




DECEMBER 2023

Children's
Program
Calendar

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
<p>♦ Registration is required unless indicated otherwise.</p> <p>♦ Registration for IN-PERSON programs opens on Dec. 1.</p> <p>♦ Registration & pick-up for each KIT begin on the day the kit is listed on the calendar.</p> <p>♦ Register for programs and kits at the library, or online at southcountry.librarycalendar.com or by phone at 631-286-0818 x2.</p> <p><i>We cannot accept registrations by email.</i></p>			 <p>Elf on the Shelf Contest continues through Dec. 23. Find Twinkle the elf in the Children's Dept. and get entered into a raffle. One entry per child per day.</p>		<p>1</p> <p>Registration for December IN-PERSON programs opens at 9:30 am. Register at the library, online, or by phone at 631--286-0818 x2.</p> <p>* Registration is required unless otherwise noted.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>Card-Making Craft DROP-IN, no registration Children AND an adult 10:00 am - 12:00 pm</p> <hr/> <p>Craft KIT Giveaway All ages, no registration, while supplies last</p>
<p>4</p> <p>Cotton Ball Polar Bears KIT [3-5 years] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p>	<p>5</p> <p>Hanukkah Craft KIT [K-5th] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>Toddler Storytime series IN-PERSON [18-35 months AND an adult] 10:15-11:00 am</p>	<p>6</p> <p>Wood Slice Ornaments IN-PERSON [K-5th] 6:00—6:30 pm</p>	<p>7</p> <p>Baby Start series IN-PERSON [newborn - 17 months AND an adult] 10:00 -10:30 am</p> <hr/> <p>Storycraft for Littles series IN-PERSON [3-5 years AND an adult] 4:30—5:00 pm</p>	<p>8</p> <p>Snowman Paper Plate Craft KIT [K-3rd] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p>	<p>9</p> <p>Craft KIT Giveaway All ages, no registration, while supplies last</p> <hr/> <p>Green Screen Holiday Photos 10:00am-4:00pm <i>See back for details.</i></p>	
<p>11</p> <p>Ugly Sweater Collage KIT [3-5 years] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>LEGO® Club IN-PERSON [K-5th] 6:00—7:00 pm</p>	<p>12</p> <p>Toddler Storytime series IN-PERSON [18-35 months AND an adult] 10:15-11:00 am</p> <hr/> <p>DIY Holiday Ornaments IN-PERSON [2d-5th] 6:30—7:00 pm</p>	<p>13</p> <p>Little Builders Construction Zone IN-PERSON [3-5 years AND an adult] 10:30—11:00 am</p> <hr/> <p>Homemade Holiday Gift IN-PERSON [K-5th] 6:30—7:00 pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p>Baby Start series IN-PERSON [newborn - 17 months AND an adult] 10:00 -10:30 am</p> <hr/> <p>Storycraft for Littles series IN-PERSON [3-5 years AND an adult] 4:30—5:00 pm</p>	<p>15</p> <p>Christmas Tree Craft KIT [2.5-5 years] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>Family Holiday Movie & Pajama Party 6:30pm - 8:30pm <i>This program is being run by the Adult and Young Adult Depts, and registration opened on Nov. 23. Check for availability.</i></p>	<p>16</p> <p>Craft KIT Giveaway All ages, no registration, while supplies last</p> <hr/> <p>Family Gingerbread House IN-PERSON [One per family] 2:00-3:00 OR 3:30-4:30 Please only register for one session</p>	
<p>18</p> <p>Craft Stick Frame Ornament KIT [Pre-K-5th] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>Disguise a Gingerbread Man IN-PERSON [K-3rd] 6:00—6:30 pm</p>	<p>19</p> <p>Kwanzaa Craft KIT [K-5th] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>If I Lived in a Snow Globe Story & Craft IN-PERSON [K-3rd] 6:00—6:30 pm</p>	<p>20</p> <p>SANTA EXTRAVAGANZA DROP-IN, no registration No registration. All ages. Drop in between 5:00 - 6:30 pm</p>	<p>21</p> <p>Storycraft for Littles series IN-PERSON [3-5 years AND an adult] 4:30—5:00 pm</p>	<p>22</p>	<p>23</p> <p>Craft KIT Giveaway All ages, no registration, while supplies last</p> <hr/> <p>LAST DAY of Elf on the Shelf Contest</p>	
<p>25</p> <p>Library closed for holiday</p>	<p>26</p> <p>Choose Your Craft! IN-PERSON [K-5th] 4:00—4:30 pm</p>	<p>27</p> <p>Mother Goose at Home KIT [Newborn - 2.5 years] Registration & pick-up begin on this day</p> <hr/> <p>Bad Art Night IN-PERSON [K-5th] 6:00—6:45 pm</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Tween Movie Night 6:30pm - 8:30pm In-person</p>	<p>29</p> <p>Playdough Fun! DROP-IN, no registration [Children AND an adult] 10:00 am- 12:00 pm</p> <hr/> <p>Pajamas and a Movie (Super Mario Bros.) IN-PERSON K - 5th AND an adult] 3:00—5:00 pm</p>	<p>30</p> <p>Craft KIT Giveaway All ages, no registration, while supplies last</p>	



Find Hanukkah, Kwanzaa and winter crafts on our December program calendar.



Family Gingerbread House

Registration for the **in-person Family Gingerbread House** opens on December 1 at 9:30 am.

One house per family, so only sign up once.

Saturday, December 16
from 2:00-3:00 pm

OR
3:30-4:30 pm.

This program usually fills up quickly!



Green Screen Holiday Photos

Saturday, December 9, 10:00 am - 4:00 pm
No registration. First come, first serve.

Get your holiday photos taken here. Choose from preselected backgrounds. Each family will receive digital images via email.

Photos will be taken by library staff, not professional photographers.

Please do not wear green as it interferes with the screen.

No pets, please.

This program is being run by the Young Adult Librarian.



Santa Extravaganza

Wednesday, December 20
between 5:00 - 6:30 pm
All ages, no registration required!

This wonderful event allows kids to meet Santa in a low-key atmosphere. Children can play with the library toys near Santa until they feel comfortable enough to meet Santa and you can snap a photo.

We also have crafts, a gingerbread house play tent, hot cocoa and cookies. Come see why families have made this event part of their holiday traditions.



Elf on the Shelf Contest

Twinkle the elf will only be here until December 23rd. So find the elf each time you visit the library and we'll enter you in a raffle. One entry per child per day. Winner will be randomly selected and notified after Christmas.