



Fort Saskatchewan Public Library

# what's on @ FSPL

## SPRING 2026 PROGRAM GUIDE



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### Hours

- Mon-Thu: 9am - 8pm
- Fri: 10am - 6pm
- Sat: 10am - 5pm
- Sun: 1pm - 5pm

### Closed

- Fri, Apr 3 (Good Friday)
- Sun, Apr 5 (Easter Sunday)
- Mon, Apr 6 (Easter Monday)
- Mon, May 18 (Victoria Day)
- Fri, Jun 5 (Staff development day)

## The Library is the Place to Bee this Spring!



### Cram-a-thon

(grades 7 - 12)

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NOTE TO PARENTS: This is a drop in evening and youth will be free to arrive and leave the library on their own accord.



**Fri, May 22**  
**6:00 - 9:00 pm**

Drop In



**Our Mission:** Empowering Literacy, Community, and Connection

**Our Values:** We are committed to Community and Partnerships, Innovation, Intellectual Freedom, Literacy and Lifelong Learning, and Safe Space and Inclusion



# Welcome

## Library Giving Day

Donations of \$20.00 or more qualify for a tax-deductible receipt

### Give the Gift of Reading: Every Dollar Counts!

"Library Giving Day started as an idea generated by the Seattle Public Library Foundation.

#LibraryGivingDay is a one-day fundraising event with the **goal of encouraging people who depend on and enjoy public libraries to donate to their individual library system.** And in turn, that support will go toward the incredible programs, services and materials provided by local libraries all over the country."

-librarygivingday.org

While the official Library Giving Day is April 1, **we are fundraising from Apr 1 - 10, 2026.**

We also accept donations all year-round!



Help us fill the Library Giving Tree with leaves! Each donation adds a leaf to the tree and helps our Library thrive!

#### How to donate:

**Online**

Donate online on our CanadaHelps page [bit.ly/DonateFSPL](https://bit.ly/DonateFSPL) (or use the QR code).



**In Person**

Visit and give in person at the Fort Saskatchewan Public Library front desk (during our regular business hours).



### Name a Library Cart Competition!

JOIN THE FUN! Have you ever noticed on the sides of our book carts there's often fun library/cart themed names with a pop culture twist (e.g., Dolly CARTon, SHELFis Presley etc.)

**We have a cart with no name and are inviting our patrons to share their ideas!**

During our Library Giving Day week (April 1 - 10, 2026), come to the Library and write down a name idea for one of our library carts!

After we deliberate with our team, we'll share the top three picks at the end of April and have the public select their top choice! The winner will have their suggested cart name added to the side of the library cart shown in the photo to the left and will also win an FSPL tote bag!

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## Land Acknowledgement

The Fort Saskatchewan Public Library resides on Treaty 6 territory, the ancestral and traditional territory of the Nehiyawak, Dene, Blackfoot, Saulteaux, Nakota Sioux, Métis and many others. We respect and honour the distinct histories, cultures and traditions of the First Nations, Métis and Inuit and commit to providing services that enrich the lives of Indigenous peoples in our community and ensure Indigenous peoples are welcomed and well-represented at the Fort Saskatchewan Public Library.

## Reminders

- Reminder that children age 10 and under are not to be left alone in the library. **Please wait in the library while your child is attending a program.**
- Please note - while we do our best to confirm all our presenters, dates and times before launching this guide, changes can occur due to a variety of factors. **To see the most updated programming schedule, visit our programs calendar on [fspl.ca](http://fspl.ca).**
- **Snacks may be served at some of our programs**, including children's programs. Please check the program description or contact [fsasklib@fspl.ca](mailto:fsasklib@fspl.ca).
- **FSPL staff may take photos at events and programs** for use in our marketing materials (including FSPL social media accounts, print materials, press releases and reports).

## Why are Public Libraries so Important?

- Library cards are **FREE**
- We provide the public with **free Wi-Fi** and access to **public computers**
- We offer **free educational programming** for all ages
- We have **free one-on-one resume help** and **tech help**
- We offer **free books, CDs and DVDs**
- Affordable **3D printing**
- Affordable **printing and faxing**
- **Free E-Resources** (digital books, audiobooks, movies, music, magazines and newspapers)
- and so much more!

