



**El Cajon Branch Library**  
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## October 2016

**Library Hours**  
M-Th: 9:30AM – 8PM  
FS: 9:30AM – 5PM; Sun: 12 – 5PM

### CHILDREN

**Selfie-Made Sunday.** Use your imagination to make a project with the art supplies we provide. Then if you like, share a snapshot of your creation with us on our social media pages.

*Sundays, 1 PM*

**Students for Students Homework Center.** High school students help kids grades K- 6 with their homework! *Mondays and Thursdays, 4:30-6 PM On break Monday, October 31*

**Students for Students Crafternoon.** Join our library volunteers for stories, songs, and a craft! *Mondays and Thursdays, 4:30 PM On break Monday, October 31*

**Rockin' Recess.** Join us for fun indoor fitness activities! Geared for ages 4-10. *Mondays and Thursdays, 5 PM On break Thursday, October 27 and Monday, October 31*

**Understanding Your Child's Behavior.** 10-part series.

Workshops feature small-group learning, incentives for parents, and developmental assessments. You may start the series at any time! There are also opportunities for one-on-one family coaching. *Mondays, 6 PM*

**Little Listeners' Storytime.** Stories and songs for babies and toddlers ages 3 and under. *Tuesdays, 10 AM*

**Let's Speak Spanish Story Crafternoon.** After-school bilingual storytime and crafts with Miss Blanca. For kids of all ages!

*Tuesdays, 4:30 PM*

**Books & Boogie Storytime.** Join us for stories, music, and a simple craft for ages 3-5. *Wednesdays, 10 AM*

**Let's Speak Arabic Story Crafternoon.** After-school bilingual storytime and crafts with Miss Zina. For kids of all ages.

*Wednesdays, 4:30 PM*

**Preschool Play.** Children learn through play! Meet new friends and have fun while developing early learning skills. A responsible adult must be present and participate. *Thursdays, 10 AM*

**Baby Storytime** Join us for storytime for parents & babies between ages 0-18 months. *Fridays, 10 AM; October 7 and 21 in English and October 14 and 28 Bilingual (Spanish and English).*

**El Cajon Exploratorium.** Explore art through fun, hands-on activities! Projects can be messy-please dress accordingly. For ages 4 & up. *Saturdays, 1 PM*



**El Cajon Library Halloween Party!** Dress in your Halloween best and join us for games and crafts! Costume contest at 1:30 PM. For kids and families. *Saturday, October 29, 1 PM*

### TEENS

**Action Teen Advisory Council (ATAC).** If you're a teen, age 14 -17, who'd like to help out at the library, please stop by our ATAC meetings! Sunday-Thursday team, *Sunday, October 2, 2 PM*

**Teen Anime Club.** Watch anime with fellow fans. Ages 12-18. *Tuesdays, 6 PM*

**DACA Information Session.** Get information about the latest immigration news updates. We will also have information on upcoming legal workshops! Presented by the San Diego Immigrant Rights Consortium. *Thursday, October 27, 6 PM*

### FAMILIES

**Chess Club.** Learn or improve your game. All ages and skill levels welcome. *Tuesdays, 4-6 PM and Saturdays, 1-3 PM*

**Backgammon Club.** All ages and skill levels welcome. Game boards provided. *Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 4-6 PM*

**Career Online High School.** The San Diego County Library's Career Online High School program offers adults the opportunity to earn an accredited high school diploma and career certificate online. The library's program provides a limited number of scholarships to qualified adult learners who are looking to expand their career opportunities, prepare for workforce entry or continue their education. For information, go to our website at [www.sdcl.org/cohs](http://www.sdcl.org/cohs).



**Fine Free Friday.** This month's Fine Free Friday is October 28. Outside drop boxes are available for returns. Return overdue items on the last Friday of the month that the item was due and we will waive the late fees. Link +, Circuit, and Interlibrary Loans are not eligible.

