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CREATIVE**



CAMARENA MEMORIAL LIBRARY



**Color
OUR
World**



FAMILY SUMMER READING PROGRAM

**@ Camarena
Memorial Library**



Activities include:

- Storytimes, Book Clubs
- Arts & Crafts
- Reading Incentives
- Lunch @ the Library
- Open to ALL ages!

**June 16th -
August 7th**

8 weeks

2025

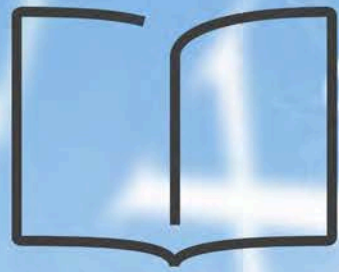
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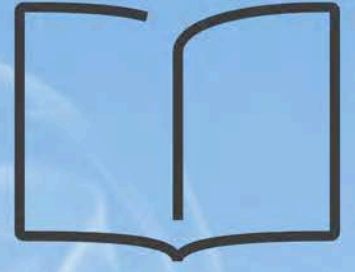
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FAMILY



SUMMER



READING PROGRAM

COLOR OUR WORLD @ CAMARENA MEMORIAL LIBRARY!

JUNE 16-AUGUST 7, 2025

This is an 8-week reading program. It will run from June 16-August 7, 2025. There is something for everyone at your library this summer! Please make sure to register each member of the family participating by visiting the library, it's website, or by using the QR code below.

**ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST HAVE AN ACTIVE
CAMARENA MEMORIAL LIBRARY CARD!**

We encourage the whole family to participate and take advantage of the variety of reading materials available at the library AND through digital platforms such as Hoopla, Libby, BookFLIX, Palace Project and Tripulantes de la Lectura.

Register here --->



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CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER

420 Heber Ave. Calexico, CA

760-357-5525

FAMILY SUMMER
READING
PROGRAM

READING
counts
from
June 16 through
August 4, 2025

DEADLINE
to submit reading logs
AUGUST 4TH

WELCOME TO OUR READING CLUB!

Books nourish our minds. Reading helps you retain and enhance reading skills. Children and teens will be able to earn prizes for reading (or being read to) this summer!

Prizes earned will be distributed during the awards parties.

Please visit the library's website to report your summer reading starting June 16th.

BABIES READ-TO-ME

Ages 0-Kindergarten

Awards Party - August 12th @ 5 pm

A maximum of 5 books per day will be credited towards summer reading. Children will receive a prize for every 10 books read to them, up to 50.

We suggest board books for babies & toddlers and picture books for preschoolers and Kindergarteners.

SCHOOL-AGED READING CLUB

Grades 1st-6th

Awards Party - August 14th @ 5 pm

A maximum of 5 books per day will be credited towards summer reading. Children will receive a prize for every 10 books read, up to 50.

We suggest picture books, easy readers and non-fiction books for those in grades 1st-3rd. Chapter books and non-fiction books for those in 4th-6th grades.

TEENS TEEN CLUB

Grades 7th-12th

Awards Party - August 13th @ 2 pm

A maximum of 1 chapter book per day will be credited towards summer reading. Teens will receive a prize for every 5 chapter books read, up to 25.

We suggest anime, manga and/or chapter books.



LUNCH — at the — LIBRARY

During this summer, the Camarena Memorial Library will offer a complete lunch for kids ages 1-18 to enjoy at the library thanks to the sponsorship of the Calexico Unified School District.

In addition, Monday-Thursday, a daily enrichment activity will be available to the first 40 kids/teens in attendance.

Books to build home libraries will be available once a week.



note

This institution is an equal opportunity provider. This Summer Food Service Program is a program of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, administered in California by the California State Library, supported with funds from the State of California.



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CAMARENA MEMORIAL LIBRARY



Join us!

LUNCH
**Monday
to Friday**
12:00-1:00 pm

selected Fridays

SNACK
3:00 pm

BABIES, TODDLERS & PRESCHOOLERS



June **16** MONDAY
2 pm - 4 pm
RAISE A READER

Storytime with Imperial County Free Library Staff.
This program is for families with children ages 0-5.

Shake, Rattle & Read (0-18 months) at 2 pm
Tales for Tots (18-36 months) at 2:45 pm
Preschool Power (3-5 years old) at 4:00 pm

TODDLER TIMES

Bring your toddler ages 1-3 for a playtime hour on Thursdays at 5:00 pm, and selected Fridays at 10:00 am.

THURSDAYS @ 5:00 pm
FRIDAYS @ 10:00 am

June 20, July 3, 10, 17, 18, 24
& 31, August 1



STORYTIME WITH ECEP

This program is for families with children ages 0-5. It includes an activity. Join the Imperial County Office of Education - Early Care & Education Programs Staff.

THURSDAYS
10:30 am

June 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24 & 31,
August 7

BABY TIME

This is a program for children ages 0-2 and their parents/caregivers. This program introduces babies to books, songs and fingerplays.

TUESDAYS
5:00 pm

June 17, July 1 & 15, & August 5



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SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN



DAILY ARTS & CRAFTS

MONDAY thru THURSDAY
12:30 PM

Join us and complete a daily craft activity during the Lunch at the Library food program. Younger children might need assistance from a parent/caregiver. This program is open for children ages 1-18. This program will be offered at 3:00 pm the first week in June.

