

OCTOBER



Westside Library
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 Mon-Fri: 10 a.m. - 7 p.m.
 Sat: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
West Florida Public Libraries

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Please visit mywfpl.com/events for more information and to be aware of program cancellations.

Smokey Bear Reading Challenge

All Month Long, Virtual

Did you know 9 out of 10 wildfires are caused by people? Smokey Bear does! Help Smokey prevent wildfires by joining the Smokey Bear Reading Challenge. Read books, take action, and have fun while you celebrate Smokey's 80th birthday! This challenge is open to all ages and is hosted in Beanstack.

Inktober

All Month Long, All Day Event

Want to improve your drawing skills and help promote the library? Join us at any West Florida Public Libraries location and pick up an artist card with an inspirational prompt on the back, pick out your favorite pen and draw the prompt. We will keep and display your wonderful piece of artwork and post them on our social media.

STEAM: Sewing Basics

October 1st, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

October 15th, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Basic Machine sewing skills are essential skills needed in everyday life. Learn the basic techniques to get started, including how to thread the machine, wind and load bobbins, speed control, and even seam allowances.

Creepy Crawly Specimen Jars

October 2nd, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Become a mad scientist as you create your very own Creepy Crawly Specimen jar! Choose from a variety of bugs or spiders (don't worry they aren't real!) and get creative as you design your own label!

STEAM: Sewing Lab

October 3rd, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

October 17th, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

If you know how to use a sewing machine, but would like to improve your sewing or get assistance with projects, this is the program for you.

Punkin' Chunkin'!

October 5th, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Build your own mini catapult using popsicle sticks and rubber bands then chunk some candy pumpkins! Test different weights and sizes of candy. Due to the usage of a hot glue gun, ages 10+ recommended.



Available All Month

Seed Library

1,000 Books Before Kindergarten: Beanstack

Take & Make Kits

STEAM: Hand Sewing Basics

October 4th, 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM

October 18th, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

Basic hand sewing skills are essential skills needed in everyday life. Learn the basic techniques to get started, including how to make a quilter's knot, thread a needle and sew a running stitch.

Candy Corn Bingo

October 7th, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Swing in for a thrilling game of Candy Corn Bingo! It's just like regular bingo but with candy!! Play a few rounds and win a prize!

Local Fire Departments Visit Your Library for Fire Prevention Week

October 10th, 10:30 - 11:30 AM

Join the Escambia County Fire Department, the City of Pensacola Fire Department, and the West Florida Public Libraries as we celebrate National Fire Prevention Week. This program takes the place of regularly scheduled Family Story Times and is recommended for youth and their families.

Autumn Scavenger Hunt

October 10th and 21st, All Day Event

Join us here for an Autumn Scavenger Hunt, find them all and get a prize! Children ages 12 and under must have a guardian present.

STEAM: Harry Potter: Hour of Code

October 11th, 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Learn to code and make magic on screen with creative challenges inspired by the Wizarding World. Connect code blocks, see the javascript and learn how to make feathers fly and fireworks fizz and bang.

Plein-Air Paint Out

October 12th, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Plein-Air is the French term for "the act of painting outdoors." Meet us at the Gazebo to pick up your supplies. Artist are allowed to take their painting home. While supplies last.

Movie Day

October 12th, 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM

Join us at the Westside Library and watch a movie! Children under 12 years old must have a parent or guardian present.

STEAM: Cloud Imagination

October 15th, 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Come to learn about the 3 main groups of clouds and if the weather permits, we can go outside and use our imagination within the clouds.

Creation Stations: Halloween Rainbow Scratch Masks

October 16th, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Choose your mask and scratch away a design to reveal rainbow color underneath! Materials are provided. While supplies last.

Watercolor Spiderwebs

October 17th, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Paint with us as we create colorful watercolor webs! Use crayons to draw your spider web design then watch as your web resists the watercolor paint!

Engineering Table

October 22nd, All Day Event

Using popsicle sticks, binder clips, and clothes pins, young minds can explore the world of building and design.

Blacklight Drawing - Toil and Trouble!

October 24th, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Artists will embark on a journey of imagination, illuminated by ultraviolet light. Under the mesmerizing glow we'll celebrate spooky season with bats, cats, and moon light! Materials and drawings are provided. While supplies last!

Video Game Day

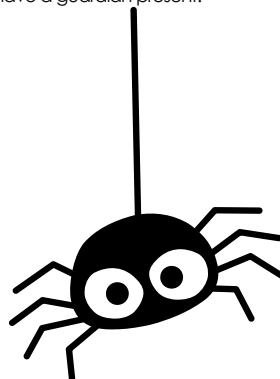
October 25th, 3:00 - 5:00 PM

Join us at Westside to relax and play some video games! Challenge your friends to a race of Mario Kart on Rainbow Road or battle some mobs together in Minecraft Dungeons!

October Bingo

October 26th, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Join us for some spooky October Bingo! All ages 12 and under must have a guardian present.



LEGO Club

Monday - Friday, 4:00 - 5:00 PM

Come and join us for a LEGO building good time! Build, learn and play with us here at Westside. For ages 5+. Children under the age of 5 must have a guardian.

Brain Teasers

Mondays, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Stimulate your mental powers as you solve our captivating Brain Teasers. How many can you solve? Challenge yourself or your friends!

Family Story Time / STEAM Story Time

Thursdays, 10:30 - 11:00 AM

Join us for exciting stories, songs, and movement. This program is suggested for children ages 2 to 5 years and their caregivers. STEAM Story Time will happen the first Thursday of the month during the regular story time slot.

Board Games

Fridays, 3:00 - 4:00 PM

Games of chance, games of luck, games of skill - family oriented fun for all ages!

Beginner's Chess

Saturdays, 1:00 - 2:00 PM

Join us as we learn the basic rules, the names of the pieces, and how they move. Basic openings and strategies. Play and get better!

STEAM: Fiber Arts Open Lab

Saturdays, All Day Event

Come in at your leisure and work on your fiber arts projects using our tools and equipment!

