DECEMBER
Events for Adults

Registration Required
For more information, visit icpl.org/adults

SPOTLIGHT EVENTS

AN IOWA PERSPECTIVE ON THE REFUGEE CRISIS
AND THE UNITED NATIONS
Tuesday, December 6, 7-9 PM
In-person event + Livestream, Meeting Room A
As we observe Human Rights Day, a panel of refugees now living in Iowa and a representative of UNHCR will discuss refugee rights and how UNHCR helps to protect those rights.

INTRO TO WINDOWS 11
Friday, December 2 & 30
10:30 - 11:30 AM, Digital Media Lab
Join Stacey for an overview of how this latest operating system is set up, so you can navigate around like an expert again.

INTRO TO THE CRICUT CUTTING MACHINE
Thursday, December 15, 6 - 7 PM
Digital Media Lab
Anyone interested in using our new Cricut is invited to this introductory session!

HOLIDAYS

HOLIDAY GREETINGS IN CANVA
Thursday, December 1, 6 - 7 PM
Zoom event
Learn how to use Canva to create your own stylish holiday greetings for printing or digital sharing.

DROP-IN DIY GIFT WRAPPING
December 1-31, Any time the Library is open
Digital Media Lab
Need to wrap some holiday gifts in secret? Someplace where prying eyes can’t see? Let ICPL help! Basic supplies provided.

LET’S TALK BOOKS - Holiday Reads
Tuesday, December 13, 7 - 8 PM
Zoom Event
Not quite a book group, this is a series of casual conversations about our favorite reads in various categories.

MAKE A LIGHT-UP GREETING CARD
Monday, December 19, 6 - 7 PM
Digital Media Lab
We’ll create an interactive light-up card to brighten someone’s day. Learn a little bit of science coupled with a creative opportunity.

MAKE A 2023 CALENDAR
Thursday, December 8, 6 - 7 PM
Digital Media Lab
Learn how to create printable calendar pages featuring your own photos in Adobe InDesign.

100 GRANNIES PROGRAM
Tuesday, December 13, 6 - 8 PM
In-person event + Livestream, Meeting Room A
Panel discussion about factory farms and the effects on Clean Water and the environment.
TECH CLASSES

TOUR OF THE DIGITAL MEDIA LAB
Saturday, December 3, 1 - 2 PM
Digital Media Lab
Are you interested in learning more about what you can do in the library’s Digital Media Lab?

HOUR OF CODE
Monday, December 5, 6 - 8 PM
● Meeting Room A
Learn to think like a coder, using your problem-solving skills to create instructions for a computer to follow.

GRAPHIC DESIGN HANGOUT
Tuesday, December 13, 5 - 7 PM
Digital Media Lab
Do you love to make things in Adobe Illustrator, InDesign, Photoshop, GIMP, Canva, or other graphic design software? Drop in!

DIGITAL MEDIA LAB HELP HOURS: 🌱 🎨 🔨
Drop in with your projects! Check icpl.org/DML for our irregular December hours.

COMMUNITY GROUPS

LIBRARY-COMMUNITY WRITING CENTER
Thursdays, December 1, 8 & 15, 6 - 8 PM
Meeting Room E
Get one-on-one help with your writing from Kirkwood Community College writing faculty.

DEVICE ADVICE: TECH HELP FOR OLDER ADULTS
Tuesday, December 6 & 13, 4 - 6 PM
Digital Media Lab
Older adults can get one-on-one help with tech questions related to using smartphones, apps, or general software from UI student volunteers.

VISIT THE BOOKMOBILE
Visit the ICPL Bookmobile at this monthly pop-up location to make a library card, pick up a hold, or browse the selection:

BRECKENRIDGE ESTATES
Fri, Dec 2, 4 - 4:30 PM
4494 Taft Ave SE

AT WILSON’S ORCHARD
Fri, Dec 16, 10:30 - 11:30 AM
4823 Dingleberry Rd NE

And find our full schedule at icpl.org/bookmobile!
The Bookmobile will be closed for a seasonal service break from December 27 - 30.

SPECIAL HOURS

THE IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY AND BOOKMOBILE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 9 FOR A STAFF INSERVICE DAY

THE IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY
OPEN 10 AM - 6 PM
THE BOOKMOBILE WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 23 DAY BEFORE CHRISTMAS EVE

THE IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY
OPEN 10 AM - 2 PM
THE BOOKMOBILE WILL BE CLOSED SATURDAY, DECEMBER 24 FOR CHRISTMAS EVE

THE IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY AND BOOKMOBILE WILL BE CLOSED DECEMBER 25 & 26 IN OBSERVANCE OF CHRISTMAS DAY

THE IOWA CITY PUBLIC LIBRARY
OPEN 10 AM - 5 PM
THE BOOKMOBILE WILL BE CLOSED SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31 FOR NEW YEAR’S EVE

If you are a person with a disability who requires special assistance, please call (319) 356-5200 in advance of a program.