# Events in October

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**Thursday, October 1**
- Virtual Library Youth Ambassadors, 4:30 p.m. on Zoom. Please visit our calendar for more information.

**Friday, October 2**
- How to Make Piñatas, 2 p.m. on Facebook

**Monday, October 5**
- Salsa! Learn how to make it, 9 a.m. on Facebook

**Wednesday, October 7**
- How to make a bowl made of buttons, 10 a.m. on Facebook

**Salsa! Dancing at the Library, 9 a.m. on Facebook**

**Plant and Grow!, 2 p.m. on Facebook**

**Thursday, October 8**
- Night Out Book Club, 7 p.m. on Zoom

**Simple Steps to Start a Business, 9 a.m.** Please register online to receive attendance instructions by email.

**Virtual Night Owls: Creative Writing for Teens, 7 p.m. on Zoom**

**Movement Time, 10:30 a.m. on Zoom. Please register online to receive attendance instructions by email.**

**Saturday, October 10**
- Money Sense: Mortgages, 3 p.m. Please register online to receive attendance instructions.

**Online Chess Club Tournament, 1 p.m. Email Dawn.Reyes@arlingtontx.gov to sign up.**

**Homeschool Monday, 2:30 p.m.** Please visit our calendar for more information.

**Tuesday, October 13**
- Northeast Bookworms, 7 p.m. on Zoom

**Wednesday, October 14**
- Southwest Morning Reading Group, 10 a.m. on Zoom

**Paint with Me, 11 a.m. on Facebook**

**Thursday, October 15**
- Virtual Library Youth Ambassadors, 4:30 p.m. on Zoom. Please visit our calendar for more information.

**Southwest Spine Crackers, 7 p.m. on Zoom**

**Movement Time, 10:30 a.m. on Zoom. Please register online to receive attendance instructions by email.**
Friday, October 16
Virtual Snack Made in a Mug, 4 p.m. on Facebook

Tuesday, October 20
Rain Barrel Class, 6 p.m.
Please visit our calendar for more information.

Wednesday, October 21
Good Grounds Book Club, 11 a.m. on Zoom

Customized embroidery patches, 10 a.m. on Facebook

Thursday, October 22
Virtual Night Owls: Creative Writing for Teens, 7 p.m. on Zoom

World Language Storytime-Chinese, 5 p.m. on Zoom

Movement Time, 10:30 a.m. on Zoom. Please register online to receive attendance instructions by email.

Thursday, October 29
Día de los Muertos: Sugar Skulls, 3 p.m. on Facebook

Friday, October 30
DIY Flower Crown, 2 p.m. on Facebook

**MARBLE MAZE CHALLENGE**

Enter the October STEAM challenge by designing your own marble maze. Contest entries must be submitted by October 31st. Contest winners will receive a STEAM prize.

Submit entry at arlingtonlibrary.org/youth/marble-maze-entry-form

**GENEALOGY DROP-IN**

Genealogy and Local History Librarian will be available to assist with research at the George W. Hawkes Downtown Library.

Every Monday in October from 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Every Thursday in October from 3 - 6 p.m.

**VIRTUAL GENEALOGY CLASSES**

Tuesday, October 13
Arlington Genealogical Society Meeting, 6:30 p.m. on Zoom

Tuesday, October 27
Hispanic Genealogy Research, 7 p.m. on Zoom

Friday, October 30
Genealogy Research Basics (Virtual), 3 p.m. on Zoom

**PARENTING CLASSES**

Trained professionals touch on various topics for families with children with developmental delays or disabilities. Please register online to receive attendance instructions by email for the Zoom session.

Tuesday, October 6, 7 p.m.
Parenting a Child With Special Needs During the Pandemic

Tuesday, October 13, 7 p.m.
The Importance of Play Part I: Physical Development

Tuesday, October 20, 7 p.m.
The Importance of Play Part II: Cognitive and Social/Emotional Development

Tuesday, October 27, 7 p.m.
Speech and Language Development During Storytime

**Job Seeker One-on-One Appointments**

Sunday, October 4, 1 to 3 P.M.
REGISTER AT arlingtonlibrary.org/one-on-one

Get help with your online applications, resume, cover letter or other job seeking related tasks over Zoom. Library staff will contact you within two business days.

Register for virtual events on our calendar at arlingtonlibrary.evanced.info/signup.
HEALTH FOR ME
A virtual program designed to help people better manage their chronic conditions. Register on our calendar.
EVERY SATURDAY IN OCTOBER AT 5 P.M.