June 2-August 14

ARTsy FRIDAY

Children and parents are invited to join us for a fun painting activity!

FRIDAYS
2:00 pm

June 6 & August 1



FLUTOPHONE CLASS

Children ages 8-11 are invited to join this class to learn how to play the flutophone!

WEDNESDAYS
2:00 pm

June 18, 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30



GAMES PALOOZA

Join us to play with LEGO bricks, board games, puzzles, blocks & more!

THURSDAYS
2:00 pm

June 26, July 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 & August 7



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SCHOOL-AGED CHILDREN



STEAM LAB

Join us at the CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER for an activity of science, technology, engineering, art or math! Location: 420 Heber Ave.

WEDNESDAYS
3:30 PM

June 25, July 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30

MUSEUM @ THE LIBRARY

Discover the rich history of the Imperial Valley at your library! Enjoy a fun and interactive experience with a short presentation and hands-on activity for all ages, presented by the Imperial Valley Desert Museum.

FRIDAYS
3:30 pm

June 20 & July 18



COOKING with ARACELY KIDZ EDITION

Educational and recreational program which includes tips on food safety and a fun & easy dish.

MONDAYS
3:30 pm
July 7, 14 & 28

COLORING DAY

Join us to COLOR OUR WORLD on a weekly basis.

MONDAYS
2:00 pm

June 16, 23 & 30 July 7, 14, 21 & 28, August 4



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SCHOOL-AGED TEENS/ADULTS



TEEN CLUB

Join us to create a fun project, meet new friends & remain active this summer!

WEDNESDAYS
2:00 PM

June 18, July 2, 16 & 30

LIBRARY LEARNERS BOOK CLUB

Teens (16+) & adults meet on the third Tuesday of the month to discuss a book. This program is held at the CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER.

TUESDAYS
5:30 pm

June 17, July 15 & August 19



LET'S TALK CONVERSATION GROUP

Join this group to practice your speaking English skills the first & third Thursday of the month. All levels are welcome. Ages 16+

THURSDAYS
5:30 pm

June 5, July 3 & 17, August 7 & 21



LEARNING UPGRADE

Teens (grades 7th & up) and adults interested in improving their English & Math skills can take advantage of this digital learning program. Ask us how you can get access to it!

Take control of your learning journey!



LEARNING UPGRADE®



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ADULT PROGRAMS



LET'S READ BOOK CLUB

MONDAYS

5:30 PM

Let's Read, Eat & Discuss a book selection. It's a potluck! Bring a dish to share with the group.

June 23, July 21 & August 18

COOKING WITH LIZBETH

Join us the second Wednesday of the month to learn to prepare an easy & affordable dish.

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 pm

June 11, July 9 & August 13



RINCON LITERARIO

Join us to read and discuss a book in Spanish. It is a potluck. Bring a dish to share with the group.

WEDNESDAYS

5:30 pm

June 25, July 30 & August 27

ARTsy ADULTS

Join us and create a unique piece of art! We meet at the CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER.

THURSDAYS

5:30 pm

June 26, July 24 & August 28



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YOGA CLASS WITH BERENICE

WEDNESDAYS

3:30 pm

Bring your yoga mat or towel and learn a few relaxation poses. This program is offered at the CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER.

June 4 & 18, July 2 & 16 & August 6 & 27

THE ART OF STRESS MANAGEMENT

Do you worry constantly and feel anxious? Join Cecilia & Johanna and learn to relax through ART.

FRIDAY

2:00 pm

July 18



VINTAGE CLUB

Would you like to receive a monthly packet with a surprise read, a tea bag, mandala sheets & crossword puzzles to complete at home? Let us know! This packet is available in English & Spanish.

Available upon request

COMPUTER CLASSES

We offer a basic computer class every Tuesday at the CARNEGIE TECHNOLOGY CENTER. Come and learn about basic internet search, email & social media. Open to all ages.

TUESDAYS

4:30 pm



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SPECIAL GUESTS

WEEKLY PRESENTATIONS
CAMARENA MEMORIAL LIBRARY @ 2:00 p m

**JUN
17**

CUSD - FOOD SERVICES DEPT.

Join us and learn how to cook a healthy hamburger.

**JUN
24**

U.S. BORDER PATROL

Join us and meet some of the agents and learn about the job they do protecting our border.

**JUL
1**

CALEXICO FIRE DEPARTMENT

Let's learn about fire safety and more!

**JUL
8**

CALEXICO POLICE DEPARTMENT

Come & learn about the important job our police officers do for our community.



Presentations are open to the whole family!

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**JUL
15**

IMPERIAL VALLEY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AGENCY

Does your family recycle? Come & learn the importance & benefits of recycling.

**JUL
22**

DIPPY DUCK

Join us at 3 pm and learn THE RULES and all about water safety!

**JUL
29**

U.C. MASTER GARDENER

Join us at 2:00 pm and meet a master gardener! Learn tips & tricks about gardening.

**AUG
5**

IMPERIAL COUNTY HEALTH DEPT.

Let's learn how to use locally produced foods in your daily meals & how to follow a healthy plan.



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