*Your support help us ensure we can continue meeting the needs of the Fort Saskatchewan community now and into the future!*



Fort Saskatchewan Public Library (FSPL) is a vibrant hub with a mission to empower literacy, community, and connection. We are a safe and inclusive space, championing intellectual freedom and providing access to knowledge, technology, and programs for lifelong learning opportunities at every age!

## How to Register for Programs



### Option 1:

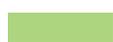
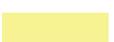
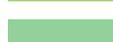
- **Online** at [fspl.ca](http://fspl.ca) (or use the QR code)

### Option 2:

- **Over the phone** by calling 780-998-4275

### Option 3:

- **In person** at the front desk

 0 - 9 mnths	 18 - 36 mnths	 families; children
 0 - 12 mnths	 2 - 5 years, families	
 6 - 24 mnths	 3 - 4 years	
 12 - 23 mnths	 3 - 5 years	



# Children

## Early Literacy Programs

### Baby Rhyme Time

**(0-12 months)**

This special time for young babies and their grown-ups encourages bonds through stories, songs, rhymes, bounces and tickles. This laptime program is ideal for babies not yet walking and runs for 30 minutes. Afterwards, attendees are welcome to stay, play, and visit. NOTE: This program is not designed for older siblings to attend.



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**April 13 - May 25**  
**9:30 - 10:00 am**

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### Fun For Ones

**(12 - 23 months)**

Building early literacy skills through weekly songs, stories, movement, and collaborative group play and activities. This program is intended for one year olds (ages 12-23 months) and their caregivers.



**Fridays,**  
**April 17 - May 22**  
**10:15 - 11:00 am**

Please Register  
NOTE: Registration is for the entire series.



### Toddler Play Time

**(18 - 36 months)**

Fostering pre-literacy through stories, creativity, play and music! This program is most suitable for children aged 18-36 months old and their caregivers. Siblings under the age of 4 years old are welcome to attend, but please register all children attending.



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### Alphabet Soup

**(3 - 5 years)**

Let's learn letters together! This program is designed to help children ages 3 to 5 develop school readiness through stories, letter recognition, and crafts. Caregivers are encouraged to attend to help support literacy skills and competencies such as listening, fine and gross motor skills, and following directions.



**Thursdays,**  
**April 9 - May 14**  
**9:30 - 10:15 am**

Please Register  
NOTE: Registration is for the entire series.



## Early Literacy Programs

### 1, 2, 3 Learn With Me

(3 - 4 years)

Looking for an early years program that is a bridge between Toddler Play Time and Alphabet Soup? Then 1, 2, 3 Learn With Me is the perfect fit! This fun morning offers stories, rhymes, songs, and concept learning through crafts and movement.



**Tuesdays,**

**April 7 - May 12**

**11:00 - 11:45 am**

*NOTE: Registration is for the entire series*



### New Parent Playdate

(0 - 9 months)

This casual play and chat meet-up is a great way to meet other new parents and discover what the library offers. During our time together, we will also run through a sampler of our popular Baby Rhyme Time program and go on a short tour of the library. Please register to guarantee a spot – drop-ins are welcome if space permits.



**Mon, June 8**

**1:00 - 2:00 pm**

*Please Register*



### Baby Rave!

(6 - 24 months)

Parents, your dancing days aren't over! You and your little ones can join us for our Baby Rave, an event sure to include lots of movement and fun. Join us for an exciting opportunity to build connections with other families, and get your groove on while you do! Note: This event is designed for babies 6-24 months of age (please make other arrangements for older siblings).



**Mon, June 15**

**10:00 - 10:45 am**

*Please Register*



## Family Programs

### Saturday Storytimes

(2 - 5 years, families)

Join us for these fun weekly Saturday storytimes that feature interactive stories, music, activities and simple crafts. These storytimes are suited for children 2-5 years old and their caregivers with siblings of other ages welcome to attend.



**Saturdays,**

**April 11 - May 30**

**10:30 - 11:15 am**

*Please Register for each Saturday that you will attend. Drop-ins are welcome if space and supplies permit.*



### Drop In: LEGO Wall

(families; children)

Let your imagination run wild during these self-guided afternoons where you can build and create using the library's LEGO and LEGO wall. Meet other families, have fun, and make new friends while building!