### ADULTS

**ESL/English Classes\*.** For information or to register call Grossmont Adult School at 619-401-9750. Classes meet at the library *Monday through Thursday, 8:30-11:30 AM*

**Gateway Arabic Computer Classes\*.** Call Safa at 619-469-2151 for more information. *Beginner's class, Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, 8 AM; intermediate class Fridays, 5:15 PM.*

**English Conversation Café.** Practice your English language skills in casual conversation. Please arrive on time. *Wednesdays, 10-11:30 AM*

**Laubach ESL Class.** Learn English at the library. *Saturdays, 11:30 AM*

**Citizenship Classes.** Call 619-588-3740 for info about the citizenship application and practice for the exam and interview. *Saturdays, 10 AM*

**Legal Research Help.** Assistance researching questions about family, immigration, consumer, housing, employment, business law and more. *1st and 3rd Mondays, October 3 and 17, 10AM-2PM*

**Veteran Services.** Assistance with claims preparation; appeals; public assistance and VA medical care; homeless issues; filing for benefits. *Every second and fourth Mondays, October 10 and 24, 9:30 AM-1 PM*

**Senior Mobile Technology Lab\*.** Adults age 60+ are invited to a workshop and one-on-one tutoring sessions to learn about e-mail, Facebook, YouTube, and Skype. *Monday, October 24, 1 PM Call 619-471-2713 to register.*

**SilverSneakers Yoga.** Learn safe moves and breathing exercises to reduce stress and improve mental clarity. Chair support provided. *Mondays, 1 PM*

**Family Health Centers of San Diego Informational Table.** Provides referrals to no-cost services for homeless individuals. *Mondays, October 10, 17, 24 and 31, 1-5 PM*

**La Maestra Community Health Centers Information Table.** Specialist will offer CalFresh, Medi-Cal, and Covered CA program information and sign-up assistance. *1st Tuesday, October 4, 11:30-1:30 AM*

**Whodunit Book Club.** Armchair sleuths discuss the works of mystery writers. *Tuesdays, 11 AM*

Oct 4 Agatha Christie Oct 11 Donna Leon  
Oct 18 Lisa Brackman Oct 25 P L Gaus

**Creative Crafters.** Tin punch and decorate an illuminary for Fall. *Tuesday, Oct 4, 12 PM*

**Check Your Mood.** The County of San Diego and its community partners offer free, individual screenings to assess your mental well-being. *Tuesday, October 11, 2 PM*

**Child Support Services Outreach.** The Department of Child Support Services will answer general questions, accept new applications, review orders for modifications, and negotiate stipulations (agreed orders) and legal documents. *Tuesday, October 18, 1-6 PM No appointment necessary.*

**Social Worker at the Library.** Receive referrals/assistance with emergency services, family matters, immigration, support groups and much more. *Tuesday October 18, 3 PM*

**Legal Clinic.** Do you have legal questions? Join us for a free consultation. *Wednesdays, 1-3 PM*

**Southern Caregiver Resource Center\*.** Free classes for family caregivers dealing with memory loss, Alzheimer's and dementia. Registration required. Call 619-997-5535 or 619-729-2772. *Thursdays, 2 PM*

**Senior Dominoes.** Join us for dominoes and friendly conversation! *Thursday, October 13, 1 PM*

**Friends of the Library Bookstore 50% off sale.**



**LEARN Tutor Training.** Change a life...teach an adult to read & write. *Saturday, October 1, 10 AM*

**East County Stamp Club.** Learn more about philately (stamp collecting) Bring your collection or just come hang out. *Saturday, October 8 and 22, 11 AM*

**Cuban Traditional Dance.** Silfredo La O Vigo, a professional dancer in the afro-Cuban and Haitian tradition, has trained and appeared with the Cuban National Folkloric Company and Danza Contemporanea de Cuba. *Saturday, October 8, 1 PM*



