



# ADVENTURE BEGINS AT YOUR LIBRARY

Teen Summer Reading Program

June 1–July 31, 2024 | Ages 12–19



ADVENTURER'S NAME

CONTACT NAME AND PHONE

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# ADVENTURE LOG

**Instructions:** Log your points in the spaces provided below. Include the title of the book, graphic novel, manga, audiobook, program, or volunteer opportunity. Stop by the Downtown Library, Ellettsville Branch, Southwest Branch, or Bookmobile to pick up your prize! Each completed bonus section (on page 3) will grant you an extra entry in the drawing for one of three grand prizes!

- How to earn POINTS**
- ▶ Read for an hour (1 point per hour)
  - ▶ Read an entire book (1 point per book, graphic novel, or manga)
  - ▶ Listen to an audiobook (1 point per hour listened)
  - ▶ Attend a program (1 point per program)
  - ▶ Volunteer by helping any person or organization (1 point per activity)

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**Once completed, claim your prize  
at any location!**

# ADVENTURE LOG continued.

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**Once completed, submit another entry for the grand prize at any location!**

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# DISCOVERY LOG



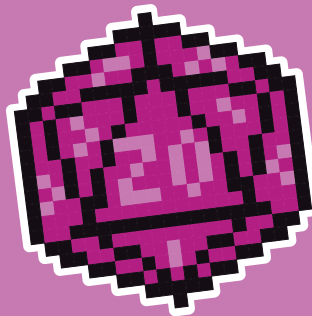
**Instructions:** Complete the following activities to earn Discovery Button Badges that you can pick up from any MCPL location.

Earn your first five points from the Summer Reading Log (on page 2).



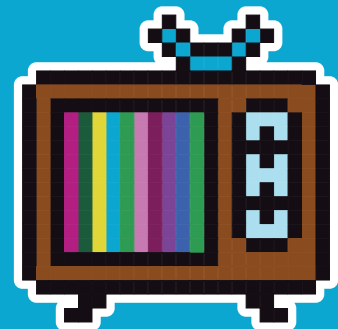
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Enjoy the great outdoors and go for a 10-minute walk.



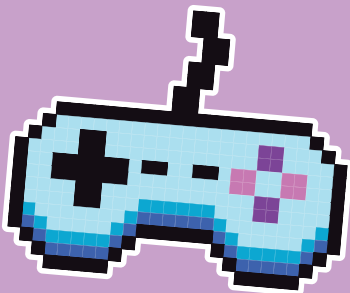
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Ask a staff member for a book, graphic novel, manga, movie, TV show, or video game recommendation.



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Earn your first ten points from the Summer Reading Log (on page 2).



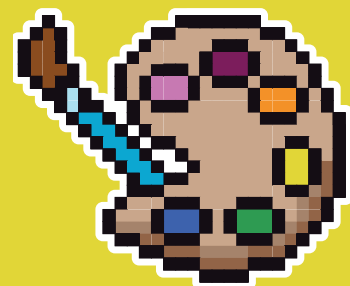
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Read a book, graphic novel, manga, or listen to an audiobook with a sci-fi or fantasy element in it. (See page 10 for recommendations.)



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Attend a program at any MCPL location or complete the coloring activity (on page 5).



Check when completed







# PROGRAMS

## ▼ Teen Downtown Programs

### Teen Craft Club: Galaxy Jars

**June 3 | 3–4 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**

Dive into a new craft project each month with other art lovers! This month, we'll be making galaxy jars. Ages 12–19.

### Miniature Painting 101

**June 6, July 18 | 2–4 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**

Come try your hand at miniature painting! We've got the minis, paints, brushes, and know-how. All skill levels are welcome. Ages 12–19.

### Alien Escape Room

**June 6 | 3:30–6 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**  
**Conference Room and**  
**Meeting Room 1C**

Celebrate our Summer Reading Program with an afternoon of fun and deduction. Can you defeat the aliens in time? Come and find out! Ages 12–19. **Please register at [mcpl.info/events](http://mcpl.info/events).**

### Know Your Glow

**June 7 | 7–9:30 PM**  
**Meeting Room 1B/C**

Join us for a fun and free after-hours glow stick and blacklight dance extravaganza! Ages 12–20.

### In-Person Among Us

**June 10 | 4–5 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**

Come help us figure out who the imposter is during a few rounds of in-person *Among Us*! Ages 12–19.

### Teen Anime Night

**June 13 and 27, July 11 and 25 | 6–9 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**  
**Conference Room**

Join us as we watch *Yuri on Ice* (June 13), *A Sign of Affection* (June 27), *The Boy and the Beast* (July 11), and *Shangri-La Frontier* (July 25). We'll chat, craft, and eat snacks. Ages 12–19.

### Graphic Novel Tea Time: Invisible Kingdom by G. Willow Wilson

**June 22 | 2–3 PM**  
**The Ground Floor**

An afternoon spent sipping tea and discussing graphic novels is time well spent! We'll be discussing *Invisible Kingdom*. Check out a copy from The Ground Floor or online with Hoopla. Ages 12–19.