**Sundays,**

**Apr 12 - Jun 28**

**1:30 - 4:30 pm**

*Drop In*

*\*Not running Apr 26, May 24, June 14*



### STEMIE Sunday

(3 - 5 years plus caregivers)

Join us for this junior version of our popular STEM Sunday program, designed specifically for 3-5 year olds. This program is inspired by the work of the STEMIE Center in Early Education which supports innovation and inclusion in the areas of science, technology, engineering, and math. Our June theme is "Magnetism Magic" and will focus on magnets and how they work.



**Sun, Jun 14**

**2:00 - 3:00 pm**

*Please Register*



- ages 6 - 8
- ages 6 - 9
- ages 6 - 11
- ages 7 - 12

- ages 8 - 12
- ages 9 - 11
- ages 9 - 12
- ages 10 - 14



# Children

## School Age Programs

### Homeschool Club, Jr. Group

(6-9 years)

Discover, learn, and create! Join other homeschool learners for afternoons where fun, knowledge and creativity go hand-in-hand. Each month will feature a different topic from art and creating to science and technology.



#### Second Friday of the Month,

-Apr 10

-May 8

-Jun 12

2:00 - 3:00 pm

Please Register for each month that you will attend.

### Homeschool Club, Sr. Group

(10-14 years)

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-Apr 10

-May 8

-Jun 12

2:00 - 3:00 pm

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### Early Out Explorers: Jr. Group

(6 - 8 years)

The library is the place to be on early dismissal days! We'll have a rotating menu of awesome activities including things like cool crafts, imaginative LEGO and block builds, robotics, and a variety of board games to keep you entertained and inspired. A fun and casual opportunity to learn new skills, make friends, and have a blast.



#### Wednesdays,

Apr 8 - May 20

3:00 - 3:45 pm

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## E-Resource

Brainfuse HelpNow is an all-in-one suite of tutoring services designed for a wide range of academic needs - whether it's tackling a tough homework problem, mastering a particular topic, or writing a paper.

HelpNow services include expert academic tutoring and self-study tools to empower users to study at their own pace or collaborate with peers and instructors.

Great for kids in K-12, Brainfuse HelpNow is a helpful e-resource and is free for residents of Fort Saskatchewan with a FSPL Library card!



## Video Game Collection!



We now offer a collection of Nintendo Switch 1 & 2 games for Fort Saskatchewan residents to check out with an adult FSPL Library card! They are with our Bestseller Express items. The loan period is for one week and there's a replacement fee if a game is lost or damaged. Happy gaming!

According to the 2025 Power of Play report by the Entertainment Software Association of Canada, 74% of Canadian parents who play video games do so with their children, making library games a tool for family literacy and bonding!

-theesa.ca/powerofplay/



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## School Age Programs

### The Sprout Scouts

(8 - 12 years)

Green is good! Come celebrate Earth Day and learn all about plants and propagation! We'll also put our knowledge into practice with an exciting upcycled craft! Join us to learn about all the ways we can continue to love and care for our planet.



**Wed, Apr 22**

**3:00 - 4:00 pm**

*Please Register*



### Drop-In: Robot Maze Challenge

(7 - 12 years)

Drop by anytime between 2:00 and 3:30pm to try our Robot Maze and see if you can get out of the Library Labyrinth. There's a friendly robot waiting for you to guide it out of the dangerous maze! Please note: It will take most kids about 10 minutes to complete the maze. Depending on attendance, kids may have to wait in line for a turn and return to the line if they want to try the maze a second time.



**Fri, May 1**

**2:00 - 3:30 pm**

*Drop-In*

### Sphero Heroes

(9 - 12 years)

Learn to code with our rolling robots, Spheros! We'll be using codeblocks to program the spheros to roll through mazes, races, and bowling pins. New challenges each day!



**Jun 24, 25, & 26**

**10:30 - 11:30 am**

*Please register*

*NOTE: Please sign up for each individual day you wish to participate. Previous attendees are welcome to attend.*



### STEM Sundays

(6 - 11 years)

Looking for something fun and educational to do on the last Sunday of each month? Try our popular STEM (science, tech, engineering and math) program. Kids will have a chance to investigate and experiment through creative and fun STEM based activities. This program is best suited for 6-11 years old who can follow instructions and be respectful in a group setting.



**Sunday,**

**Apr 26 & May 24**

**2:00 - 3:00 pm**

*Please Register for each Sunday that you will attend.*



## Book a Class Trip to the Library!

Did you know we offer free tours of the Library for all grade levels. We can also come visit your class! Contact [youth@fspl.ca](mailto:youth@fspl.ca) for more information!

