



December 2020

Activities & Programs for kids from birth - grade 12

Stay up to date by visiting our websites:

https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/
https://www.agawamlibrary.org/teens/

HOLIDAY HOURS

Thurs. December 24th - Open 9am-12pm
Fri. December 25th - Closed
Sat. December 26th - Closed

Thurs. December 31st - Open 9am-5pm Fri. January 1st - Closed



Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays In-person services by appointment.

We can be reached by phone Monday – Saturday at 413-789-1550 ext. 3.









Every week

ALPHABET FUN: This program is full.

<u>CHRISTMAS FUN</u> – I Spy Christmas! Follow our Facebook page at



https://www.facebook.com/AgawamChildrensLibrary and have each fun each week finding specific Christmas items.

Starting November 30th

CANDLE CRAFT

For grades 1 and up

Ms. Pamela will take you through the steps to make a candle out of construction paper that you can use as a table centerpiece.

The video will be posted on November 30th at https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/.

Limited supplies of the craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on November 30th.



STAY AT HOME STORYTIME

For ages 3-5

It's holiday time! Ms. Susan will share some stories and a simple craft on video.

The video will be posted on November 30th at https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/.

Limited supplies of the craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on November 30th.







Starting December 7th

CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATING

For all ages

Collect a die-cut Christmas tree beginning on December 7th.

Decorate your tree, send us a picture of your finished creation <u>before December 19</u>, at <u>Agawamchildrenslibrary@gmail.com</u> for a chance to win a small prize! Winners in four age groups, pre K, K-4, 5-8 and 9-12 will be announced on December 21.



Supplies for this craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 7th.

CRAFTING AT HOME: THE GRINCH FLEECE TIED PILLOW CRAFT For ages 8 and up

Follow Ms. Rose as she takes you through the steps to create a Grinch fleece pillow.

The video with instructions will be posted on December 7th at https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/.



Limited supplies of the craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 7th.





FOAM GRINCH ORNAMENT

For ages 8 and up

Follow Ms. Rose as she takes you through the steps to create a Grinch foam Christmas ornament.

The video with instructions will be posted on December 7th at

https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/.

Limited supplies of the craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 7th.



HANGING STAR CRAFT

For grades 5 and up

Ms. Pamela will take you through the steps to make a hanging stars.

The video with instructions will be posted on December 7th at

https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/
& https://www.agawamlibrary.org/teens/



Limited supplies of the craft will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 7th.





VIRTUAL FESTIVAL OF TREES

Family Activity

Decorate your own mini tree! We will provide you with a mini tabletop Christmas Tree.

You can work together as a family to decorate it, or each family member could make their own.



Then send us a picture at <u>agawamchildrenslibrary@gmail.com</u>. We will post them online and create a community Virtual Festival of Trees.

Limited supplies of trees will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 7^{th} .





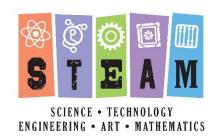


Starting December 14th

WHAT'S THE STORY?

For ages 3-5

Enjoy a video of Ms. Susan sharing some Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math ideas loosely related to Christmas.



The video will be posted on December 14th at https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/.

Limited supplies for some of the activities will be available by calling 413-789-1550 ext. 3 beginning on December 14th.

MUG TREATS OVER ZOOM

For grades 5-8

Join Ms. Susan for some Zoom cooking fun. In December, we will be making Sugar cookies and hot chocolate in two mugs!



You will need to provide your own ingredients, and mugs. We will provide you with an ingredient list one week before the program.

<u>Wednesday, December 16 at 7:00 pm – Registration is required.</u> Go to

http://www.eventkeeper.com/mars/xpages/A/AGAWAM/ekmonth.cfm to register.

The Zoom ID and Password will be emailed 1 day before the program.

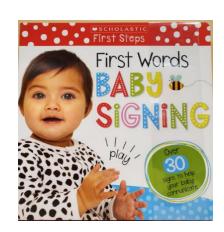




Starting December 21st

SONGS AND SIGNS WITH MS. PAMELA For babies and their caregivers

This month we have a very special Songs & Signs episode. We will learn how to sign along with Ms Pamela's "Now it's Time to Read a Book" song.



Also, <u>free books are available by request</u>.

Just email pweingart@agawamlibrary.org to

request your free copy of <u>First Words</u>: <u>Baby Signing</u> by Scholastic. We have limited copies available, request yours today. *Books available starting November 30th*.

The video will be posted at **https://www.agawamlibrary.org/children/** on November 9th.

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