



Family Story Time



Wednesday, Aug. 6 and 13
10:30-11:30 a.m.

Stories, art activities, rhymes,
singing and fingerplays
for the whole family.
Ages 0-6.

I didn't know
my library
had this!

SCHOLASTIC
Teachables

FREE with your
Pierce County Library card



FREE access to activity sheets and
teacher-created lesson plans in a
variety of subjects and themes
for Pre-K through Grade 8.

Crafts • Games • Puzzles
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Classroom management tools

More info: esources.pcls.us

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YOUR library card saves **YOU** money!

Enjoy a variety of free services
from **YOUR** Pierce County Library System!

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

Thanks to the Pierce County Library Foundation
and Friends of the Milton/Edgewood and Fife Libraries
which support many of these events and classes.

* Registration required at mypcls.org/calendar

August Events

Attend in-person
and virtual events!

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at mypcls.org/calendar.

Visit mypcls.org/calendar
for more Library events
and information.

FREE

Seattle Reptile Guy

Friday, Aug. 1
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Get up close with
fascinating creatures
from the world of reptiles,
amphibians and insects.
Ages 3-18.



ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS

Hybrid Scribblers' Society:
Writing Workshop*

Friday, Aug. 1, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Get together with other writers to write,
edit, critique and discuss. Attend virtually
or at the Sumner Pierce County Library.

Virtual Talk Time: English Conversation
for ESL Learners*

Tuesdays, 10-11 a.m. and
Thursdays, 6-7 p.m.

Learn, connect and practice English
language skills. For ESL learners and
English speakers wanting to connect.

Virtual Author Talk with Dr. Jay Falk*



Tuesday, Aug. 5
11 a.m.-noon

Author Dr. Jay Jinsing Falk discusses
his new book "The Bird Book:
The Stories, Science, and History
of Birds." In partnership with the
Library Speakers Consortium.

Digital Skills Class

Tuesday, Aug. 5, noon-3 p.m.

Learn basic digital skills from trained instructors.

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Drop-In Tech Help



Tuesday, Aug. 5
2:30-4:30 p.m.

Bring your questions and
devices, and staff will help
with basic tech issues.
Laptops also available.

Crafternoon

Friday, Aug. 8



3-4:30 p.m.

Make and decorate triskele paper globes.
All supplies provided. Ages 9 and up.

Virtual Poetry Circle*

Saturday, Aug. 9

3-4:30 p.m.

Share poems you love, poems you're currently
reading or poems you have written.

Virtual Adultish Book Club*



Tuesday, Aug. 12
5-6 p.m.

Read and discuss the monthly
young adult or new adult
book club pick. Ages 16 and up.
August: "Highly Suspicious and
Unfairly Cute" by Talia Hibbert

More EVENTS inside

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Hybrid Story Hour(ish)*
Wednesday, Aug. 13
6-7 p.m.

A story time for grown-ups.
Attend virtually or at the Bonney Lake
Pierce County Library.


Virtual Author Talk
with Casey McQuiston*



Wednesday, Aug. 20
4-5 p.m.

Author Casey McQuiston discusses their new book "The Pairing."
In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

Milton/Edgewood Book Club
Thursday, Aug. 21
1-2 p.m.



Read and discuss a different book every month. Books available at Milton/Edgewood Pierce County Library Help Desk.

Virtual Meditation Practice Group*
Wednesday, Aug. 27
6-7 p.m.



Join us for a meditation practice group for new and experienced meditators.

All Ages

SUMMER READING

Summer OF Stories

June 1-Aug. 31

Pierce County Library System & Foundation

More info: summerreading.pcls.us

ADULT CLASSES AND EVENTS continued...

Virtual Author Talk
with Dr. Tasha Eurich*



Thursday, Aug. 28
11 a.m.-noon.

Author Dr. Tasha Eurich discusses her new book "Shatterproof: How to Thrive in a World of Constant Chaos."
In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium.

Legal Help Pop-Up
Thursday, Aug. 28
2-4 p.m.



Drop-in information and legal assistance related to landlord-tenant and family law from experts at Tacomaprobono.


TEEN EVENTS

Seattle Reptile Guy
Friday, Aug. 1
11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.



Get up close with fascinating creatures from the world of reptiles, amphibians and insects.
Ages 3-18.

Teen Monday
Monday, Aug. 4 and 18
3:30-5:30 p.m.




Hang out in an inclusive space with snacks, crafts, games and more.
Ages 13-18.

- Aug. 4: Collage bookmarks
- Aug. 18: Tiny paintings

TEEN EVENTS continued...


Virtual Dungeons & Dragons*
Friday, Aug. 8 and 22
3:30-5:45 p.m.



Make a character and join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure.
Ages 13-18.


YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS

Play Time at the Library
Tuesday, Aug. 5
10:30-11:30 a.m.




Meet other parents in the community with young children.
Ages 0-6.

Music & Movement
Monday, Aug. 11
11 a.m.-noon



Enjoy stories, songs and dancing!
Ages 2-6.

Kid's Crafter-noon
Tuesday, Aug. 19
1-2:30 p.m.



Choose from a variety of imaginative, playful and fun craft projects to cut, color, collage, construct and create.
Ages 5-12.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS continued...



STEAM Building Party
Friday, Aug. 8
11 a.m.-noon

Design, build and explore using blocks and more!
Ages 5-12.

Why STEAM?

STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math) learning builds critical thinking skills and grows the next generation of innovators.

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Check Out Washington!

FREE with your Pierce County Library card

Borrow a backpack to enjoy and learn from the outdoors:



- Discover Pass for access to most state lands and all state parks.
- Binoculars.
- Field guides to help you identify local birds, flowers and trees.
- Maps of local state parks.

More info: mypcls.org/learn-explore/discover-pierce-county

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