### In Class Visits (K-6)

- *Great Reads:*

Book talks and read alouds, as well as brief discussion on how the library works.

- *Ready, Set, Research:*

Learn how to use books and library databases to make your research reports shine. Includes age-appropriate methods of citing sources.

- *Just the Facts:*

Learn the difference between facts and misinformation as well as tips for staying safe online.

- *Library cards:*

We can also provide library cards for your class! We'll send a form for students to take home to be signed by a parent or guardian, process those forms at the library, and then bring back beautiful new cards to your students.

All for free!



-  10 - 17 years
-  10+ years
-  12 - 17 years
-  grades 7 - 12



## Tween & Teen Programs

### Cram-a-thon

(grades 7 - 12)

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*Drop In*



### Sugar & Shine for Mom

(10 - 17 years)

Create a sweet, spa-worthy gift just in time for Mother's Day! In this teen craft program, participants will mix and customize sugar scrubs using fun scents and colors. It's an easy, hands-on project that makes a thoughtful homemade gift. All supplies provided.

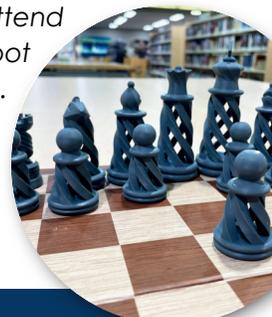
 **Fri, May 1**  
**1:00 - 2:00 pm**  
*Please Register*

### Chess at the Library

(10+ years)

Calling all chess players and those interested in learning chess! The library is providing a staffed space for adults and youth (ages 10+) who want to play chess. This is an opportunity for anyone interested to play so attendees should be prepared for a relaxed environment with a wide range of ages and skill levels. We encourage attendees to bring along a chessboard if they have one they are willing to share.

 **Fridays,**  
**- June 19**  
**- June 26**  
**3:30 - 4:30 pm**  
*NOTE: Please register everyone attending; please register for each week that you will attend in order to guarantee a spot at one of our chessboards.*



### Proud in Every Colour

(12 - 17 years)

Celebrate Pride Week in full colour! Teens are invited to create their own tie-dye socks in this hands-on, creative workshop. Experiment with bright colors and bold patterns to design socks that express your personality and pride. All supplies provided—no experience necessary!

 **Mon, Jun 15**  
**4:00 - 5:00 pm**  
*Please Register*



## Adult Programs

### For The Birds: Decorative Birdhouses

(adults)

Let your creativity take flight! Join us for a fun adult craft night where we'll decorate charming birdhouses perfect for you to display in your home. Whether you're feeling artsy or just want to unwind, this low-pressure workshop is all about creativity, color, and good company. All materials included. Medium difficulty.

 **Tue, Apr 14**  
**6:00 - 7:30 pm**  
*Please Register*



### Words from The Heart: DIY Keepsake for Mother's Day

(adults)

Create a meaningful Mother's Day keepsake using Scrabble tiles and simple design elements. In this adults-only craft program, you'll arrange words and phrases into a heartfelt piece Mom will treasure. No crafting experience needed—just bring your creativity. All supplies provided.

 **Mon, May 4**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
*Please Register*



### Plotting Your Paradise: Landscape Design Basics

(adults)

Dreaming of a landscape makeover? Get your hands dirty (metaphorically!) in this beginner-friendly design intensive. We'll guide you through the 'big three' of landscaping: design principles, proper scaling, and picking plants that actually survive in our climate. This interactive course lets you brush up on your drawing skills as you draft the first steps of your future garden. No experience required—just bring your imagination!

 **Thu, May 28**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
*Please Register*



### Understanding Gender Stereotypes - Presented by SACE

(adults)

In this interactive session, presented by the Public Education team of the Sexual Assault Centre of Edmonton, you will learn about gender stereotypes and how they play a role in sexual violence. Topics such as consent and coercion will also be discussed and the SACE team will share skills and resources for what to do if someone discloses to you that they've experienced sexual violence.

 **Tue, Jun 16**  
**6:00 - 7:30 pm**  
*Please Register*



### Pride in Every Piece: Polymer Clay Workshop

(adults)

Celebrate Pride Week with a hands-on creative workshop! In this adult craft program, you'll design and make polymer clay earrings or keychains that express your identity, creativity, and pride. Choose from colorful clay and simple shapes to create wearable or giftable pieces. All supplies provided—no experience necessary.

