



Get Ready for School with Plymouth District Library

As the new school year begins, we are here to support students, teachers, and families with a variety of resources. With over 212,000 books in circulation, a robust collection of online resources, and free tutoring services, we have everything you need to succeed. [Read the full article and list of resources here.](#)



NEW! Reading Retreat

RETREAT DATES: Saturday, Sept. 21 | 1-8pm and Sunday, Sept. 22 | 9am-5pm Savor the joy of discovery and the luxury of uninterrupted reading time during this relaxing, two-day retreat. Immerse yourself in a book nestled among our cozy library stacks, or take breaks throughout the day with activities designed to help you meet other readers in thoughtful discussion. Saturday will include an acoustic campfire performance after hours then come back Sunday morning and start the day with a light yoga session in the library's atrium before we open to the public. [Register today.](#)

Things to Know

Game Meet Up. Are you Interested? - Adults - Would you be interested to join in a **game-based meetup group at the library?** Please take a [quick four question survey \(with no obligation.\)](#) Tell us what games might interest you (mahjong, scrabble, pinochle, euchre, etc.) and when would be a good meetup time for you. Let's see what we can get started!

Labor Day - The Library will be closed Saturday, August 31 through Monday, September 2 for the Labor Day holiday. Our digital collections are available 24/7. We will reopen at 10am on Tuesday, September 3.



Your Library at Your Finger Tips

Easily search the collection, place holds, register for events, manage your account, and even check out materials directly from your phone! **[DOWNLOAD OUR NEW APP TODAY.](#)**

Upcoming Events and Activities

Books & Bites: August 21 | 7pm-8pm Join us to discuss a great YA read while eating some delicious snacks! Registrants receive a free copy of the book to keep, and who doesn't like free stuff. This time we will be reading the gripping and emotional novel *On a Scale of One to Ten* by Ceylan Scott. Age Group: Teens. [Registration required.](#)

Board Game Afternoon: August 24 | 1-4pm Spend a fun afternoon at the library with tabletop board and card games for adults, teens, and families with kids over 10! We'll provide the 2024 Origins Best Gateway Board Game Award winner Wandering Towers, as well as 15+ other games including Qwirkle, Forbidden Island, Ticket to Ride, and Scrabble, or bring your own.

Chess Class: August 24 | 3-4pm Interested in sharpening your chess skills? Join us for convenient and casual classes at the Plymouth District Library! This class welcomes participants of all ages and skill levels.

Play and Learn Storytime: September 3 | 10:30am-11:15am Join us for stories, songs, rhymes and more that encourage development of early literacy skills in young children. This storytime is perfect for children who prefer a cozy atmosphere. Recommended for ages 2-5 and their families.

Writing Group: September 3 | 1:30-3:30pm Whether you are working on your memoir, your novel, poetry or other writing, you are invited to join this meetup of fellow adult writers. No speaker or presentation is generally included in these meetings, just writers sharing their work and providing each other with support and feedback. [Registration required.](#)

Fall Festival: The Fairy Godmother of Music: September 7 | 12pm We are pleased to present "The Fairy Godmother of Music, Melissa Behring", an edu-tainment experience for young people based in music, storytelling and interactive fun activities. In case of rain, the performance will be moved to the library.

Go Green: Eco-friendly Burials: September 11 | 7-8:30pm No one likes to talk about dying, but it's something we need to discuss to prepare for our own deaths. Traditional burials are not sustainable, so come learn some other ways to tread lightly on the earth, even after you're gone.

More Events