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						<p>10am-5pm Bookstore Sale </p> <p>10am LEARN Tutor Training</p> <p>11:30am Laubach ESL Class</p> <p>1pm Chess Club</p> <p>1pm El Cajon Exploratorium</p>
<p>2 1pm Selfie-Made Sunday</p> <p>2pm Action Teen Advisory Council Meeting</p>	<p>3 8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am-2pm Legal Resource Help</p> <p>12:30pm SilverSneakers Yoga</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>4 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Little Listeners Storytime</p> <p>11:30am-1:30pm La Maestra Community Health Centers InfoTable</p> <p>12pm Creative Crafters</p> <p>4pm Chess Club</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Spanish Crafternoon</p> <p>6pm Teen Anime</p>	<p>5 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Books &amp; Boogie Storytime</p> <p>10am English Conversation Café</p> <p>1-3pm Legal Clinic</p> <p>1-4pm Family Health Centers of San Diego Information Table</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Arabic Crafternoon</p>	<p>6 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Preschool Play</p> <p>2pm Southern Caregiver Resource Center*</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>7 10am Baby Storytime</p> <p>5pm Intermediate Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p>	<p>8 10am Citizenship Class</p> <p>11am East County Stamp Club</p> <p>11:30am Laubach ESL Class</p> <p>1pm Chess Club</p> <p>1pm Cuban Traditional Dance </p> <p>1pm El Cajon Exploratorium</p>
<p>9 1pm Selfie-Made Sunday</p>	<p>10 8:30am ESL*</p> <p>9:30 am-1pm Veteran Services</p> <p>12:30pm SilverSneakers Yoga</p> <p>1-5pm Family Health Centers of San Diego Information Table</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>11 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Little Listeners Storytime</p> <p>2pm Check Your Mood</p> <p>4pm Chess Club</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Spanish Crafternoon</p> <p>6pm Teen Anime</p>	<p>12 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Books &amp; Boogie Storytime</p> <p>10am English Conversation Café</p> <p>1-3pm Legal Clinic</p> <p>1-4pm Family Health Centers of San Diego Information Table</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Arabic Crafternoon</p>	<p>13 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Preschool Play</p> <p>1pm Senior Dominoes</p> <p>2pm Southern Caregiver Resource Center*</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>14 10am Baby Storytime</p> <p>5pm Intermediate Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p>	<p>15 10am Citizenship Class</p> <p>11:30am Laubach ESL Class</p> <p>1pm Chess Club</p> <p>1pm El Cajon Exploratorium</p>
<p>16 1pm Selfie-Made Sunday</p>	<p>17 8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am-2pm Legal Resource Help</p> <p>12:30pm SilverSneakers Yoga</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>18 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Little Listeners Storytime</p> <p>11am Whodunit Book Club</p> <p>3pm Social Worker at the Library</p> <p>4pm Chess Club</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Spanish Crafternoon</p> <p>6pm Teen Anime</p>	<p>19 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Books &amp; Boogie Storytime</p> <p>10am English Conversation Café</p> <p>1-3pm Legal Clinic</p> <p>1-4pm Family Health Centers of San Diego Information Table</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Arabic Crafternoon</p>	<p>20 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Preschool Play</p> <p>2pm Southern Caregiver Resource Center*</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>21 10am Baby Storytime</p> <p>5pm Intermediate Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p>	<p>22 10am Citizenship Class</p> <p>11am East County Stamp Club</p> <p>11:30am Laubach ESL</p> <p>1pm Chess Club</p> <p>1pm El Cajon Exploratorium</p>
<p>23 1pm Selfie-Made Sunday</p>	<p>24 8:30am ESL*</p> <p>9:30 am-1pm Veteran Services</p> <p>12pm Senior Mobile Technology Lab</p> <p>12:30pm SilverSneakers Yoga</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>5pm Rockin' Recess</p>	<p>25 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Little Listeners Storytime</p> <p>4pm Chess Club</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Spanish Crafternoon</p> <p>6pm Teen Anime</p>	<p>26 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>9:30-10:30am ACA Info Table</p> <p>10am English Conversation Café</p> <p>1-3pm Legal Clinic</p> <p>1-4pm Family Health Centers of San Diego Information Table</p> <p>4:30pm Let's Speak Arabic Crafternoon</p>	<p>27 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>10am Preschool Play</p> <p>2pm Southern Caregiver Resource Center*</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Homework Center</p> <p>4:30pm Students for Students Crafternoon</p> <p>6pm DACA Information Session</p>	<p>28 10am Baby Storytime</p> <p>5pm Intermediate Gateway Arabic Computer Class*</p> <p>Fine Free Friday</p>	<p>29 10am Citizenship Class</p> <p>11:30am Laubach ESL</p> <p>1pm Chess Club</p> <p>1pm El Cajon Exploratorium</p> <p>1pm Halloween Party </p>
<p>30 1pm Selfie-Made Sunday</p>	<p>31 8am Gateway Arabic Computer Class</p> <p>8:30am ESL*</p> <p>12:30pm SilverSneakers Yoga</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Friends of the Library Bookstore Hours</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mon: 10am-6pm Tues and Wed: 10am-12pm and 4-6pm Thurs: 10am-6pm Fri and Sat: 10am-4pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">50% off Book Sale Saturday, October 1, 10 am-4pm</p>				

\*registration required