 **Wed, Jun 17**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
*Please Register*



## Adult Programs

### Sherwood Park Primary Care Network: Here for Your Health

(adults)

Not sure where to start when it comes to finding a doctor or reliable health information? Learn about the wide range of care, classes, and supportive health services available through the Sherwood Park Primary Care Network. In this session, you will learn how to connect with PCN health professionals, join free PCN classes, and discover a wide range of health and wellness resources. Session content will run about 45 minutes with time provided for Q and A.

 **Tue, May 5**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
Please Register



### Menopause Cafe Fort Saskatchewan

(adults)

Come join us for tea, snacks and great conversation about menopause. Menopause Cafes are discussion groups focused on breaking down the stigma around menopause and increasing awareness of its impact on those experiencing it. There are no preset agendas and discussion topics emerge and are shaped by folks attending. FSPL offers menopause cafes a few times a year - our meet-ups are open to everyone regardless of age or gender in an accessible, respectful and confidential space. More information about the international Menopause Café movement can be found at <https://www.menopausecafe.net>.

 **Tue, May 19**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
Please Register



### Drop-In English Classes

(In partnership with CALLS)

(adults)

Join instructors from CALLS to learn English on Thursdays from 6 - 8pm.

Phone/text 780-667-8441 for more information.

 **Thursdays,**  
**Apr 2 - Jun 25**  
**6:00 - 8:00pm**  
Drop In



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Fort Saskatchewan & Strathcona County

### Settlement Services for Newcomers to Canada

(In partnership with Edmonton Immigrant Services Association)

(adults)

This service is provided in partnership with the Edmonton Immigrant Services Association (EISA). Settlement Services Practitioners connect newcomers to available services and resources in the community.

**Register for Monday appointments with Nacereddine Lakhdari at**  
**NLakhdari@eisa-edmonton.org or 780-916-1533.**

For virtual and other appointment options, and for further information on this service, please contact EISA at 780-474-8445.

\*Not running May 18



### English Conversation Circle

(In partnership with CALLS)

(adults)

CALLS English Conversation Circles offer a comfortable place to practice English conversation skills in an informal group setting with other language learners as well as native English speakers. Phone/text 780-667-8441 for more info.

 **Mondays,**  
**Apr 13 - Jun 29**  
**6:30 - 7:30 pm**  
Drop In

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Community Adult Learning & Literacy Society  
Fort Saskatchewan & Strathcona County

## Adult Programs

### FSPL Evening Book Club

(adults)

Join other avid readers keen to discuss shared reads and all things books and reading! Our monthly evening book club is a great way to expand your reading tastes and get some unique recommended reading. Books are provided ahead of each meeting as copies permit. To join please email Kirsten Grahn at [kgrahn@fspl.ca](mailto:kgrahn@fspl.ca).



**Wednesdays,**

-Apr 8  
-May 13  
-Jun 10

6:30 - 7:30 pm  
Drop In



### FSPL Afternoon Book Club

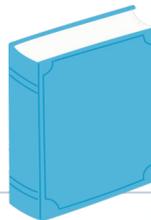
(adults)

Looking for a daytime book club? Join other avid readers keen to discuss shared reads and all things books and reading! Our afternoon book club is a great way to expand your reading tastes and get some unique recommended reading. Books are provided ahead of each meeting as copies permit. To join please email Kirsten Grahn at [kgrahn@fspl.ca](mailto:kgrahn@fspl.ca).



**Thursdays,**

-Apr 2  
-May 7  
-Jun 4  
2:00 - 3:00 pm  
Drop In



### Fort Saskatchewan Writers' Group

(adults)

The Writers' Group provides positive, constructive feedback and shares knowledge and thoughts on the craft of writing. All levels and genres are welcome. If you have an interest in writing, are already working on a writing project, or are interested in encouraging feedback then come join us! This group normally meets on the first Tuesday of the month.



**Tuesdays,**

-Apr 7  
-May 5  
-Jun 2  
6:30 - 7:45 pm  
Drop in



### Meet the Author: S. Victoria Nakamun on the Creative Process and Utilizing Self-Publishing and Social Media

(adults)

Just ahead of Pride Week, FSPL is pleased to welcome S. Victoria Nakamun. Author of the queer romantasy novel, *When Two Roads Meet*, Nakamun will speak on the creative process and share tips and strategies for writers looking to use independent publishing and social media tools effectively. This session will be of interest to both readers and writers.



