In response to public health measures High River Library is pausing in-person events. Programs will move to online platforms and take-home kits. Please check out our events page for the most up-to-date information.

The safety of our patrons and staff is our top priority. Masks are required for everyone over the age of 2 at the library and we ask that you stay home if you feel sick or have COVID-19 symptoms. (https://www.alberta.ca/covid-19-public-health-actions.aspx)



Pre-School (0-5)

Story Time

Stories, fingerplays, and crafts for ages 3-5. Tuesday 10:30-11:15pm.

STREAM JR.

Ages 3-8. Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art, & Math-themed activities. Every 2nd Tuesday 2:30-3:00pm and Saturday from 11:00-11:30am starting Sep. 7/11.

Mighty Mess

Ages 3+. Explore arts and crafts and make mighty creations! Every 2nd Tuesday 2:30-3:00pm and Saturday from 11:00-11:30am starting Sep. 14/18.

Animal Alphabet Adventures

Ages 0-4. Work your way through the alphabet with animal friends. Wednesdays from 10:30-11:00am and 11:15-11:45am starting Sep. 8.

Story Time with Santa

Join us for Story Time with Santa. There will be stories, songs, fingerplays and a craft, all with a very special guest! Tuesday, Dec. 7, 2021 Two time slots available: 10:30am and 11:30am.

School-Age (6-11)

S.T.R.E.A.M

Science, Technology, Reading, Engineering, Art, & Math themed activities. Every 2nd Tuesday starting Sep. 7/11.

Good Questions

Book club for youth age 6 and up. We explore stories and ask meaningful questions about how they relate to our lives. Every second Thursday from 4:00-4:45pm starting Sept. 9. (except Nov. 11 and Dec. 23).

Magnificent Masterpieces

Ages 8+. Explore arts and crafts and make masterpieces! Every 2nd Tuesday starting Sep. 14/18.

Fall for Fine Arts

Ages 5-10. Learn about the masters of art and their techniques, and create a masterpiece. Every 2nd Tuesday from 6:30-8:30pm starting Sep. 14.

Story Walks

Enjoy a story while taking a stroll through the park!
"Get Me Another One!" by Robert Munsch - Sunshine Lake, Sep. 28-Oct. 26.

Crafts and Chemistry

Join us for Crafts and Chemistry and discover some cool experiments! Every Saturday from 12:30pm-1:15pm. For ages 8-13.

Teens (12-17)

Roll/Play

D&D role-playing game for ages 12-17. Open to beginners and experts. 2nd Thursday of every month from 6:30-8:30pm (except Nov. 11).

BYOB - Bring Your Own Book

A book club without any assigned readings or deadlines - read whatever you want. 3rd Thursday of every month from 6:30-8:30pm.

Outside the Lines

Safe space for 2SLGBTQ+ youth and allies to work on their art, eat snacks, and hang out. In-person and online options available. 1st Wednesday of every month from 5:30-7:00pm

Art Explorers

Discover different art and craft techniques. For ages 12+. Saturdays starting Sep. 18 from 2:00-3:00pm

Adults (16+)



Get Your Geek On

Geeky hobbies just for adults. Check out a new theme every month and try some related activities. 4th Thursday of every month from 6:30-8:00pm.

Monday Night Book Club

New members welcome. 4th Monday of every month from 7:00-9:00pm.

Adult Art Night

Ages 16+. Wednesdays starting Sep. 15 from 7:00-9:00pm.

Chair Yoga

Learn gentle postures and relaxation techniques in-person or on Zoom. Wednesdays from 1:00-2:00pm and Fridays from 10:15-11:15am starting Sep. 1/3

Friends of the High River Library 50-50 Draw

Enter the Friends' 50-50 draw for a chance to win some amazing prizes! \$5 per ticket. Draw on Dec. 3

All Ages

Makerspace

Explore and create at your own pace. There is no wrong way to create with Makerspace! Fridays on school PD days starting Sep. 17 from 1:00-4:00pm.

Game ON!!

Drop by for some board games! Sessions vary by age, check the events calendar for details

Writers' Cafe

It's National Novel Writing Month! Join our Writer's Cafe through Zoom to chat about your projects and hang out with other writers. November 2 & 16 from 6:00pm-7:30

November 12 & 26 from 1:00pm-2:30pm



Fall Online Reading Challenges

Register for reading challenges for all ages with the Beanstack app for iOS or Android or with highriverlibrary.beanstack.org. Register today!

1000 Books Before Kindergarten

Enjoy reading 1,000 books with your little one! Log reading and earn badges all along the way.

100 Books Before Graduation

Read 100 books before graduating, log your reading in Beanstack, complete challenges, and earn a new set of badges! Ongoing challenge starting Sept. 1, 2021.

Fall in Love With Reading

Log all of the minutes you spend reading to earn badges in this fall-themed challenge! This challenge runs from Sep. 22 to Dec. 21, 2021.



Online Services

Visit highriverlibrary.ca to access the following resources on your phone or tablet FREE with your library card!



LinkedIn Learning

An educational site with thousands of video courses to help you develop your business, creative, and technology skills.

Pronunciator

An online language learning system providing 160+ language courses (including ASL) and English courses taught in the user's native language.

Hoopla

Hoopla offers over 500,000 titles available to stream instantly ranging from movies, TV episodes, full-length music albums, eBooks, comics, and audiobooks.

Libby

Collection of eBooks and audiobooks for all ages including popular fiction and non-fiction. App available on the App Store and the Google Play Store

Ancestry

Ancestry Library Edition brings the world's most popular consumer online genealogy resource to your library.

ConsumerReports

ConsumerReports.org provides trusted information to help you make smart purchasing choices.

cloudLibrary

Collection of eBooks and eAudiobooks for all ages including popular fiction and nonfiction. Borrow up to ten titles at a time.

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