Frogs, Bugs & Animals  For families of all ages

- Sunday, May 6, 1:30 OR 3:30 pm
- Enjoy a program dedicated to the learning and loving of animals. Jason will teach about Princess the toad, Tickles the hedgehog and lots of other fun creatures including mice, lizards, bunnies, crabs, and baby animals. Everyone is encouraged to pet and touch these creatures. All live animals are displayed in colorful petting tubs so the children can safely reach and pet them.
- District residents and Friends of the Library may begin picking up tickets on Wednesday, April 25, at 10 am & 7 pm.
- The Friends of the Library are proud to sponsor this program as part of the Lenore Kramer Lecture Series.

EGG-Citing Things are hatching this Spring!

- This April we will be incubating and hatching chicken eggs! The Children's Room is egg-static for you to meet our new friends!
- Visit hwpl.org/kids/ for more information.

Summer Reading 2018  Babies through 5th grade.

Join our 2018 Summer Reading Incentive Initiative!

- “Libraries Rock” is a reading incentive initiative designed to encourage children to continue reading during summer vacation so that valuable reading and writing skills won’t be lost. Visit the Children’s Room for more information and weekly contests!
- District residents may begin joining Monday, June 4.
- Weekly contest begins Monday, June 25.
LETS READ A STORY!

STORY TIMES

REGISTRATION for Great Beginnings, Toddler, Preschool Story Times & Sing, Sign and Play begins Wednesday, April 11 at 10 am and 7 pm. Please bring proof of age and your HWPL card to registration. All children must be of minimum age for each program by Monday, April 23, 2018.

Sing, Sign, and Play!

Beginners Class for ages 3 - 23 months
■ Mondays, April 16 - May 21
  (no session 4/23 & 5/7)
  9:30 am

Intermediate Class for ages 1 - 2 years
■ Mondays, April 16 - May 21
  (no session 4/23 & 5/7)
  10:30 am

With just a few easy-to-learn signs YOU can start communicating with your pre-verbal baby or toddler! Learning sign language has been shown to ease frustration and tantrums, increase vocabulary, and allow for greater emotional expression.

Is your toddler speaking already? Great! Learning sign language has also been shown to increase reading comprehension. With so many benefits, let’s Sing, Sign, and Play our way into learning!

It’s Potty Time!

■ Mondays - June 18 & 25
  9:30 to 10:15 am

Need help setting up a potty time routine? Try Singing and Signing your way through Potty Time! Signing your way through Potty Time can:
  • Appeal to children in a fundamental way through song and fingerplay
  • Peak interest surrounding Potty Time
  • Help emotional development by easing anxiety
  • Deal with accidents
  • Help your toddler communicate CRYSTAL CLEAR at a time when seconds count!

District residents may begin registering Wednesday, June 6, at 10 am & 7 pm.

The Awesome Readers Book Club

■ Grades 3 - 5
■ Wednesday, May 2, 7 pm

Our book club is the place to be to talk about books, share the reading experience, and learn something new — all while having some snacks and doing a craft.

District residents may begin registering Wednesday, April 11 at 10 am & 7 pm.

Great Beginnings
■ 6 to 23 months
■ Wednesdays, April 25 - May 30
  (no session 5/9)
  12:30 to 1 pm
■ Fridays, April 27 - June 1
  (no session 5/11)
  9:30 to 10 am OR
  10:10 to 10:40 am
(Choose either Wednesdays OR Fridays)

Toddler Story Time
■ 2 year-olds
■ Tuesdays, May 1 - May 29
  10 to 10:30 am

Preschool Story Time
■ 3 to 5 year-olds
■ Tuesdays, May 1 - May 29
  4 to 4:30 pm

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THE LIBRARY IS OPEN...
Mon - Thursday 9 am to 9 pm
Friday 9 am to 6 pm
Saturday 9 am to 5 pm
Sunday 12:30 pm to 5 pm

SCHEDULE CHANGES
Sunday, April 1 CLOSED
Monday, May 7 1-9 pm
Sunday, May 13 CLOSED
Sunday, May 27 CLOSED
Monday, May 28 CLOSED
Sunday, June 17 CLOSED

BOARD OF TRUSTEES’MEETINGS
All regular Board meetings begin at 7:45 pm. All budget open meetings begin at 7:00 pm.

BUDGET VOTE AND TRUSTEE ELECTION
Tuesday, May 15, 2018 7 am - 10 pm
Paint 'n Paw with DogVinci

- Grades K - 4 only
- Monday, April 9, 6 pm
Learn about Dagger’s journey as a 4-legged canine artist and about the “Dagger DogVinci” style of abstract painting. Dagger will do a demonstration of how he paints and then participants will paint like Dagger.

April Break Craft

- Grades Pre-K & Up
- Monday through Friday: April 2 - 6 from 10 am - 4 pm
Come in and decorate a craft with our teen volunteers!
Your Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library card is your ticket to participate.