**Tue, Jun 9**

6:30 - 7:30 pm  
Please Register

### Burn Your Sh\*t: The Life-Changing Magic of Rituals

(adults)

Join us on the full moon for a relaxed book discussion of *Burn Your Sh\*t: The Life-Changing Magic of Rituals* by Alberta author Lori Dyan! The book introduces simple rituals and manifestation as practical tools for letting go of old patterns and focusing your energy on positive change. We'll explore the book's ideas together, then head outside for a lighthearted group ritual to wrap up the evening.



**Mon, Jun 29**

6:30 - 7:30 pm  
Please Register

### Knitting and Crochet Circle

(adults)

Join other local crafters for conversation and work on your individual project. Crochet and knitting lessons are not provided. Please bring your own supplies.

*Thank you to our volunteers who run the knitting and crochet circle!*



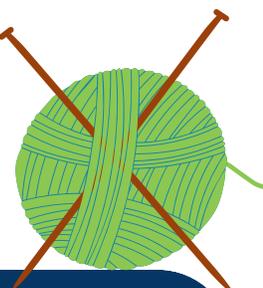
**Wednesdays,**

Apr 1 - Jun 24  
2:00 - 4:00 pm

**Fridays,**

Apr 10 - Jun 26  
2:00 - 4:00 pm  
Drop In

\*Not running June 5



## Adult Programs

### VIRTUAL: Investing in Crypto Currency

(adults)

Crypto has grown in popularity in the news, online and even in our social circles. Join us as we walk through what cryptocurrencies are, what they do and the major considerations and risks you should understand before investing. Presented virtually via Zoom by the Alberta Securities Commission.



**Tue, Apr 28**

**7:00 - 8:15 pm**

Please Register

### VIRTUAL: Financial Estate Planning

(adults)

Learn the basics of financial estate planning: what it is, who needs it, and why it matters. Explore planning steps to protect assets, reduce stress, and ensure your wishes are honoured. Presented virtually via Zoom by financial and estate planner, Kenneth Martin Doll.



**Wed, May 13**

**7:00 - 8:30 pm**

Please Register

### UNDERSTAND IT: Is It Real Or Is It AI?

(adults)

Artificial Intelligence is no longer science fiction. It's creating photorealistic images, mimicking voices of loved ones, and writing text that sounds perfectly human. This rapid change raises urgent questions: How do we discern truth in the digital age? What are the risks and opportunities of this new technology? Join us for a practical guide for the curious, the concerned, and the connected adult. No technical background required.



**Fri, Apr 17**

**4:00 - 5:00 pm**

Please Register



### Resume Tutor

(In partnership with CALLS)

(adults)

Unlock the potential of your career with our Resume Tutor, empowering individuals with the skills and knowledge to create impactful resumes and cover letters. Please bring your current resume and any job listings you want to apply for. Call 780-998-4275 to book your free, one-on-one appointment. *Availability varies; registration is required.*



**Tuesdays,**

**Apr 7 - Jun 30**

**11:00 am - 2:00 pm**

**Wednesdays,**

**Apr 1 - Jun 24**

**4:00 - 7:00 pm**

Call to register



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### Tech Help

(In partnership with CALLS)

(adults)

Need help learning how to use your device, the internet or social media? Book a one-on-one training session with one of our digital literacy experts! Call 780-998-4275 or register in-person at the front desk. *Availability varies; registration is required.*



**Mondays,**

**Apr 13 - Jun 29**

**1:00 - 3:00 pm**

**Thursdays,**

**Apr 2 - Jun 25**

**4:00 - 6:00 pm**

Call to register

\*Not running May 18



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### DISCUSS IT: What Are the Effects of AI on Our Planet?

(adults)

Artificial Intelligence promises to revolutionize our future, but its development comes with a significant cost. Come learn about the water used to cool the servers that train services like ChatGPT, the greenhouse gases emitted by cloud computing, and the electronic waste from specialized hardware. As we celebrate another Earth Day, many question whether the benefits of AI can ever outweigh its own substantial footprint?



**Fri, Apr 24**

**4:00 - 5:00 pm**

Please Register

