

OCTOBER

Iowa City Public Library

Adult and Teen Calendar



● Registration Required

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Adult Program

Teen Program (ages 12 - 18)

SUNDAY
12 pm - 5 pm

MONDAY
10 am - 9 pm

TUESDAY
10 am - 9 pm

WEDNESDAY
10 am - 9 pm

THURSDAY
10 am - 9 pm

FRIDAY
10 am - 8 pm

SATURDAY
10 am - 6 pm

TEEN HANDS-ON JOURNALISM WORKSHOP

OCTOBER 4TH AND 11TH
TEEN CENTER OR ZOOM 6:00 - 7:00 PM



Family History Month

Explore your family history this month with our genealogy classes!

<p>3 Iowa City Math Club Meeting 2 PM - 4 PM Meeting Room D</p>	<p>4 Around the World in 80 Plates 4:30 PM - 5 PM Teen Center</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Teen Hands-On Journalism Workshop 6 PM - 7 PM Teen Center or Zoom ● Premiere Pro for Beginners 7 PM - 8 PM Digital Media Lab 	<p>5 The Rainbow Room 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Meeting Room B</p>	<p>6 ● Introduction to Genealogy 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM Digital Media Lab</p>	<p>7 ● Scanning Basics 2 PM - 3 PM Digital Media Lab</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Using Ancestry.com for Genealogy 7 PM - 8 PM Digital Media Lab 	<p>8 English Conversation Club 10 AM - 12 PM Meeting Room E</p> <p>IWP International Authors Panel 12 PM - 1:30 PM Meeting Rooms A, B, & C</p>	<p>9 ● Make a Book Nook: Work Session 11 AM - 12 PM Digital Media Lab</p>
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<p>17 Iowa City Math Club Meeting 2 PM - 4 PM Meeting Room D</p>	<p>18 Around the World in 80 Plates 4:30 PM - 5 PM Teen Center</p> <p>Why Anne Frank Still Matters: An Obermann Conversation 5 PM - 6 PM Zoom Event</p>	<p>19 The Rainbow Room 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Meeting Room B</p>	<p>20</p>	<p>21 ● This is America: The 1619 Project for Teens 5 PM - 6 PM In-Person or Zoom Event</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Getting Started with Libby 6 PM - 7 PM Digital Media Lab 	<p>22 English Conversation Club 10 AM - 12 PM Meeting Room E</p>	<p>23</p>
Iowa City Book Festival						
<p>24</p> <p>31 Iowa City Math Club Meeting 2 PM - 4 PM Meeting Room D</p>	<p>25 Around the World in 80 Plates 4:30 PM - 5 PM Teen Center</p> <p>Teen Halloween Scavenger Hunt 6 PM - 7:30 PM Teen Center</p>	<p>26 Teen Halloween Minute to Win It 5 PM - 6 PM Teen Center</p> <p>The Violet Realm 6 PM - 8 PM Meeting Room B</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Let's Talk Books: Horror 7 PM - 8 PM Zoom Event 	<p>27 The Buddy Dispatch Friend Matching Service for Teens 6 PM - 7 PM In-Person or Zoom Event</p>	<p>28 ● ICPL Teen Works Initiative: Fundraising & Public Relations 6 PM - 7 PM Teen Center</p> <p>Zombie Film: <i>Shaun of the Dead</i> (adults only) 7 PM - 9 PM Meeting Rooms A, B, & C</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Photo Book Basics 7 PM - 8 PM Digital Media Lab 	<p>29 English Conversation Club 10 AM - 12 PM Meeting Room E</p> <p>IWP International Authors Panel 12 PM - 1:30 PM Meeting Rooms A, B, & C</p> <p>Teen Halloween Bash 5 PM - 7 PM Meeting Rooms A, B, & C; Teen Center</p>	<p>30 ● Make a Book Nook: Final Session 11 AM - 12 PM Digital Media Lab</p>

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Hours: Mon-Thurs 10-9, Fri 10-8, Sat 10-6, Sun 12-5

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CLASSES

PREMIERE PRO FOR BEGINNERS

● *Monday, Oct. 4, 7 - 8 PM, Digital Media Lab*
Get started with Adobe Premiere Pro, the professional-level video editing software that's available to you in the library's Digital Media Lab.

