

MARCH 2019



Apache Junction Public Library

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>www.ajpl.org 1177 N Idaho Rd 480.474.8555</p> <p>Like us on Facebook www.facebook.com/ajlibrary</p> <p>Programs made possible by the Friends of the Library</p>				<p>1 Preschool Leap into Science Dr. Seuss 10 am</p>	<p>2 WILD WEST CROCHET CLUB 1 PM</p>
<p>4 Internet Basics Class, 10 am</p>	<p>5 Preschool University Ages 2-5, 10-11 am</p> <p>Hospice of the Valley Blood Pressure Clinic 10 am</p> <p>Non-Fiction Book Club, 1:30 pm</p>	<p>6 Art in the Library 9 am (Bring your own supplies)</p> <p>Craigslist Class 10 am</p> <p>Author Skype with Cressida Cowell <i>How to Train Your Dragon</i> 11 am</p> <p>AJ Writers, 1 pm</p>	<p>7 Young & Restless Ages 0-2, 10 am Preschool Junction Ages 3-5, 11 am Theme: Alligators & Crocodiles</p> <p>Coding Club Ages 6-14, 5-6 pm</p> <p><i>Instant Family</i> 5:30 pm, PG13</p>	<p>8 Android Tablets Class, 10 am</p> <p>TODDLEROBICS Ages 2-5, 10:30 am</p> <p>Quest Club Ages 3-18, 3-4:30 pm</p>	<p>9 Photo Management Class, 10 am</p> <p>WILD WEST CROCHET CLUB 1 PM</p>
<p>11 Spring Break! Honeycomb Exploration 2 pm, ages 8+</p>	<p>12 Preschool University Ages 2-5, 10-11 am</p> <p>Spring Break! Rocket Balloon Cars 2 pm, ages 8+</p> <p>Teen Anime Grades 7+, 5-7 pm</p>	<p>13 Art in the Library 9 am (Bring your own supplies)</p> <p>Spring Break! School-Age Leap into Science 10 am</p>	<p>14 Young & Restless Ages 0-2, 10 am Preschool Junction Ages 3-5, 11 am Theme: St. Patrick's Day</p> <p>Genealogy Group 1 pm</p> <p>Coding Club Ages 6-14, 5-6 pm</p> <p><i>Mortal Engines</i> 5:30 pm, PG13</p> <p>Library Board, 6:30 pm</p>	<p>15 Read & Rec at Flatiron Park Dr. Seuss 10-11 am</p> <p>Spring Break! Great Arizona Puppet Theater <i>Little Dino's Baby Tooth</i> 2 pm</p>	<p>16 LibraryCON 10 AM-3 PM Panels, guests, vendors, prizes & more! Pick up a LibraryCON brochure!</p>
<p>18 </p>	<p>19 Preschool University Ages 2-5, 10-11 am</p> <p>Hospice of the Valley Blood Pressure Clinic 10 am</p> <p>Mystery Book Club 1:30 pm</p> <p>Spring Break! Fizz, Boom, Science 2 pm, ages 7+</p> <p>Teen Event Game Shows! ages 12-17, 5-7 pm</p>	<p>20 Art in the Library 9 am (Bring your own supplies)</p> <p>eBay Class 10 am</p> <p>Spring Break! Gummy Bear DNA 2 pm, ages 7+</p>	<p>21 Spring Break! Puppet Shows 10 am</p> <p>Coding Club Ages 6-14, 5-6 pm</p> <p><i>Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald</i> 5:30 pm, PG13</p>	<p>22 Spring Break! Minecraft 10:30-Noon</p> <p>TODDLEROBICS Ages 2-5, 10:30 am</p> <p>Quest Club Ages 3-18, 3-4:30 pm</p>	<p>23 Windows 10 Class, 10 am</p> <p>WILD WEST CROCHET CLUB 1 PM</p>
<p>25 Computer Basics Class, 10 am</p>	<p>26 Preschool University Ages 2-5, 10-11 am</p>	<p>27 Art in the Library 9 am (Bring your own supplies)</p> <p>Microsoft Word Class 10 am</p>	<p>28 Young & Restless Ages 0-2, 10 am Preschool Junction Ages 3-5, 11 am Theme: Hats</p> <p>Genealogy Group, 1 pm</p> <p>BEGINNER WRITERS CLUB 3 PM, AGES 7+</p> <p>Coding Club Ages 6-14, 5-6 pm</p> <p><i>Mary Poppins Returns</i> 5:30 pm, PG</p>	<p>29 iPad Class 10 am</p>	<p>30 WILD WEST CROCHET CLUB 1 PM</p>

Ages 0-5 years

Preschool University Tuesdays

Tuesdays, Drop-in 10-11 am for ages 2-5
STEM, movement, sensory play & art for preschoolers.

