

PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS

Evenings at the Library

Every month the library hosts programs in the afternoons and evenings. These programs vary in content and intended audience. Some of the programs are come-as-you-can and others are limited through required registration. **Look to our calendar for program details or sign up for our electronic newsletter on social media.**

Pajama Storytime in English for Families—Second Thursdays

Wear your comfy jammies and join us 7:00-7:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of each month in 2020 for Family Pajama Storytime. Bring the whole family for fun stories, songs, and laughter. Juice and cookies are provided after the program.

Pajama Storytime in Spanish for Families—Third Thursdays

Bring the whole family for stories, songs, and laughter—all in Spanish—on the third Thursday of the month. Wear your comfy jammies and join Mrs. Colon and Mrs. McCarthy, Dobbs teachers, from 7:00 to 7:30 p.m. Juice and cookies will be provided after the stories for a great ending to the day!

Pawsitive Reading with *Love on a Leash* (LOAL)

Rockwall County Library and Love on a Leash Pet Therapy invite you to read with the dogs. Doggy reading companions are at the Library two afternoons and one evening of most months to listen to a story read by an independent reader. Sign up at the Youth Services Desk for a 15-minute time slot to participate.

Teen Tuesdays

Teens (grades 7-12): Join us at 4:15 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month for a FREE fun activity or craft. Check the calendar for the month's activity or call the Youth Services Desk at 972-204-7740. Teen Tuesday is for grades 7-12 ONLY.

OTHER RESOURCES

BOOK LISTS: The Youth Services department has 100+ books lists to share. Lists are available by topics, subjects, genres, awards, and by age groups.

POP-UP BOOKS: Bring your library card to the Youth Services Desk to enjoy one of our pop-up books while at the Library. These elaborate books cannot be taken home but can be read and browsed while visiting us.

QUESTIONS? CALL THE YOUTH SERVICES DESK AT 972-204-7740

For the latest news, find us on social media!

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Blog: rockwallcountylibrary.org

Instagram: [@rockwallcotxlibrary](https://www.instagram.com/rockwallcotxlibrary)

STORYTIME SESSIONS FOR 2020

Winter Session 2020: January 27, 2020-March 6, 2020

Spring Session 2020: March 23, 2020-May 1, 2020

Summer Session 2020: June 8, 2020-July 24, 2020 (SCHEDULE MAY VARY)

Early Fall Session 2020: September 8, 2020-October 16, 2020

Late Fall Session 2020: October 26, 2020-December 4, 2020

Baby Bounce (Infants to about 12 months)

Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m.

A structured interactive time for babies and their parents or caregivers. Lots of rhymes, music, and touch. **Continuous adult participation is required.**

Walking Ones (ages 12-24 months): Ticket required

Fridays at 10:15 a.m. AND at 11:15 a.m.

Music, sensory activities, and short books followed by a social time for the adults and children. **Continuous adult participation is required.** This popular storytime is limited to 30 children per session. Pick up a ticket at the Youth Services "Ask Me" desk starting at 10:00 a.m. on program days.

Terrific Twos (ages 2 & 3)

Mondays and Wednesdays 10:15 a.m.

Stories, songs, and fun for ages 24 months and up. Parents/caregivers are required to attend and encouraged to participate.

Preschool Time (ages 3-6)

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays 11:15 a.m.

For children ages 3-6, a 30-minute program of stories, songs, rhymes, and some silliness usually followed by a craft project that reinforces the storytime theme.

Good Listeners (ages 4-8)

Wednesdays 1:30 p.m. (ends by 2:30 p.m.)

Strictly ages 4 and up. A 45- to 60-minute program of stories, songs, activities, and a craft project for good listeners ages 4 and up. Parents with younger children will need to supervise them outside the programming room.

Programs are planned with age-appropriate books and activities for the target group; please attend the one that best fits your child's developmental stage.