INTRODUCTION TO GENEALOGY

● *Wednesday, Oct. 6, 10:30 - 11:30 AM, Digital Media Lab*
Come learn what questions to ask, where to start searching, and how to keep track of the information you find. We'll get you started on your search!

SCANNING BASICS

● *Thursday, Oct. 7, 2 - 3 PM, Digital Media Lab*
Have a stash of photos or other memory-filled documents? Why not scan them so you can make sure they last forever? Learn how to scan documents, photos, film, and slides using the equipment available to you in the library's Digital Media Lab.

USING ANCESTRY.COM FOR GENEALOGY

● *Thursday, Oct. 7, 7 - 8 PM, Digital Media Lab*

MAKE A BOOK NOOK: WORK SESSION

● *Saturday, Oct. 9, 11 AM - 12 PM, Digital Media Lab*
We'll provide some supplies and staff will be on hand to answer your questions and problem-solve with you. Bring any special miniature items you'll need to customize your unique bookshelf insert!

INTRODUCTION TO DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

● *Thursday, Oct. 14, 6 - 8:30 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C*
Join us for an introduction to D&D geared specifically for adults. Led by an experienced Dungeon Master, we will learn about characters and how the game works, then play our first session.

PHOTOSHOP FOR BEGINNERS

● *Thursday, Oct. 14, 7 - 8 PM, Digital Media Lab*
Join library staff for an introductory hour on the industry standard in photo editing and digital art! You'll get comfortable with Photoshop's interface, learn how to open or create a new document, and begin making basic edits.

GETTING STARTED WITH LIBBY

● *Thursday, Oct. 21, 6 - 7 PM, Digital Media Lab*
This in-person class will cover downloading the free app, logging in for the first time, browsing for magazines or the thousands of ebooks available, and managing your checkouts.

PHOTO BOOK BASICS

● *Thursday, Oct. 28, 7 - 8 PM, Digital Media Lab*
We'll discuss the best photo book companies and demonstrate their usability, design options, and pricing. Get your hands on a few sample books to compare the quality of the printing and binding.

MAKE A BOOK NOOK: FINAL SESSION

● *Saturday, Oct. 30, 11 AM - 12 PM, Digital Media Lab*
Ready to finish up your book nook and show it off? Bring your own supplies or use ours for any finishing touches you need, and then we'll enjoy a hot beverage and view everyone's creations.

DISCUSSIONS

COMMUNITY CONVERSATION: ORACLES OF IOWA CITY

● *Saturday, Oct. 2, 4:30 - 6 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C*
Join us for a conversation about the Oracles of Iowa City mural project. Representatives from the project will be on-hand to discuss the project and its powerful messages, both now and beyond.

BYOBOOK: WE HAVE ALWAYS LIVED IN THE CASTLE

● *Tuesday, Oct. 12, 7 - 9 PM, Zoom Event*
Join us on Zoom to discuss Shirley Jackson's "We Have Always Lived in the Castle." A wonderfully gothic tale full of hauntings real and imagined, as endearing as it is unsettling, and perfect for the month of October.

LET'S TALK BOOKS: BIOGRAPHIES & AUTOBIOGRAPHIES

● *Tuesday, Oct. 12, 7 - 8 PM, Zoom Event*

WHY ANNE FRANK STILL MATTERS: AN

OBERMANN CONVERSATION

Monday, Oct. 18, 5 - 6 PM, Zoom Event
In this conversation, we'll consider Anne's legacy and the ways her experience as a refugee, a person in hiding, an advocate for human rights, and a joyful creative spirit can speak to new generations.

LET'S TALK BOOKS: HORROR

● *Tuesday, Oct. 26, 7 - 8 PM, Zoom Event*

OTHER PROGRAMS

ENGLISH CONVERSATION CLUB

Fridays, 10 AM - 12 PM, Meeting Room E
Practice your English skills in a fun and informal group! Join us Friday mornings to practice conversations skills, learn new expressions, improve your pronunciation, and meet new friends from around the world.

THE RAINBOW ROOM

Tuesday, Oct. 5 & 19, 6:30 - 8:30 PM, Zoom
The Rainbow Room focuses on literature through an LGBTQIA+ lens and provides opportunities for LGBTQIA+ writers to share and write in a safe, supportive, and creative space.

