

OCTOBER 2026 | FREE KIDS PROGRAMS

Morningside Heights Library

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^Baby Lapsit Storytime*

Date: Thursdays, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29

Time: 11:15 AM - 11:45 AM

Ages 18 months to 3 years old

Pick up tickets 15 minutes before at the 2nd floor desk.

Limit 10 children.

Community Play

Date: Thursdays, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29

Time: 12:00 PM - 12:30 PM

Ages 18 months to 3 years old

Kids Craft*

Date: Thursdays, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29

Time: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Ages 3-12

***Pick up tickets 15 minutes before at the 2nd floor desk.**

Limit 12 children.

Join us for an hour in-person art and craft fun. Recommended for ages 5-12 with caregiver.

Coding with SciXplorers

Date: Saturdays, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31

Time: 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM

Ages 7-14

In-person coding with SciXplorers. Learn the basics of coding using the website code.org. Guided instruction in coding languages like HTML, CSS, JavaScript & Python. We will connect coding with science projects in partnership with HYPOTHEkids. No coding experience is required.

Carpet Time

Date: Monday, 10/5

Time: 4:00 PM - 4:30 PM

All Ages

Join us for read-aloud books in this storytime that's fun for everyone on the carpet in the Picture Book section on the 1st Monday of the month.

Let's Go Lego

Date: Tuesdays, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27

Time: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Ages 3 and over

From towering skyscrapers to galactic spaceships, the only limit is your imagination. Join us for an hour of hands-on LEGO play where kids can build, snap, and create together!

Crafting Connections: Create & Celebrate with Art & Games

Date: Friday, 10/09

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

All Ages

Families, children, teens, and tweens, let's create and play together. We will provide the materials for you to paint, draw, or decorate or play popular board games. All are welcome to participate.

Little Movers Storytime*

Date: Wednesdays, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28

Time: 10:15 AM - 10:45 AM

Ages 18 months to 3 years old

***Pick up tickets 15 minutes before at the 2nd floor desk.**

Limit 15 children.

+Family Storytime*

Date: Wednesdays, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28

Time: 11:15 AM - 11:45 AM

All Ages

***Pick up tickets 15 minutes before at the 2nd floor desk. Limit 15 children.**

Scavenger Hunt

Date: Friday, 10/16

Time: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Ages 4-12

Join us for a scavenger hunt in the children's area.

ESTHER CROW: Move n' Groove with Puppets!

Date: Tuesdays, 10/20 & 10/27

Time: 11:00 AM - 11:45 AM

Ages 0-3

Esther Crow and her handmade puppets encourage babies and toddlers to move their bodies to a diverse mix of classic kids songs & original acoustic guitar songs.

Robinson's Readers with the Jackie Robinson Museum

Date: Wednesday, 10/28

Time: 3:30 PM - 4:30 PM

Ages 4-7

Join a museum educator for an inspiring library storytime celebrating the life and legacy of trailblazing American icon, Jackie Robinson.

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4	5 Teen Manga & Anime Club 3:30 - 5:00 PM	6 Teen Game Afternoon 3:30 - 5:00 PM	7 Teen DIY 3:30 - 5:00 PM	8 Teen Tech Time 3:30 - 5:00 PM	9 Teen Trivia: Banned Books Week Edition 4:00 - 5:00 PM	10
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Teen Manga & Anime Club

Date: Monday, 10/5

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Share what series you are currently reading and watching, discuss plot and characters, and meet other otaku. We will also watch our favorite anime series. Create anime inspired-art or buttons.

Teen Game Afternoon

Date: Tuesdays, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20 & 10/27

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Calling all board gamers! Bring a friend and join us to test your gaming skills. We have a variety of games.

Teen DIY

Date: Wednesdays, 10/7 & 10/21

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Design, create, and decorate bookmarks, tote bags, keychains, jewelry, and more! For October, we will focus on Banned Books and Halloween-themed craft.

