

This year the theme is “Reading By Design,” with different topics each week: PLAY, OBSERVE, CREATE, MOVE, TRANSFORM, GROW, BUILD, REPEAT. If you sign up for the program, you get a free sketchbook and reader’s log to track your reading. Different small gifts are available each week, just for coming to the library. You can earn raffle tickets for larger prizes by logging your reading. Large prize raffle will be drawn at the end of the program.

### Weekly Repeating Events

#### Connecting with Your Baby:

Mondays at 11 a.m. in the Story Room  
Caregivers and babies 0-18 mos.

#### Connecting with Your History

Mondays at 2 p.m. in the Sangamon Valley Collection. An intergenerational conversation for people of all ages. A new topic each week!

#### Maker Monday with Springfield Makerspace

Mondays at 3-5 p.m. in the Makerspace Outpost on the second floor. Make something new and interesting to you!

#### StoryCraft Kids!

Saturdays at 11 a.m. in Youth Services  
Story and a craft for kids. Families welcome.

#### StoryCraft Preschool

Thursday at 10:30 a.m. in the Story Room  
Story and a craft for children 3-6 years old.  
Siblings welcome.

#### Sketchbook Check-in

Wednesdays at 11 a.m. in the Multipurpose Rm.  
Grab a sketchbook or use one of ours. Different image-making techniques each week.

#### Friday Free Draw

Fridays at 11 a.m. in the Multipurpose Room  
Drawing together from life or imagination.

#### Friday Free Family Film

Fridays at 2 p.m. in the Carnegie Room  
Free family movies. Starts 6/23

*Check the library calendar for a full listing of Summer Reading events!*

### Sketchbooks and Craftboxes

This summer, we will be offering community sketchbooks and craftboxes filled with art supplies for check-out at the circulation desk! These aren’t just for kids, but we hope you guys will use them!

If you are going to make an artsy mess, make sure you wear an art show and work on a protected surface. Talk to your parents before you get started!

### Extra-Special Events

#### Family Improv Workshop

Sat., 6/24, 2 p.m. Carnegie Room. All ages.

#### Family Improv Performance

Sat., 6/24, 3:45 p.m. Carnegie Room. All ages.

#### Build Your Own Adventure with GenHKids!

Tuesday and Saturday, 6/27 and 7/1,  
2 p.m. in the Carnegie Room

#### StoryCraft Kids

Sat., 7/1, 11 a.m. Youth Services Area

#### Artist Talk with Quirky Quiller & Written in Wood

Fri., 7/7, 4 p.m. DeFrates Reading Room

#### Sound Symposium for Kids

Sat., 7/8, 11-3 p.m. Activities around hearing awareness

#### Creative Quilling for Everyone (with Adena Rivas)

Tues., 7/11, 2 p.m. Carnegie Room, 5+ (Younger kids will need a helper)

#### Everyday Creativity: Making Old New Again (with Shayne Squires of Habitat for Humanity)

Wed., 7/19, 11 a.m. Multipurpose Room

#### Build Your Own Veggie Stack

Tuesday and Saturday, 7/18 and 7/22,  
at 2 p.m. in the Carnegie Rooms.

#### Artist Talk (with Bill Crook Jr.)

Fri., 7/28, 4 p.m. DeFrates Reading Room

#### Closing Speaker: Max Grinnell

Saturday, 7/29 2 p.m. in the Carnegie Rooms.  
RAD Summer Wrap-up with the Urbanologist.  
Prize winners announced after the lecture.

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**HEY KIDS! Get a free sketchbook + reader’s log!**

# READ BY DESIGN!

**SUMMER READING 2017 AT LINCOLN LIBRARY**

**reading + art + design  
adds up to a RAD Summer!**

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**stories and crafts,  
performances,  
workshops,  
special guests!**

**8 weeks of reading,  
writing, designing &  
drawing for all ages!**

**PS. Summer Reading is not just for kids!  
Check out special events for grown-ups too!**



**Sign-up Party for Summer Reading  
is June 3rd 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.**