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January 2021 Programs

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January Programs

While the majority of our in-person events are still on hold due to the pandemic, we are offering virtual programming via Zoom and Facebook. Reservations are required for most programs. Visit our events calendar at **LPL.org** to make a reservation. Check the last page for how to visit the library in person.

FOR ALL AGES!

Chill Out and Read*

All Month • All Ages

Make a New Year's resolution to read more and earn points toward prizes. Children, teens and adults can all participate by reading and completing missions and logging them online through Feb. 28. *Registration required in READsquared.

Around the World in 90 Days*

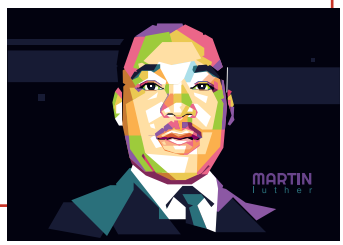
All Month - All Ages!

"It's really useful to travel, if you want to see new things." -- author Jules Verne, *Around the World in 80 Days*. The LPL will help you virtually travel the world through January, February and March with programs, challenges and readings related to a specific country! Look for activity packs at the beginning of each month. *Registration required.

MLK Jr. & National Civil Rights Museum*

Monday, Jan 18 • 2pm • ZOOM • All Ages

Celebrate Martin Luther King Jr. Day. Virtually visit the National Civil Rights Museum in Memphis and enjoy the story *Martin's Big Words* by Doreen Rappaport followed by an activity and discussion. Please have paper and pen ready for the session.



Let's Get Trivial*

Monday, Jan 4 • 7pm • ZOOM

Love trivia? We do, too! Join the masters of information and fun, the LPL staff, at this new program designed to chase away the winter blues, keep connections with friends and make new ones! Bring a friendly, competitive attitude and have your pencil and paper ready!

Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention*

Mondays and Thursdays • Jan 11-Mar 8 • 10:45am • ZOOM

Studies show that Tai Chi relieves pain and improves the quality of life for people with arthritis, but anyone can participate. Meet online for 16 one-hour sessions twice a week for eight weeks. *Registration required. Once registered, you will receive a Zoom invitation and resource booklet. You must be committed to complete the entire program.

What's Cookin': Chocolate*

Monday, Jan 11 • 7pm • ZOOM

Create a dish featuring chocolate and share it on Zoom. Send your recipes to Cindy.Hibbert@lpl.org for inclusion in our quarantine cookbook. The library has topic-related cookbooks that can be picked up at the Information@LPL Desk with a one-hour LPL Express Visit or book a Grab it & Go pickup in the garage *Registration required.

Scotland and the New British History*

Tuesday, Jan 12 • 7pm • ZOOM

Le Moyne professor Robert Scully will discuss the relationship among the three "nations" of Britain -- England, Scotland and Wales. The presentation will focus on the early modern period, from the 16th to 18th centuries. *Registration required.

First Ladies II*

Thursday, Jan 14 • 7pm • ZOOM

Join Tom Henry for a discussion on the fascinating lives of some of America's well-known and lesser known first ladies who have called the White House home. Cosponsored by the Clay Historical Association. *Registration required.

Archaeology Online*

Monday, Jan 18 & 25 • 6:30pm • ZOOM

Maureen Folk leads a basic introduction to archaeology using Futurelearn's two-week online course that explores the dig site in the Vale of Pewsey in England. Topics include study of the Neolithic and Medieval time period, how a dig site operates, and how to analyze found materials. Folk holds a graduate degree in Archaeology from SUNY Binghamton. *Registration required.

Armchair Adventures: Discover Your Roots*

Thursday, Jan 21 • 1pm • ZOOM

Liverpool Public Library's very own Mr. G will demonstrate how to use the library's genealogical databases. These databases are free to all LPL cardholders. *Registration required.

Chronic Pain Self-Management Program (CPSMP)*

Wednesdays • Jan 13-Feb 17 • 10am-12:30pm • ZOOM

A six-session, peer-led health program for adults 18+ with a diagnosis of chronic pain. CPSMP enhances a person's ability to manage his/her health, decrease chronic pain levels and maintain an active and fulfilling lifestyle. *Registration required. Participants receive booklets and supplies via mail.

"I Can't Live Without Books": The Sewards and their Library*

Thursday, Jan 21 • 7pm • ZOOM

Join Seward House Museum Education and Outreach Coordinator Zach Finn as he discusses the Seward family library by looking at what books the family read, what reading meant to the family and how reading helped shape the Sewards' place in American history. Cosponsored by the Clay Historical Association. *Registration required.