Young and Restless ~ Thursdays, 10 am, Ages birth-2

Stories, bounces, rhymes and songs followed by play time and parent conversation.

Preschool Junction ~ Thursdays, 11 am, Ages 3-5 years

Stories, songs, rhymes, crafts and more that teach kindergarten readiness skills. Join us as we focus on letter recognition, beginning sounds, shapes and colors, fine motor skills, number recognition and counting, reading readiness and much more.

Themes!

March 7 ~ **Alligators & Crocodiles**

March 14 ~ **St. Patrick's Day**

March 21 ~ **PUPPET SHOWS AT 10 AM**

March 28 ~ **Hats**

Read and Rec at Flatiron Park, March 15, 10 am

The Library and Parks & Rec team up for a morning of stories and activities. Theme is **Dr. Seuss**.

Fun Van supported by First Things First

A 1.5 hour class for parents or caregivers & their 0-5 year olds. Free book and toy.

For questions, schedule and registration information visit www.ajpl.org/funvan or call 480.474.8559.

School Age Kids

Coding Club Thursdays, 5-6 pm

Kids ages 6+ will learn to code computer games.

Quest Club Fridays, March 8 & 22, 3-4:30 pm

Ages 3-18 years, an educational incentive program that uses badges and awards to show kids that everything is fun and educational.

Author Skype with Cressida Cowell, March 6, 11 am

Go behind the scenes to learn how stories come alive in this free 30-minute classroom broadcast with **Cressida Cowell**, the author & illustrator of the **How to Train Your Dragon** series.

Paws 2 Read ~ Saturday, March 16, 2-3:30 pm

Kids read to therapy dogs & a macaw.

Beginner Writers Club for Kids, March 28, 3-4 pm

Ages 7+, Build and practice your writing skills through fun activities.

Check out the Spring Break box full of exciting activities for kids!

Teens

Anime with Crunchyroll.com, Grades 7+

Tuesday, March 12, 5-7 pm

Teen Night ~ Game Shows

Tuesday, March 19, 5-7 pm, **ages 12-17**

Teens, come on down! You are the next contestant! Jeopardy, Minute to Win it & more! Free snacks!



The Library has 2 weeks of fun activities for kids on Spring Break!

Mon, 3/11, 2 pm, **Ages 8+**

Honeycomb Exploration

Discover the wonder of the honeycomb and the bees that create them. Kids will explore, taste and learn about the honeycomb.

Tues, 3/19, 2 pm, **Ages 6+**

Fizz, Boom, Science

School age kids will conduct fun, science experiments.

Tues, 3/12, 2 pm, **Ages 8+**

Rocket Balloon Cars

Create a Styrofoam car and test out Newton's Third Law of Motion.

Wed, 3/20 2 pm, **Ages 7+**

Gummy Bear DNA

Learn about genetics and DNA with gummy bears.

Thurs, 3/21, 10 am

Puppet Shows

Watch the Youth staff perform witty puppet shows.

Wed, 3/13, 10 am, **Ages 7+**

LEAP Into Science

Hands on science and literacy workshop for school age kids.

Fri, 3/22, 10:30-Noon

Minecraft

School age kids can play Minecraft at the Library.

Fri, 3/15, 2 pm, *space is limited*

Great AZ Puppet Theater

Little Dino's Baby Tooth
Dental Puppet Show

Adults

Non-Fiction Book Club

To Siri with Love

By Judith Newman
March 5, 1:30 pm

Art in the Library

Wednesdays, 9 am
Bring your own supplies.

Apache Junction Writers

March 6, 1 pm
March 19, 6 pm

Mystery Book Club

Twelve Lives of

Samuel Hawley

By Hannah Tinti
March 19, 1:30 pm

Wild West Crochet Club

Saturdays, 1-4 pm
Bring your own supplies.

Genealogy Group

March 14 & 28, 1-3 pm

1 on 1 Tech Help Sessions

Topics: tablets, ebooks, smart phones, email, Windows 10, Excel, Word, Publisher, 3D printing and more.
Register with any staff member.

Computer Classes (Registration Required)	Date	Time
Internet Basics	Mon, March 4	10 am
Craigslist	Wed, March 6	10 am
Android Tablets	Fri, March 8	10 am
Photo Management	Sat, March 9	10 am
eBay	Wed, March 20	10 am
Windows 10	Sat, March 23	10 am
Basic Computers	Mon, March 25	10 am
Microsoft Word	Wed, March 27	10 am
iPad	Fri, March 29	10 am



Saturday, March 16th

10 am-3 pm

PICK UP A LIBRARYCON BROCHURE FOR ALL THE DETAILS!

Panels, Prizes & costume contest!

Harry Potter Escape Room ~ Super Smash Bros

MYS CREATION HAUNTED ATTRACTION

Star Wars, Ghostbusters, Super Heroes and MORE!

VENDORS, COSPLAY & GUESTS