Registration Information

We have lots of exciting programs happening this winter at the Attleboro Library! While all of our programs are free, most require registration. In order to register for a program, go to attleborolibrary.org, hover the Events tab at the top of the page & then click on the Calendar of Events link. Go to the day of the program you are interested in & follow the registration link. For most programs, registration opens the first day of the previous month. (ex: registration for Feb dates opens Jan 1)

Birth-Kindergarten

Read, Sing & Play
Tuesdays 1/14-3/31 @ 10:00
For ages birth-3 years & their adult

Budding Bookworms
Wednesdays 1/15-3/25 @ 3:00
For kids ages 3-5 years & their adult
Songs, stories and playtime for babies & toddlers.
Siblings welcome
Weekly Registration Required
NOTE: No program on 2/18

A love of reading is one of the most important gifts you can give your child. Early literacy skills help prepare children for school success. Join us each week for stories, songs & an activity.
Siblings welcome
Weekly Registration Required
NOTE: No program on 2/19

STEAM Saturday
Saturdays 1/18, 2/15 & 3/28 @ 10:30
For ages 3-5 & an Adult

The Attleboro Public Library and Project Connect are teaming up to bring kids in preschool & kindergarten a monthly “STEAM Saturday” program. We will exploring STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Math) concepts and doing hands-on activities for some of our youngest patrons and their adults.
To make sure everyone stays safe and focused, we are asking that NO younger siblings join us during this program.
Registration Required

Sensory Play

Thursdays 1/9, 2/6 & 3/5 @ 6:30-7:30
For ages 3-6 years & their adult

Be prepared to get a little messy! Drop in with your to explore, encourage, and engage in Sensory Play! We will have tubs and more filled with wonderful things to touch and experience. End the evening with a story.
No Need to Register—just drop in during the hour
Kindergarten-6th grade
Family Makers
Saturdays 1/4, 2/1 & 3/14 @ 10:30
For Families of ALL AGES
Process art is all about the experience children have while they’re creating. If it has a nice end product, that’s great, but the end product is NOT the focus of process art. We will offer a variety of materials for you to create anything you would like. Some weeks it will be art supplies, some weeks it will be cardboard building & some weeks it will be technology. NO NEED TO REGISTER—just drop in during the hour and get ready to create!

Lego Club
Mondays 1/13, 2/10 & 3/9 @ 5:00-6:30
For kids in grades K-6
The APL hosts monthly Lego Club meetings. We meet once a month to build, create, meet new friends and have fun. No need to sign up, just drop in any time during the 90 minutes. If you would like more information, please contact the Children’s Room at 508-222-7820 or e-mail Mrs. Brown at attleborokids@sailsinc.org

Tail Waggin’ Tutors
Saturdays 1/4, 1/18, 2/1, 2/15, 3/14 & 3/28 @ 9:00, 9:20 & 9:40
For READERS ages up to 14 years
Kids of all ages are invited to make an appointment to read to a certified therapy dog! Reading to a nonjudgmental, patient listener can give children the encouragement they need to improve their reading skills. The child’s confidence will grow in this relaxed environment. The dogs are at the library 9:00-10:00 starting in September. Kids read in 20 minute increments and the only requirement is that the child MUST be able to read (beginning readers are welcome). Registration Required

Parent/Child Book Group
Mondays 1/27, 2/ 24 & 3/23 @ 7:00
For kids in grades 2-4 & an Adult
Great books, fun discussion and snacks! This FREE program is for children in grades 2- 4 and an adult. We meet once a month on a Monday at 7:00 for a book discussion at the library. Each month is a different book and you can pick up your copy in the Children’s Room.
Tweens & Teens

Sock Monkeys Book Club
Wednesday 1/22 & 2/19 @ 6:00
For kids in grades 5-8
Youth in grades 5-8 are welcome to join us for the middle school book club! Copies of the books will be available in the Children's Room.
Registration required

Teen Book Club
Friday 1/17 & 2/28 @ 3:30
For kids in grades 9-12
Youth 13 & up are invited to join us for snacks & great conversations about books! You can pick up a copy of the book in the Children's Room.
Registration Required

High-Tech Club
Wednesdays 1/29 & 2/5 @ 6:00-7:00
For kids in grades 5-12
During the meetings, participants will practice coding, programming & other tech skills using robots, computer kits, iPads & more! Please note that this program does not include formal instruction, tech toys are available for participants to play with & learn
Registration Required
PLEASE CALL us at 508-222-7820 to Register

Photography Club
Thursday 1/2 @ 6:00-7:00
For kids in grades 5-12
Have a middle or high schooler who loves to take photos and wants to learn how cameras work and develop their eye? Have them join our photography club! Youth are encouraged to bring their own device to use (cell phone camera, digital camera etc) and/or take turns using the photography club's DSLR camera. Each session participants will learn new skills, practice and discuss photography with other youth!
Registration Required

One Up Games--Open Gaming
Thursday 3/3 @ 1:00-4:00
Kids in grades 3-8
Sponsored by the Friends of the Attleboro Library, this open game play event will be presented by One Up Games. Sign up for a 30 minute time slot & join us for an afternoon of gaming!

We expect this program to be extremely popular, and for that reason you **MUST register** for a time slot. Participants are allowed **ONE** 30-minute slot during this program.

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**February Vacation Week**

**Engineering Challenge**

*Tuesday 2/18 @ 10:00*

*For kids in grades 1-4*

Join us for this exciting STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) program! During this program, kids will use everyday materials to build their own "Marshmallow Blaster!"

Registration Required

**STEAM Tools Playground**

*Tuesday, February 18, 2:30-4:00*

*Grades 1-8*

Stop by the Library and play with some of our fabulous STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, Math) toys! Robots, K'nex, Tanagrams, Spin art and more!

**No registration required**, just drop in anytime during the 90 minutes.

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**Harry Potter Party**

*Friday 2/21 @ 2:30-4:00*

*Grades 2-8*

Youth in 2nd through 8th grades are welcome to join us for a Harry Potter
party! There will be lots of fun Harry Potter themed activities, participants may dress up in themed clothing or costumes if they wish!

Registration Required

Parents Book Club

**Wednesdays 1/22, 2/26, 3/25 @ 7:00**
This is a very casual, social environment for parents who love to read.
Contact Amy Rhilinger for more information or if you are interested in joining our email list.
January's title is *Out Of My Mind*
February's title is *Small Great Things*
March's title is *You Think It, I'll Say It*

*Out of my mind*
by Sharon M. Draper

Considered by many to be mentally retarded, a brilliant, impatient fifth-grader with cerebral palsy discovers a technological device that will allow her to speak for the first time

*Small great things : a novel*
by Jodi Picoult

When her reluctance to treat the newborn of a white supremacist couple results in the child's death, a black nurse is placed on trial and is aided by a white public defender who urges her not to bring up race in the courtroom

*You think it, I'll say it : stories*
by Curtis Sittenfeld

Presents a collection of ten short stories that feature both new and previously published pieces, including "The World Has Many Butterflies," in which married acquaintances play an intimate game, with devastating consequences