Monthly Book Clubs

We still can't meet in person, but we can meet on Zoom! Books are available for checkout one month before each meeting. Call the library at 315-457-0310 to make an appointment for pick up. New members are always welcome. *Registration required.

After Dinner Books*

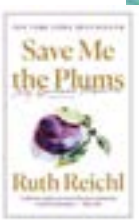
Thursday, Jan 7 • 7pm • ZOOM

***A Long Petal of the Sea* by Isabel Allende**

Thursday Morning Book Klatch*

Thursday, Jan 28 • 11am • ZOOM

***Save Me the Plums* by Ruth Reichl**



Children

Little Learners Activity Packs*
Monday, Jan 4 • All Day
Kits will have screen-free activities you can do with your little one, including simple crafts, outdoor games, daily learning tips and book suggestions. Ages 0-5. *Call 315-457-0310 to reserve a pack for pickup.

Liverpool Explorers*
Thursday, Jan 14 • 6pm • ZOOM
Ages 5-12
Join Ms. Jo as we explore a new part of the world each month and have fun with our friends online. In January we will be exploring the Highlands of Scotland! *Please register and pick up your Around the World activity pack at the beginning of the month.

Sing Along Friends Story Time*
Thursdays, Jan 14, 21, 28 • 10-10:30am
Ages 2-5 w/caregiver • ZOOM
Children ages 2-5 and their siblings are invited to join Ms. Laurel via Zoom for songs, puppets, stories and rhymes. *Registration required. You will be sent a Zoom link. Watch it anytime on the LPL YouTube channel.

Family Story Break
Fridays, Jan 15, 22, 29 • 10am • ONLINE
Enjoy a quick 15-minute story break with music and movement for children birth-5 and their families. Watch it live on Facebook or later, for up to a week.

Book Club for Grades 2-4*
Tuesday, Jan 19
1:30pm or 6:30pm • ZOOM
This month's book is *The Strange Case of Origami Yoda* by Tom Angleberger. Books are available by appointment via LPL Express Visits or Grab It & Go. They will also be available digitally via Hoopla or Overdrive.*Registration required.

Book Buddies Book Club*
Saturday, Jan 23 • 9am • ZOOM
A special book club for kids ages 4-7 and a buddy! Pick up your book buddy kit from Jan 18-22 and then join us on Zoom as we read the story *The Snowy Day* by Ezra Jack Keats. We will use the kits to make a craft and do some activities.*Register each child individually. Adults do not need to register.

Diary of a Wimpy Kid Fan Club* Meeting and Activity Packs

Thursday, Jan 28 • 6:30pm
ZOOM
Starting Jan. 9, you can either sign up to get a Wimpy Kid activity pack, register for the fan club meeting or do both! Join us on Zoom as we play some games and discuss our love of all things Wimpy Kids. For ages 5-12. *Registration for meeting and activity pack are required separately.

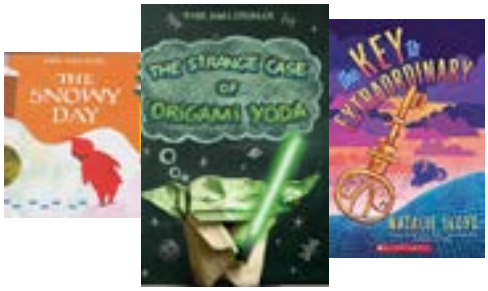
Tweens

Tween Scene!*
Wednesdays, Jan 6, 13, 20, 27
6pm • ZOOM
Join us in our Zoom room as we hang out, discuss current topics and do activities related to the theme of that week. *Registration required.

Tween Coding Club Level 2*
Tuesdays, Jan 5, 12, 19, 26 • 4pm • ZOOM
This club adds on to what we learned in Level 1. We'll continue programming with Javascript and experiment with loops, animations, conditional and more! If you are new to Javascript, please begin with the Thursday class Level 1. *Registration required.

Tween Coding Club Level 1*
Thursdays, Jan 7, 14, 21, 28 • 4pm • ZOOM
Weekly Zoom-based coding hangout sessions using Vidcode! We'll learn about the programming language Javascript and experiment with filters, animations, memes and more! No coding experience necessary. Ages 10-12, but flexible based on interest and ability. *Registration required.

Tween Book Club*
Tuesday, Jan 26
1:30pm and 6:30pm • ZOOM
A virtual get-together to discuss *The Key to Extraordinary* by Natalie Lloyd. For ages 10 and up, but flexible depending on interest and ability. Check out books and activity packs at the Children's Room desk at the beginning of each month. *Registration required.



