Come to the library to make your very own puppet. Decorate puppets with a variety of supplies, and put on a puppet show.

More Than Mom Drop-In Playgroup

Saturday, February 17, 10:00-11:00



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. This program is also a collaboration with The Mom Walk Co. - East Longmeadow, a social group for mama's and their little ones. 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!

[Sign Up for Wowbrary to See What's New](#)

Let's be friends on Social Media!