Lego At The Library

- Grades Pre-K & up
- Saturdays; April 21, May 19, & June 2
  2 to 3 pm
- Sundays; April 22, May 20, & June 3
  2 to 3 pm
Enjoy an afternoon of sharing ideas with friends while building new LEGO creations.
Your Hewlett-Woodmere Public Library card is your ticket to participate.

STorigami

- Grades K - 2 only
- Wednesday, May 30, 6 pm
Come and hear a delightful story told by Origami Specialist MaryAnn Scheblein-Dawson using origami props and then fold some of your own origami! It’s paper magic!
District resident may begin registering Wednesday, May 16, at 10 am & 7 pm.

"Spring" into Origami

- Grades 3 - 5 only
- Thursday, May 31, 6 pm
Origami Specialist MaryAnnScceblein-Dawson will guide you as you fold simple sheets of paper into seasonal delights. They’ll make pretty decorations, gifts or cards for all your springtime occasions.
District resident may begin registering Wednesday, May 16, at 10 am & 7 pm.

Computer Basics

- Grades K - 2 only
- Tuesday, May 8, 6 OR 7 pm
Make the jump from touch screen to computer! Learn the basics of a keyboard, a mouse, a trackpad and typing.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, April 25, at 10 am & 7 pm.

Hour of Code

- Grades 3 - 5 only
- Thursday, May 10, 6 OR 7 pm
Learn the basics of computer coding in this interactive workshop for beginners. Students should have a good understanding of computers and typing. If you'd like to save your code, please bring your own laptop.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, April 25, at 10 am & 7 pm.

Ozobots

- Grades 3 - 5 only
- Thursday, June 14, 6 OR 7 pm
Ozobot is a miniature smart robot that fits in the palm of your hand. Using easy-to-learn color-based language, program your Ozobot to walk, run, spin, turn and perform other basic commands.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, May 23, at 10 am & 7 pm.

Code and Go Robot Mouse

- Grades K - 2 only
- Thursday, June 7, 6 OR 7 pm
In this program we will introduce children to the fun of coding and puzzle solving with a colorful, programmable mouse and maze!
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, May 23, at 10 am & 7 pm.
FREE SAT OR ACT PRACTICE EXAM

Grades 9-12 only
☐ Sunday, April 8, 1:00 pm - 4:15 pm
Students will get the chance to take a full-length SAT or ACT in an official testing environment. Please choose the test you want to take at the time of registration. Students are then invited to attend Test Scores Back Night.
District Residents may begin registering Wednesday, March 28 at 10 am and 7 pm.

TEST SCORES BACK NIGHT

Grades 9-12
☐ Thursday, April 12, 7 pm
Students who took an exam on April 8, are invited back to receive their test scores. Test strategies and helpful techniques will be discussed with time for questions.
District Residents may begin registering Wednesday, March 28 at 10 am and 7 pm.

JUST FUN FUN

CODING WITH JAVA

Grades 5-12 only
☐ Monday, April 2 & Wednesday, April 4, 6 pm
In these two sessions, you will learn to code in Java with instruction by our teen volunteer Mike Green. Basic computer and coding skills are required. Patrons are encouraged to bring their own laptops if possible. Participants must attend first session to attend second session.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, March 21 at 10 am & 7 pm.

PAINT ‘N PAW WITH DOGVINCI

Grades 5-12 only
☐ Monday, April 16, 7 pm
Learn about Dagger’s journey as a 4-legged canine artist and about the “Dagger DogVinici” style of abstract painting. Dagger will do a demonstration of how he paints and then participants will paint like Dagger.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, March 28 at 10 am & 7 pm.

TEEN PAINT NIGHT

With Cheryl Frey Richards

Grades 6-12 only
☐ Tuesday, May 29, 6:30 pm
Learn the simple tricks of the trade to create your own painting. The class will cover layering, depth, coloring and shading with acrylic paints. Create a one of a kind masterpiece!
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, May 16 at 10 am & 7 pm.

MODULAR ORIGAMI

Grades 6-12 only
☐ Tuesday, May 1, 7 pm
Modular Origami uses multiple pieces of paper that are folded and then assembled, very much like a puzzle. These fabulous geometric shapes are colorful, fun and challenging!
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, April 18 at 10 am & 7 pm.

T-SHIRT REVAMP WORKSHOP

Teens Entering Grades 6-12 only
☐ Tuesday, June 26, 6:30 pm
Redesign, restyle, recycle! Bring in some old t-shirts and walk out with new custom creations! Learn basic techniques to bring new life to an old tee shirt. Get project inspiration and technical support from a fashion design pro and get crafting! Attendees provide the T-shirt, presenter provides scissors, glue, inspiration and instruction.
District residents may begin registering Wednesday, June 13 at 10 am & 7 pm.

TEEN SUMMER READING CONTEST

Students Entering Grades 6-12 only
Enter for a chance to win an Amazon gift card by filling out a contest entry form available in the Children’s or Teen sections or at www.hwpl.org/teens/. For more chances to win, fill out a contest entry form for every book you read this summer! Many will enter and MANY will win!
District residents may begin submitting entries June 4. All entries must be received by Monday, August 13, 2018. Winners will be notified Wednesday, August 15, 2018.