

April Events

Hybrid Navigating Medical Bills*

📅 **Tuesday, April 14, 5-6 p.m.**

Learn how to build a strong financial foundation and grow your financial future. Attend virtually or at the Graham Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.



Virtual Author Talk with Miranda Cowley Heller*

📅 **Wednesday, April 22
11 a.m.-noon**

Award-winning and bestselling author Miranda Cowley Heller discusses the intimate

journey through the life stages of a woman in her new poetry collection "What the Deep Water Knows." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Drop-In Database Discussion and Help*

📅 **Monday, April 27, 5-6:30 p.m.**

Learn more about how information is created and organized. Develop your skills in finding, evaluating and using information in your day-to-day life. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Author Talk with Jason Reynolds*

📅 **Thursday, April 30, 4-5 p.m.**

Enjoy a virtual conversation with bestselling author Jason Reynolds on his latest work, "Coach." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.



TEEN CREATIVE SPACE

Join other teens to explore art, media and creative projects. Come try new ways to express yourself, build your confidence and connect with your creativity. Find a program near you at mypcls.org/calendar

Programs and events are not affiliated with the school district.

Thanks to the Pierce County Library Foundation and Regional OPSS Friends Group which support many of these events and classes.

ADULT EVENTS



Free Tax Prep

**Thursday, April 1 and 6, 1-6 p.m.
and Saturday, April 4
10:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m.**

The Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) volunteer program offers free tax help to people with moderate and limited incomes, persons with disabilities and limited English-speaking taxpayers who need assistance in preparing their own tax returns. By appointment only.



English Language Learning Class

Wednesdays, 1-3 p.m.

Learn and practice English language skills with tutors from the Tacoma Area Literacy Council.



Conversation Café: Current Events*

Thursday, April 16, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Join us for thoughtful conversation and community connection.

Connecting Books and Circle Time Activities*

Saturday, April 18, 10 a.m.-noon

Explore some favorite books for circle times along with specific activities or extensions that support and correspond with each book. Earn two STARS credits.

TEEN EVENTS



Hangout

Thursday, April 2 and 16, 4-5:30 p.m.
Stop by to hang out, try something fun or just take a break. Ages 13-18



Hand Sculpting with Clay*

Tuesday, April 7, 3-5 p.m.

Learn how to hand-sculpt and paint your own clay object. Ages 13-18.



In Stitches Circle

Tuesday, April 7, 4-5:30 p.m.

Bring a project or learn a new craft. Ages 13-18.



Teen Council: Use Your Voice*

Thursday, April 9 and 23, 4-5:30 p.m.

Help plan events, give feedback and speak up about what teens want from their library. Volunteer hours and connection included. Ages 13-18.

YOUTH AND FAMILY EVENTS



Discovery Lab: LEGO® Building Club Friday, April 3, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Drop in to build, create and play with LEGO® bricks. Recommended for ages 6-12 due to choking hazards.



Cuentos Bilingües/ Bilingual Story Time Monday, April 6, 13 and 20 10:15-11:15 a.m.

Lunes, 6, 13 y 20 de abril
10:15 a 11:15 a.m.

Disfruta libros bilingües, rimas, canciones y arte en la biblioteca! Edades 0-6.

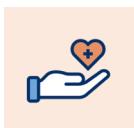
Enjoy bilingual books, rhymes, songs and art at the library! Ages 0-6.

Words in Bloom: A Poetry and Dictionary Celebration for Kids Monday, April 6, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Celebrate Poetry Month and receive a free new dictionary!

Play to Learn with Greentrike Tuesday, April 14, 21 and 28, 10:30 a.m.-noon

Participate in a play-based program with songs, stories and open-ended activities that support early learning through play and caregiver connection. Ages 0-6.



Health is Wealth Wednesday, April 15 and 29, 4-6 p.m.

Join Safe Streets for youth-led activities to strengthen life skills, social-emotional learning skills and healthy decision-making, all while having fun! Ages 9-18



Story Time for Mixed Ages Thursday, April 16, 23 and 30 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Stories, songs and movement activities for young children and their caregivers. Ages 0-5.



Story Time for Babies Friday, April 17 and 24 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Songs, rhymes and stories just right for babies and their caregivers. Ages 0-2.

Read with a Daffodil Princess Saturday, April 18, 2-3 p.m.

Enjoy a visit from a Daffodil Princess! Princesses will read stories, talk with children and be available for photos. Ages 3-12.



Día de los Niños/Day of the Children Monday, April 27, 10:30 a.m.-noon Lunes, 27 de abril, 10:30 a 12 p. m.

Ven a Celebrar Día de los Niños con nosotros con música, libros y más actividades divertidas! Edades 0-12.
Join us for a fun time with music, books, and other activities to Celebrate Children's Day! Ages 0-12.

VIRTUAL EVENTS

Virtual Talk Time*

🗨️ 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 with and support ESL learners. Ages 13 and up.

Virtual Teen Council: Use Your Voice*

🗨️ Wednesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.

Help plan events, give feedback and speak up about what teens actually want from their library. Volunteer hours and connection included. Ages 13-18.

Virtual Cuentos Bilingües/ Virtual Bilingual Story Time*

🗨️ Thursdays, 7-7:35 p.m.

Jueves, de 7:00 a 7:35 p.m.

¡Venga en pijama a disfrutar de libros bilingües, canciones y más antes de ir a dormir! Edades 0-6.

Join in your pajamas and enjoy bilingual books, songs and more before bedtime! Ages 0-6.

Hybrid Learning to Use Libby*

🗨️ Wednesday, April 1, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Learn how to use your library card on Libby to check out e-books, audiobooks and other digital materials. Attend virtually or at the South Hill Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.



Virtual Author Talk with Valerie Neal*

🗨️ Thursday, April 2, 11 a.m.-noon

Join us for a journey through the history of U.S. women astronauts with Valerie Neal, emerita curator from the Smithsonian's National Air and Space Museum and expert on human spaceflight. In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

Hybrid Food Waste Prevention*

🗨️ Thursday, April 2, 4:30-6 p.m.

Discuss ways to help prevent food waste through tips that will also save you money and help protect our environment with Pierce County Environmental Education. Attend virtually or at the Eatonville Pierce County Library. Ages 18 and up.

Virtual Dungeons and Dragons: The Ongoing Campaign*

🗨️ Friday, April 10 and 24, 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Join fellow teens on a gothic horror adventure. Ages 13-18.

Virtual Author Talk with Brad Taylor*

🗨️ Tuesday, April 14
4-5 p.m.

Enjoy a virtual conversation with acclaimed author Brad Taylor on his latest work, "Shadow Strike." In partnership with the Library Speakers Consortium. Ages 18 and up.