Homeschooling

Homeschooling 101 for Parents*
Monday, Jan 18 • 7pm • ZOOM
Presentations and participant interaction on a variety of homeschool topics. *Registration required.

Homeschool Hangout*
Tuesday, Jan 5 • 1:30pm
Liverpool Christian Church (LCC)
Hang out with friends while you socially-distance in-person with other homeschool families. Activities will include crafts and games like Bingo! and trivia. LCC is located at 2021 Cold Springs Road. *Registration required for each person attending.

Homeschool STEAM Club*
Tuesday, Jan 12 • 1:30pm
Liverpool Christian Church (LCC)
Learn about science, technology, engineering, art and math through hands-on-activities while you socially-distance in-person with other homeschool families. *Registration required for each person attending.

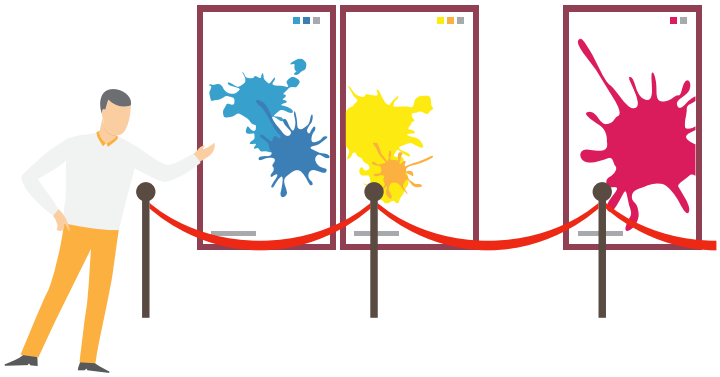
Research Skills & Writing for Grades 7-12*
Wednesdays, Jan 13, 20, 27; Feb 3
2-3pm • ONLINE
A four-part series teaches valuable research skills to help produce a solid finished product. Subjects include: choosing a topic, formulating a thesis, finding and evaluating sources, compiling a bibliography, citing sources, taking notes, creating an outline, writing a paper and presentation skills. Expect to attend all sessions. *Registration required.

Teens

Teen Creative Writing Group*
Wednesday, Jan 6 • 6pm • ZOOM
A monthly gathering and safe space for teen writers to share their writing goals, offer encouragement, constructive criticism and tips to improve their craft. *Registration required.

Teen Game Night
Wednesday, Jan 13 • 6pm • ONLINE
This is a social event where teens can hang out and play games together online. We will be using Discord to chat and set up games.

Nintendo Switch Players!
Visit the Library's island in Animal Crossing New Horizons! Add us: SW-0311-4100-1855 and join our Discord server.
Discord link: https://discord.gg/MpDZr96



Call For Artists: Virtual Art Expo

Do you carve, bake, sculpt, paint, sing, sew, dance, garden, weld, craft, etc?

Artists of all ages are invited to celebrate and share your talents with your community this New Year!

Email the library a photo or video of your artwork to **artexpo@lpl.org** by March 20 to be part of the Liverpool Public Library's Virtual Art Expo in April.

Please include your age group (child, teenager or adult) name, age, title of your artwork and medium represented.

Puzzle Pickup

Monday, Jan 4 • All Month

The library will offer gently used puzzles for pick up by one-hour LPL Express Visit or Grab It & Go appointments! Puzzles have been donated. We cannot guarantee every puzzle includes all pieces. Puzzles will be quarantined for a minimum of seven days after return and before going out again.

You can still visit the Library!

We have two ways to visit the library or pick up your holds. Social distancing and masks are required for both services. Check our website at **LPL.org** or call 315-457-0310 for more information on hours and making a reservation.

LPL Express Visit: One-Hour Slots by Appointment Only
We offer limited in-building hours and services by appointment only, limited to 60 minutes.

Grab It & Go: LPL Garage Holds Pick Up
Pick up your holds in our underground garage without going into the library.

Once your holds become available you will be notified by email, text or phone.

Please call the library at 315-457-0310 or go online at LPL.org to make an appointment.

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Hours: By appointment

Registration and Information:
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Website .....**LPL.org**

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Board Meetings:
Second Wed. of every month at 6:30pm
The general public can attend via our YouTube Channel.

Grab It & Go Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday
9:30-11:30am and 12-2pm

Tuesday and Thursday
9:30-11:30am, 3:30-5:30pm and 6-8pm

Sunday: Closed

LPL Express Visit Hours

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday
9-10am • 10:30-11:30am • 12-1pm • 1:30-2:30pm • 3-4pm

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5-6pm • 7-8pm

Sunday: Closed