



Library Matters July 2020

Bryant Branch Library
Esper Branch Library

Curbside service is open!

Tuesday, Wednesday &
Thursday
2:00pm-6:00pm

Saturday
10:00am-2:00pm

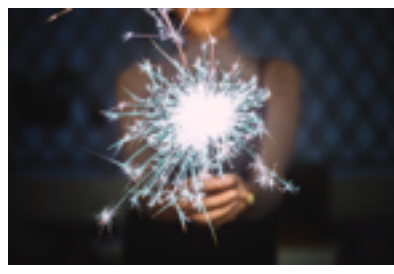


The Dearborn Public Library is working to restore services, one step at a time.
[Welcome to Phase One: Curbside Pickup.](#)

Please continue checking the [website](#) and our various social media outlets for updates. You may also message the library through social media ([Twitter](#), [Instagram](#), or [Facebook](#)) or [email](#).

For City updates, visit <http://cityofdearborn.org/covid19>.

Adult Events



July 4: Holiday Closure

All Dearborn Public Library services will be closed Saturday, July 4th in recognition of Independence Day.

We will reopen our curbside service on Tuesday, July 7th from 2:00pm-6:00pm.

Have a great holiday!



Save Your Story: Share your COVID-19 experience with us

Entries will be accepted through October 1, 2020

The COVID-19 crisis has affected every person in our community. As we live through this historical moment, we hope to save and preserve our community's personal stories, experiences, and artwork related to the Coronavirus, social distancing, and quarantine. [We invite you to share your story with us via the forms found here.](#)

At the end of this project, we will submit all entries to the Library of Michigan and the Dearborn Historical Museum to provide future historians, researchers, and students with information and data on life in Michigan communities during the COVID-19 pandemic. Entries can be submitted anonymously by putting the word "Anonymous" in the Name field on the form. Items will be reviewed and subject to approval by the Dearborn Public Library.



All Ages: Summer Reading

June 1 - August 22

Sign up for our summer reading program. Keep track of your reading and complete fun activities to earn prizes.

[You can log your reading online with Beanstack, our reading tracker.](#)

#ImagineYourStory



Classics Revisited: Plague Literature

Wednesday, July 15, 7:00pm

Online, via Zoom

For "plague literature" meetings, please read anything about plagues, whether fiction or non-fiction and ask: How does it help us understand what is happening now?

[This discussion will be held via Zoom. Click to join the discussion.](#)

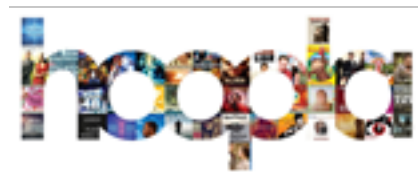
Or, call +1-929-205-6099 and type in the meeting ID: 930-7898-7825, followed by the # sign.



Featured Resource: Driving Tests

[Available for free online](#)

Practice tests for car tests, motorcycle tests, CDL tests as well as FAQs and handbooks.



Hoopla: more borrows, endless entertainment

Stream movies, music albums, and audiobooks with your Dearborn Public Library card. **Patrons now have an increased limit of 15 borrows each month.**

They are available to borrow for instant streaming or temporary downloading to your smartphone, tablet and computer.



Teens: MI Library Quest

Calling all teens! Embark on a virtual adventure in search of items to slay the bronze dragon. Plus, you can earn fun prizes!

Visit www.Mi.gov/MiLibraryQuest for details. Grades 7-12.

[Click here for our full calendar of events in July](#)

Youth Events

Ages 5-12: Virtual Brick Builder Club

July 6 - 27

Join us for inspiration and challenges using your own Lego bricks from home. We will post challenges on Flipgrid and you can film a response using your smartphone, tablet, or computer with video capabilities.

Please fill out [this form](#) with a parent or guardian to register for the program.



Grab and Go Craft Kits

New crafts available weekly

July 6 - August 22

Two levels of crafting:

Kids: ages 5-10

Tweens/Teens: ages 11-18

All craft supplies are included, except scissors.
Limit: 5 total kits per car per pickup.

Call Bryant Branch or Esper Branch to reserve a kit for pickup!



All Ages: Storytime LIVE!

Online, Facebook Live

Tuesdays: 6:30pm

Thursdays: 10:30am

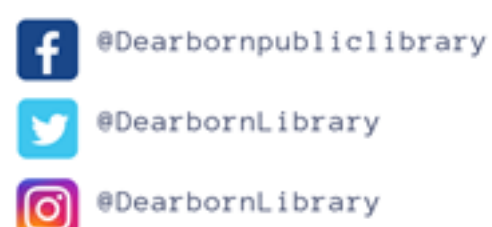
Tune in with us for some fun with stories, songs, and rhymes.



Stay updated with us on Social Media

You'll hear it first through one of our Social Media channels!

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[Click here for more information on Youth Services Programming](#)



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