EXPUNGEMENT & EMPLOYMENT BARRIERS RESOURCE CLINIC

Thursday, Oct. 7, 4 - 7 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C
The City is working with Iowa Legal Aid to provide a clinic aimed at alleviating the burdens of juvenile and criminal legal involvement

IWP INTERNATIONAL AUTHORS PANEL

Friday, Oct. 8, 15, & 29, 12 - 1:30 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C
The International Authors series provides an opportunity for the community to meet and converse with writers from around the world who are the 2020 Writers in Residence at the University of Iowa International Writing Program.

THE VIOLET REALM

Tuesday, Oct. 12 & 26, 6 - 8 PM, Zoom
Come join your fellow fantasy and science fiction writers for a two-hour write-in session. We'll come together and provide prompts, topic discussions, and the chance to write freely with Iowa City's literary community.

ZOMBIE FILM: SHAUN OF THE DEAD (ADULTS ONLY)

Thursday, Oct. 28, 7 - 9 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C
Halloween isn't just for kids! If you're over 18 and want to get in the Halloween spirit, join us for a screening of the Halloween Zombie classic comedy *Shaun of the Dead*.

TEENS

IOWA CITY MATH CLUB MEETING

Sunday, Oct. 3, 17, & 31, 2 - 4 PM, Meeting Room D
The goal of ICMC is to engage high (and middle) school students with proof-based mathematics and help them build a strong foundation in math.

AROUND THE WORLD IN 80 PLATES

Mondays, 4:30 - 5 PM, Meeting Room D
Head over after school to the Teen Space to learn how to make a quick snack inspired from a different culture and country every Monday. Learn some basic meal prep techniques and powerful flavor combos.

TEEN HANDS-ON JOURNALISM WORKSHOP

● *Monday, Oct. 4 & 11, 6 - 7 PM, Teen Center or Zoom*
If you love to write, are interested in joining the school newspaper, or just want to learn more about journalism, sign up for this program. No experience is necessary.

THE BUDDY DISPATCH FRIEND MATCHING SERVICE FOR TEENS

Wednesday, Oct. 13, 27, 6 - 7 PM, In-Person or Zoom Event
The program is meant to allow teens to meet new friends and facilitate meaningful conversations between buddies by providing them with thought-provoking discussion topics to base their letters on.

ICPL TEEN WORKS INITIATIVE: RESUME WORKSHOP & MOCK INTERVIEWS

Thursday, Oct. 14, 6 - 7 PM, Teen Center
ICPL is here to help you get hired! ICPL Teen Works Initiative includes helping you with your resume, giving you practice with mock interviews and showcasing people in our community who already work in areas you're thinking about working in.

THIS IS AMERICA: THE 1619 PROJECT FOR TEENS

● *Thursday, Oct. 21, 5 - 6 PM, In-Person or Zoom Event*
This is America is a monthly program for 12-18 year old's interested in exploring different stories and lived experiences of everyone who calls themselves American.

TEEN HALLOWEEN SCAVENGER HUNT

Monday, Oct. 25, 6 - 7:30 PM, Teen Center
Solve petrifying puzzles, find harrowing hidden objects and complete chilling challenges while exploring parts of the Ped Mall. Compete for bragging rights and a Team trophy as the winners of the first ever annual Teen Halloween Scavenger Hunt!

TEEN HALLOWEEN MINUTE TO WIN IT

Tuesday, Oct. 26, 5 - 6 PM, Teen Center
Two teams, five challenges, one winner. Head over to the Teen Center for a fast-paced, Halloween inspired Minute to Win It.

TEEN ICPL WORKS INITIATIVE: FUNDRAISING & PUBLIC RELATIONS

● *Thursday, Oct. 28, 6 - 7 PM, In-Person or Zoom Event*
Get a feel for different careers from community members who work in different fields! Each month we'll feature two community members from a different employment sector. This is a great way to find out what a job is really like.

TEEN HALLOWEEN BASH

Friday, Oct. 29, 5 - 7 PM, Meeting Rooms A, B, & C, Teen Center
Flash your fangs, tighten that neck bolt or put on that Superhero suit! Join us in full costume costume for dancing, food, music, games and a Halloween costume parade.

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