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Youth Programs



Weaver Library

41 Grove Ave., East Providence, RI 02914
401-434-2453

Fuller Creative Learning Center

260 Dover Ave., East Providence, RI 02914
401-228-3903

Riverside Branch Library

475 Bullocks Pt. Ave, Riverside, RI 02915
401-433-4877

www.eastprovidencelibrary.org



The statewide Rhode Island Summer Reading Program is supported by the RI Office of Library and Information Services, with funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

The library also received financial support from The Friends of East Providence Public Library.

- **INCLUSIVE PLAY TIME**
 - Sat. June 27, July 25, and August 8, 10am, Weaver Library
 - Aimed at children with autism or other sensory processing differences.
- **KIDS READING ACROSS RHODE ISLAND: A CUP OF QUIET BY NIKKI GRIMES (AGES 5-10)**
 - Tues. June 30, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - Grab a book to keep and make a craft.
- **STEAM WEEKS AT FULLER CREATIVE LEARNING CENTER (AGES 7+)***
 - Monday-Friday, 9:30-11:30am
 - Registration required.
- **DATES & THEMES**
 - July 13-July 17: **CURTAIN CALL THEATRE CAMP**
 - July 20-July 24: **TECH WEEK** featuring two days with MobileQuest
 - July 27-July 31: **ART WEEK** with Fiber Artist & Textile Designer Paula Becker
 - Aug 3-Aug 7: **CULINARY WEEK** with RI Food Bank plus a day with guest chef Steve Costa from Rosa's Tavern
 - Aug 11-Aug 14: **SCIENCE WEEK** featuring a day with Mad Science
- **MAD SCIENCE: UP, UP, AND AWAY! (AGES 5+)**
 - Tues. July 14, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - An interactive show with fun experiments about air and pressure.
- **BOLLYWOOD COLOR WORKSHOP (AGES 3+)***
 - Wed. July 15, 3pm, Weaver Library Lawn
 - Learn about Holi and throw colored powder! Wear white so the colors pop.
 - Registration required.

More programs on the back! →

- **GLENN COSTELLO PRESENTS COMPETITIVE CUP STACKING (AGES 8+)***
 - Thurs. July 16, 2pm, Riverside Library
 - Learn about the exciting sport of cup-stacking.
 - Registration required.
- **RISPCA STORYTIME & CRAFT WITH LIVE ANIMAL AMBASSADOR (AGES 5-10)**
 - Mon. July 20, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - Learn about pet responsibility and empathy with a live animal ambassador.
- **PUMPERNICKEL PUPPETS PRESENTS: SIR GEORGE AND THE DRAGON (AGES 3+)**
 - Tues. July 21, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - An incredible puppet show plus a special peek behind the curtain.
- **CURTAIN CALL THEATRE CAMP (AGES 7-13)***
 - Mon. August 3 - Fri. August 7, 2-4pm, Riverside Library
 - You choose the show for this full-scale summer theatre camp!
 - Registration required.
- **MAGICIAN MIKE BENT PRESENTS: READY, SET, GROW! (AGES 5+)**
 - Tues. August 4, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - A magic show with comedy, amazing tricks, music, sound effects, and more!
- **RESCUE AND REHABILITATION WITH THE WILDLIFE CLINIC OF RI (AGES 6-12)***
 - Thurs. August 13, 2pm, Riverside Library
 - Help examine a domestic pigeon who serves as an education ambassador!
 - Registration required.



Programs for All Ages

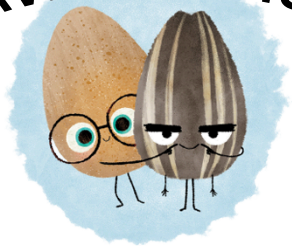


Summer Reading Challenge For All Ages (0-100+) Mon. June 15 - Sat. August 22, 2026

HOW DOES IT WORK?

1. Read/listen to books, or attend library programs.
2. Track your reading on your Reading Log. Reading Logs can be picked up at any EPPL location or downloaded from our website.
3. Earn prizes for every 10 points you get.
4. Claim your prizes at any library location beginning Monday June 15 until Saturday August 22.

RI Statewide SCAVENGER HUNT!



From June 22 to August 22, visit libraries across the state to hunt for the Good Egg or Bad Seed at each stop. Have your passport stamped at each location for chances to win a prize! Ask your librarian for a passport and find out more information at olis.ri.gov/scavengerhunt

The Rhode Island Statewide Scavenger Hunt is brought to you by the RI Office of Library and Information Services, the RI Center for the Book, iREAD, and Rhode Island public libraries, with funds from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

- **JENNY THE JUGGLER**
 - Thurs. June 18, 2pm, Riverside Library
 - Juggling, magic, music, and more!
 - Space is limited.
- **CIRCUS DYNAMICS PRESENTS: CIRCUS & BUBBLE SHOW**
 - Mon. June 22, 2pm, Weaver Library Lawn
 - Enjoy amazing acts and bubble fun!
- **INSECT INVESTIGATIONS & BUG HUNT WITH "HANDS ON NATURE"***
 - Tues. June 23, 3pm, Weaver Library & Weaver Library Lawn
 - Learn about local insects and go for a bug hunt out on the library lawn!
 - Registration required.
- **FAMILY FILM MATINEES**
 - Wed. June 24, July 8, and August 12, 1pm, Riverside Library
 - Check the website for more details.
- **BIG BLUE BLOCKS**
 - Tues. July 7, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - Play with Big Blue Blocks.
 - Space is limited.
- **DAVE MARCHETTI'S ANIMAL EXPERIENCES**
 - Tues. July 28, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - Learn about a variety of animals and even get the chance to hold some.
 - Space is limited.
- **LEARN WITH LAUGHTER & TRY THE TRICKS WITH ÉTIENNE**
 - Tues. August 11, 2pm, Weaver Library
 - A circus-inspired show followed by a workshop where you can try your hand at juggling and balance tricks.
- **TOE JAM PUPPET BAND**
 - Sat. August 15, 2pm, Weaver Library Lawn
 - Our summer finale! Enjoy music, dancing, and lots of BIG family fun!





250th Celebration Party

Wed. July 1, 4-7pm,
Weaver Library Lawn

Join us on the lawn to celebrate the last 250 years of our country. Music, food trucks, and fun for all ages!

***To register for programs, please go to the Calendar of Events at www.eastprovidencelibrary.org**

Programs for Babies to Kindergarteners

- **BABY STORYTIME**
 - Every Mon. June 22-Aug 3, 9:30am, Weaver Library
- **TODDLER/PRESCHOOL STORYTIME**
 - Every Wed. June 24-Aug 12, 10am, Weaver Library Lawn (or inside if inclement weather). Bring a blanket!
- **STORYTIME AT THE PARK**
 - Every Thurs. June 25-Aug 13, 10:30am at Crescent Park (or Riverside Library if inclement weather). Bring a blanket!
- **STUFFED ANIMAL SLEEPOVER STORYTIME**
 - Wed. July 29, 6:30pm, Riverside Library
 - Wear pajamas and bring your stuffie for a story, then let your stuffie sleep over at the library to have a grand adventure documented with photos!