

# Get Creative!

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It's International Creativity Month, and there are endless ways be creative throughout January?or anytime at all. Your Library helps you discover your own creative possibilities.

Books  
Check out a book to learn about a new hobby or craft. There's [baking](#), [beadwork](#), [knitting](#), [origami](#), [woodworking](#) and so many [other creative pursuits](#). Not quite sure what might spark your interest? Come on in to the Library and browse the shelves; ask our staff to help you find your creative niche.

Things  
We also lend other things for boosting your creativity?try our ukulele kits, toys, wireless hotspots, and [a few other items](#). Use them in typical ways (careful with that ukulele!), or find creative new uses, like a science experiment using an energy meter, or toys for filming a stop motion animation. There are numerous possibilities.

Online Resources  
[Hobbies and Crafts Reference Center](#) Explore our [Hobbies & Crafts Reference Center](#) for a host of craft and hobby-related articles, books, videos and how-to guides. You'll find everything from typical arts and crafts to ham radio, stamp collecting, puzzles, hang gliding, and so much more here.

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[Lynda.com](#) Learn something new to boost your creativity with [Lynda.com](#). Lynda's geared mostly towards technology, with classes on photography, animation, web design, video editing, song writing, and many other options for improving your digital creativity skills.

Level Up  
For hands-on digital creativity, visit [Level Up](#) at the Main Library. Level Up has [digital creativity workstations](#) loaded with audio, video, and developer programming software, and specialized hardware. It's also home to [two audio production studios](#) and a [video production studio](#) that you can reserve.

Library Programs  
Go to a [free Library program](#) to get creative. We have [creative programs](#) for all ages that include everything from learning to write a romance novel to learning to make an animated GIF.

Community Groups  
Finally, lots of outside clubs and groups doing cool creative things meet at the Library. Check out the [calendar](#) to see which groups are meeting?then find more information in [Community Organizations](#). With so many way to get creative, International Creativity Month could turn into a Creativity Year.

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