

# teens + tweens Library Events

 bedford public library

Summer 2025

for teens



**Saturday, May 24**  
**3 to 4 p.m. | Ages 13-18**

Celebrate the end of the school year and unwind by hanging out with therapy dogs and eating tasty treats! First come, first served. Therapy dogs will be at the program, please do not bring any pets.



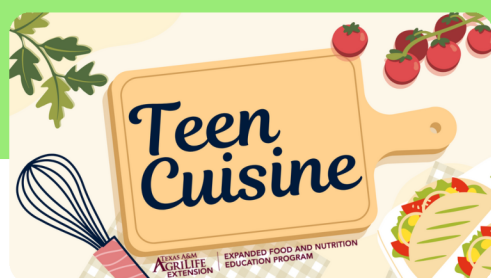
**Sunday, May 25, June 8, July 13**  
**2 to 4 p.m. | Ages 13-18**

Teens, writer and former English teacher Diane Versocki will help guide you in your creative writing pursuits! Bring your ideas and creativity and meet other teen writers in the process.



**Saturday, June 14**  
**2 to 3 p.m. | Ages 13-18**

Teens, let's dive into summer by creating tie-dye beach towels. Towels and dye will be provided but supplies are limited, so don't miss out.



**Wednesday, June 18 & 25, July 2, 9, 16, & 23 | 2 to 3 p.m. | Grades 6-12**

Learn important life skills to promote optimal health in the present and future. Learn about nutrient-dense foods, nutrition labels, following a recipe, and more.



**Saturday, June 28 | 2 to 3:30 p.m.**  
**Ages 13-18 | Registration required**

Participate in this guided workshop focusing on creating realistic facial features in a fun collage format with artist Laura Lester. Teen artists will create one of a kind pieces.



**June 11 at 6 p.m. | June 21 at 1 p.m.**

This class is for adults and teens, ages 13+, who have never touched a sewing machine or need a review. Make a shopping bag while you learn the basics. The Library owns 10 machines. First come, first served.



**Saturday, July 12 | 2 to 3 p.m.**  
**Ages 13-18**

Teens, are you eager for some festive fun before Christmas? Join us for ornament decorating and enjoy some holiday treats to help you get to December. First come, first served.



**Monday, July 21 | Ages 13-18**  
**Registration required**

Henna artists from Charms of Henna will be giving henna tattoos. Each registrant will receive one henna tattoo. *Timeslots available for registration are 5:30, 6, 6:30, or 7 p.m.*



**Saturday, May 17, June 21, July 19**  
**2 to 4 p.m. | Ages 13-18**

Teens, meet up with fellow Dungeons and Dragons enthusiasts. All skill levels are welcome. This is a self-led program. Snacks will be provided!

# for tweens



**Tuesdays, June 3 through July 22**  
**11:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. | Ages 4-12**  
 Mad scientists will demonstrate basic science principles with experiments. Free tickets are required and will be given out in the lobby 15 minutes before the event. \*Camps & daycares: large group attendance is limited to ten children.



**Wednesday, June 4**  
**6 to 7 p.m. | Tweens & kids**  
 Puppy raisers from Canine Companions will bring their trained dogs to discuss the many uses of service dogs. They will read a story and explain the difference between service dogs, emotional support animals, and therapy dogs.



**Monday, June 16 & July 21**  
**10:15 to 11 a.m. | Ages 6-12**  
 This is the story of a library program, where we read about educational topics. The kids all did fun activities together, in the hope that the idea sticks. This is how we became the Brainy Bunch! The Brainyyyyy Bunch!



**Monday, June 9**  
**6:30 to 7:30 p.m. | Ages 9-12**  
 Get creative and use an assortment of items including shells, paint, glasses, and more to decorate starfish to look like groups of star-people!



**Monday, June 16 | Ages 9-12**  
**Registration required**  
 Tweens, get a funny caricature of yourself drawn in real time by a professional artist from DFW Funny Business. Time slots available for registration are 5:30, 6, 6:30, or 7 p.m.



**Thursday, July 17 | 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.**  
**Free tickets required**  
 Bring any future meteorologists by for a fun presentation with pictures and videos from real storm chasers! There will be demonstrations on the science behind different weather phenomena. Groups limited to 10 kids.



**Monday, June 23 | 6 to 7 p.m.**  
**Ages 5-12**  
 Make eco-friendly poppers and salt-painted fireworks to celebrate Independence Day! There will be a concurrent adult program in the adjoining meeting room if parents would like to participate in a craft while their children do as well.



**Monday, July 7 | 6:30 to 7:15 p.m.**  
**Ages 9-12 | Registration required**  
 Tweens will have 30 minutes to draw Piper the parrot! An animal caretaker from All About Animals will point out special features on Piper for the artists to focus on and allow for close up looks. There will be a photo session afterward.



**Thursday, July 31 | 3 sessions**  
**Ages 4-12 | Tickets required**  
 Learn all about bees from a local beekeeper. A honey tasting will follow each presentation. There will be three 20-minute group sessions. Free tickets are required and will be given out in the lobby at: 2, 2:30, & 3 p.m. - 30 min. before each session.

## HOLIDAY HOURS

**Memorial Day**  
**May 26**  
**Closed**

**Independence Day**  
**July 4**  
**Closed**

**Labor Day**  
**September 1**  
**Closed**

## MORE EVENTS

\*Family Game Night: May 22, 6:30-7:15pm, Kids & tweens  
 \*Creation Station: Thursdays, 3-7pm, Ages 12 & under  
 \*Pokémon Club: May 19, June 30, 6:30-7:30pm, Ages 7-12  
 \*Rock Painting: July 24, 6:30-7:30pm, Ages 3-12



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