



THE GROUND FLOOR

April Downtown Library Teen Events Ages 12–19

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Teen Craft Club: Eclipse Wall Art

April 1 | 4–5 PM

Dive into a new craft project each month with other art lovers! This month, we'll be making eclipse wall art in preparation for the total solar eclipse on April 8.

Pizza Parley April 2 | 3:30–4 PM

Come for a discussion about relationships, dating, and other tough topics. Stay for the conversation and the pizza. *This program is in partnership with Middle Way House.*

Eclipse RPG

April 2 | 4–6 PM | Meeting Room 1C

Race against the dark of the moon! Join us for an exciting, eclipse-themed one-shot adventure. Premade characters will be provided. **Please register at mcpl.info/calendar.**

Math Homework Help

April 2, 16, 22, and 30 | 4–5:30 PM

Drop by The Ground Floor Study Room to get some homework help during these free, in-person sessions.

Homeschool Hangout Hour

April 3 and 17 | 2–3 PM

Calling all homeschool teens! Drop by The Ground Floor for a chance to hangout with other homeschoolers, do some crafts, play some games, or get some homework done.

Eclipse Escape Room April 3 | 4–5:30 PM

Help us celebrate the upcoming total solar eclipse on April 8. You and your team will have 30 minutes to solve a series of riddles, decipher the clues, and figure out how to escape! Do you have the brainpower and teamwork skills needed to win? Join us to find out! **Please register individually at mcpl.info/calendar.**

Teen Anime Night:

***The Fire Hunter* | April 4 | 6–9 PM**

Fullmetal Alchemist: Brotherhood

April 18 | 6–9 PM

Rangers of Shadow Deep

April 4 and 18 | 4–6 PM

Join us for *Rangers of Shadow Deep*, a D&D-like wargame. No experience required. Players will assemble a fully custom ranger miniature and work together to tackle adversaries and solve mysteries in the vast realm of *Shadow Deep*. This is an ongoing adventure. If you're interested in participating, please contact Sam Ott (sott@mcpl.info) or attend a Miniature Making program to get started. **Please register in-person.**

Character Creation Workshop: Multiclassing

April 9 | 4–5:30 PM | Meeting Room 1C

Need help creating characters? RPG rules can be intimidating. Come to the Downtown Library to get some help making characters and to get some inspiration. This month, we'll talk about how to approach multiclassing in *Dungeons & Dragons* and *Pathfinder*. We've got the books and the character sheets—you just bring your imagination!

RPG & Tea April 9 and 23 | 6–7 PM

Let's talk about RPGs! Join us to chat with other gamers and discuss role-playing game ideas and experiences.

D&D Club

April 10 | 4–6 PM | Meeting Room 2A

Drop in, adventure through fantastic realms, then leave whenever you'd like. These sessions of *Dungeons & Dragons* are designed to be short, fun, and evolving adventures that anyone can play. All skill levels are welcome.

Miniature Painting 101 April 11 | 4–5:30 PM

Come try your hand at miniature painting—we've got the minis, paints, brushes, and know-how. All skill levels are welcome.

Teen Art Hour April 13 | 2–3 PM

Bring your current art project and hang out with other teen artists! We'll chat about your art and inspirations, provide feedback, listen to some lofi music, and snack on Baked! cookies.

RPG Club: Pathfinder April 15 and 29

4–5:30 PM | Meeting Room 2A

Join us to traverse magical worlds in a fantastical adventure! This is an ongoing adventure. If you are interested in participating, please contact Claire (cspence@mcpl.info) or attend a Character Creation Workshop program for more information. **Please register in-person.** Note: This game will include some horror elements

The Lorax Viewing Party April 15 | 6–8 PM

Join us for a screening of Dr. Seuss' *The Lorax*. We'll get into the springtime spirit as we watch the movie while we enjoy snacks and good conversation.

3D-Printed Class Rings April 16 | 4–5 PM

Stop by The Ground Floor to design your very own 3D-printed class ring! **Please register at mcpl.info/calendar.**

Cosplay 101: Cardboard Armor

April 16 | 5–6:30 PM | Meeting Room 1C

Have you ever wanted to bring a favorite character to life? This month, we'll help you take your cosplay to the next level with cardboard armor and coats of arms.

Monsters & Mayhem

April 17 | 4–6 PM | Meeting Room 2A

April 24 | 4–6 PM | Meeting Room 1C

Ready to test your mettle against monsters and mayhem in a new RPG? These drop-in sessions will give players a chance to experience a different gameplay style than *Dungeons & Dragons* and face new challenges. All skill levels are welcome.

Exquisite Corpse Meme Poetry

April 22 | 4–5 PM

Join us as we celebrate National Poetry Month by using the exquisite corpse method to help us turn our favorite memes into one-of-a-kind poetry.

Teen Advisory Board April 22 | 5–6 PM

The Teen Advisory Board is your opportunity to guide the Downtown Library's programs and services! Help plan events, work on projects, and make the Library a fun and welcoming space for teens.

Sewing 101: Dice Bags April 23 | 4–6 PM

Have you ever wanted to make your own bags and purses? Join us to learn some basic sewing techniques. This month, we'll learn to make some simple dice bags and pouches.

Beat Saber Tournament April 24 | 4:30–6 PM

Think you have what it takes to be a *Beat Saber* champion? Drop in and find out!

One-Shot RPG Tournament

April 25 | 4–6 PM | Meeting Room 1C

Explore a variety of short and exciting games! Each session will be a new, self-contained adventure. Dice and characters will be provided. Anyone can play and all skill levels are welcome.

Books & Boba: Science Fiction April 27 | 2–3 PM

Join us for this book club where we'll enjoy boba drinks while we chat about various themed books. For this session, bring a science fiction book to chat about while you drink some boba tea. Boba from Bapu Fresh will be provided.

Día Day: Paper Alebrijes April 27 | 4–5 PM

Create your own colorful Alebrije—fantastical creatures used in Mexican folk art—using paper, markers, and your own imagination. All supplies will be provided. Feel free to drop by 1B/1C to enjoy more Dia Day events!

Super Smash Bros.™ Tournament

April 28 | 2–5 PM

Think you have what it takes to be the ultimate *Super Smash Bros.*™ champion? Drop in and find out! Please arrive promptly, as we will set the tournament bracket at 2 PM.

Joust!

April 30 | 4–5:30 PM | Meeting Room 1B/C

Wilt thou find victory astride thy noble steed in this grandest of tournaments, or suffer bitterest defeat?! Come one, come all and join us for a jousting game with pool noodles and inflatable hobby horses!

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otherwise noted.**



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