### Epic Heroes D&D

**June 24, 25, 27, and 28**  
**2–5 PM**  
**Meeting Room 1B/C**

Go on an adventure of epic proportions in this special, high-level *Dungeons & Dragons* edition of our Summer Reading Program! Ages 12–19. **Please register at [mcpl.info/events](http://mcpl.info/events).**

### Space Knights RPG

**July 8 and 22 | 2–4 PM**  
**Meeting Room 1C**

Join us for a special RPG adventure through space, with knights, princesses, and jousting tournaments! Ages 12–19.

### 8-Hour Comic Book Day

**July 29 | 10 AM–6 PM**  
**Meeting Room 1B/C**

We're teaming up with Vintage Phoenix Comic Books for our annual celebration of comics and manga! Age 7 and up.



# PROGRAMS

## Teen Ellettsville Programs

### Teen Craft Club: Galaxy Jars

June 4 | 1–2 PM  
Teen Space

Are you a teen artist looking to connect with your community? Join us to show off your work, chat with fellow artists, and make some crafts. This month we'll be making galaxy jars. Ages 12–19.

### RPG Guild: *Starhold*

June 12 | 2:30–4 PM  
Meeting Room A

Get ready to explore the cosmos with other teens in this space-themed, one-shot RPG adventure. This program is designed to be short and fun for players of all skill levels. To learn more about *Starhold*, you may visit [starholdrpg.com](http://starholdrpg.com).

### Edible Architecture: James Webb Space Telescope

June 17 | 2:30–3:30 PM  
Teen Space

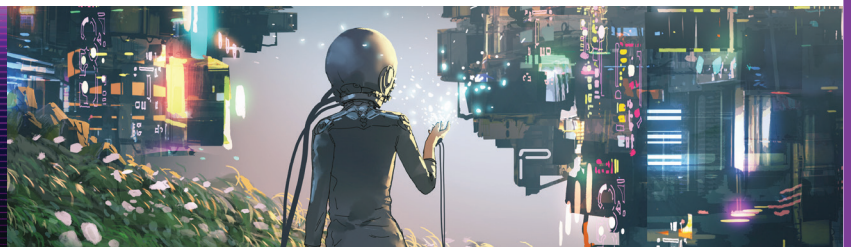
For this challenge, we'll create architectural structures using only edible supplies. The Opportunity Rover was active on mars from 2004 until 2018, well past its planned 90 day mission. Recreate this lovable robot with food! Ages 12–19.

### RPG Guild: *Stars Without Number*

July 10 | 2:30–4 PM  
Meeting Room A

Get ready to explore the cosmos with other teens in this space-themed, one-shot RPG adventure. This program is designed to be short and fun for players of all skill levels. This month we will play *Stars Without Number*. Ages 12–19.

## YA SCI-FI STAFF PICKS



Space is vast—and so is our selection of teen science fiction titles! We have books with epic space adventures, even more epic space battles, espionage, robots, cool tech, and foreign worlds.



“Stories can make someone immortal as long as someone else is willing to listen.”

—*They Both Die at the End* by Adam Silvera

# HOURS AND LOCATIONS



## The Ground Floor (at the Downtown Library)

303 E. Kirkwood Avenue | Bloomington, IN 47408 | (812) 349-3050

**Monday–Thursday** ..... 1:30–9 PM in June and July

**Friday** ..... 1–6 PM

**Saturday–Sunday**..... 12–6 PM



## Ellettsville Teen Space

600 W. Temperance Street | Ellettsville, IN 47429 | (812) 876-1272

**Monday–Thursday** ..... 1:30–7 PM in June and July

**Friday** ..... 1–6 PM

**Saturday–Sunday**..... 12–6 PM



## Southwest Teen Space

890 W. Gordon Pike | Bloomington, IN 47403 | (812) 349-3110

**Monday–Thursday** ..... 1:30–7 PM in June and July

**Friday** ..... 1–6 PM

**Saturday–Sunday**..... 12–6 PM



## Bookmobile

(812) 349-3174



## Library Closures



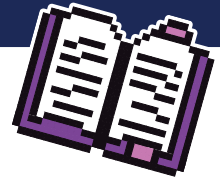
**Juneteenth** Wednesday, June 19

**Independence Day** Tuesday, July 4





# PRIZES



Earn ten points on your summer reading log to win

**a BRAND NEW PAPERBACK BOOK!**

You'll also be entered into a drawing for one of several grand prizes\*:

## Downtown Library



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Your choice between an XBOX ONE or PS5



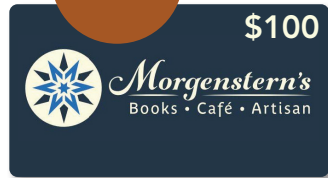
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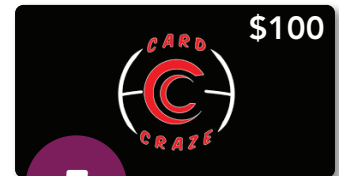
## Ellettsville Branch



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**1**  
Nintendo Switch



**3**

## Southwest Branch

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Nintendo Switch



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\*Earn extra grand prize entries for every five bonus points you complete (up to four additional entries)!

Want to continue your summer reading adventure online?

[mcpl.info/teens/srp](http://mcpl.info/teens/srp)

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