Teen Tech Time

Date: Thursday, 10/8

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Play games, create music, design flyers and social media posts, and more using iPads, 3D doodle pens, or the 3D printer.

Teen Trivia: Banned Books Week Edition

Date: Friday, 10/9

Time: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

What do you know about banned books? To highlight Banned Books Week, join us to test your knowledge of frequently challenged books. Small prizes are awarded!

**BANNED
BOOKS WEEK** 10/4 - 10/10

**ITALIAN
AMERICAN**
HERITAGE MONTH

Teen STEAM: Button Making

Date: Thursdays, 10/15 & 10/29

Time: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Create buttons to celebrate or design a button that matches your personality. This month, we will focus on designing buttons to celebrate Halloween! Materials are provided.

All About the Databases: Mango

Languages

Date: Friday, 10/16

Time: 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Learn a new language with this interactive database that provides step by step lesson plans for 71 different languages including Arabic, Cantonese, Mandarin, French, German, Greek, Italian, Japanese, Korean, Brazilian Portuguese, Polish, Russian, Spanish, Turkish, and Vietnamese. A mobile app is also available to download. **Patrons should read the Terms & Conditions and Privacy Policy of this resource before searching.**

Teen Time: Silent Reading

Date: Friday, 10/30

Time: 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

Have you been trying to find time to read, or do you need to finish the book you started? Join us to read your own book in any format, or we have books that may be of interest to you. We will begin with a quick introduction of ourselves and what we are reading, and then read silently in a distraction-free space for an hour and a half.

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Quilting with a Purpose
Date: Thursdays, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22 & 10/29
Time: 2:30 PM – 5:30 PM
Come help make quilts for distribution to needy families in our area.
Please Note: Sewing Machine Experience IS Required

Friday Films
Date: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23 & 10/30
Time: 11:30 AM – 1:00 PM
10/2: *Anaconda* (2025)
10/9: *The Little Shop of Horrors* (1986)
10/16: *The Nightmare Before Christmas* (1993)
10/23: *Beetlejuice* (1988)
10/30: *Disney's Coco* (2017)

***Shape Up NYC: Yoga in Spanish**
Date: Mondays/Lunes, 10/5, 10/19 & 10/26
Time: 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM
Conéctate, equilibrate y desafiáte con Yoga en español. Connect, balance, and challenge yourself with Yoga in Spanish.
Registration Required

The Page Turners: A Monthly Book Club
Date: Monday, 10/5
Time: 4:30 PM – 5:30 PM
Join us for an in-person discussion of *How the García Girls Lost Their Accents* by Julia Alvarez. Copies are available for checkout at the first-floor Circulation Desk.

Crafting Connections: Create & Celebrate with Art & Games
Date: Friday, 10/09
Time: 3:30 PM – 5:00 PM
Families, children, teens, and tweens, let's create and play together. We will provide the materials for you to paint, draw, or decorate or play popular board games. All are welcome to participate.

**HISPANIC
& LATINX
HERITAGE MONTH**



LiLY Opera Discussion Group
Date: Wednesdays, 10/14 & 10/28
Time: 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM
Are you an opera enthusiast? Join us for an interactive opera discussion! Presented by Lifeforce in Later Years. For more information, please visit: <https://lilyny.org/>

***Collage & Writing Workshop**
Date: Saturday, 10/17
Time: 1:30 PM – 3:30 PM
Join Nadia Bongo for a collage and writing workshop. After a short introduction to the art of collage, we will dive in hands-on for 35 minutes of practice.
Registration Required

Lily's Film Group
Date: Mondays, 10/19 & 10/26
Time: 12:00 PM – 3:00 PM
If you are an older adult living in the Morningside Heights area, connect with our film group! Refreshments will be provided.

Plant Swap
Date: Friday, 10/30
Time: 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM
Got too many plants –or not enough? Whether you're just starting your collection, connect with fellow plant lovers. Bring your extra cuttings, adopt a new green buddy, or swap stories and plant care tips with others. Don't forget a container to carry your new plant friend home!

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