HOW TO TALK TO YOUR DOCTOR, WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 3 P.M.
Increase your Health Literacy! Presented by Tarrant County Public Health. Register on our calendar.

SHELF CHECK
A podcast led by library staff focusing on books, movies and so much more! New episodes will air every week.
Saturday, October 3, 5 p.m.
Saturday, October 10, 5 p.m.
Saturday, October 17, 5 p.m.
Saturday, October 24, 5 p.m.
Saturday, October 31, 5 p.m.
LISTEN ON

ADULT EDUCATION
Sign up for free classes at arlingtonlibrary.org/arlington-reads or call us at (817) 459-6912

Citizenship Classes
- 10 week classes
- History and civics
- Tips for the US Citizenship exam
- Intermediate English skills are recommended

High School Equivalency
- 14 week classes
- Reading, writing, social studies, math and science
- Study for GED or HiSet exam

English as a Second Language
- 14 week classes
- Learn English as an adult
- Small group classes

FREE MEALS FOR KIDS & TEENS
COMIDA GRATIS PARA NIÑOS MENORES DE 18 AÑOS
Southeast Branch Library
900 S.E. Green Oaks Blvd
Every Wednesday (Cada miércoles)
3:15 - 4:30 p.m.
Grab and go meals will be served at the Southeast Branch every Wednesday starting Sept. 30 through December 18. Children must be present to recieve meals.
Las comidas para llevar se servirán en el Sucursal sureste todos los miércoles a partir del 30 de septiembre al 18 de diciembre. Los niños deben estar presentes para recibir las comidas.

MAKERSPACE INTRODUCTION SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2 P.M.
Put on your craft hat! Join us for an introduction to the Makerspace.

MAKERSPACE FALL CLASSES
CLASSES FOR TEENS AT THE GEORGE W. HAWKES DOWNTOWN LIBRARY
To maintain social distancing, these programs require registration. Masks are required. Participants will receive their own individual supplies. During this program, the Makerspace will be limited to teens only.

3D PRINTING KISSLICER - BUTTON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 23, 10 A.M.
Kisslicer software will help you to learn how to make modifications to your 3D button.

3D PRINTING TINKERCAD: KEYCHAIN FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16, 10 A.M.
TinkerCAD is a software that will help you to learn how to design your first 3D keychain.

CUTICUT - VINYL DECORATING FOR FALL FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9, 10 A.M.
The Cricut machine cuts different types of materials by using a software to design your seasonal vinyl.

EMBROIDERY I: MONOGRAM MONDAY, OCTOBER 12, 3:30 P.M.
Bring a personal touch to your home by learning how to monogram items with our embroidery machine.

FABRIC BUNTING GARLAND WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 4:30 P.M.
Learn how to create a fabric bunting garland with a sewing machine.

SERGER: EASY PILLOWCASE THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8, 4:30 P.M.
Learn how to create personalized pillowcases using the Serger machine.

CROCHET-ALONG: FALL FUN SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 10 A.M.
We will learn all the techniques needed for this crochet project.

MAKERSPACE INTRODUCTION SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2 P.M.
We will be working with 3D printers to make 3D printed keychains.

CROCHET SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2 P.M.
We will learn all the techniques needed for a fun fall crochet project.

CRICUT STICKERS SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2 P.M.
Create your own personalized stickers using sticker vinyl and the Cricut Machine.

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STORY SCAVENGER HUNT

There will be activities for families, including a story walk, scavenger hunt, and chalk art project. All activities are planned with safety in mind and families can spread out in order to socially distance. We request that all adults and children ages 10+ wear masks.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17
10 A.M. - NOON
SOUTHEAST BRANCH

HALLOWEEN DRIVE-THRU PARADE

Join us for a drive-through Halloween Parade! Families are encouraged to wear their favorite costumes and have fun engaging in songs, puppet conversations, bubble magic, and more all from the comfort of their own vehicles. Each child will receive a take home craft from the library.

SOUTHEAST BRANCH
3311 S.W. GREEN OAKS BLVD.
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31
10:30 A.M. - NOON

PLANT AND GROW SEED KITS

Pick up a SEED KIT that gives you everything you need to plant and grow some wonderful plants! Kits include pea seeds, mystery seeds and an instruction guide. Available while supplies last.

SIGN UP ON OUR CALENDAR ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

APL VOTES

A virtual series focused on engaging and informing voters about our upcoming election season.

WHAT YOUR VOTE MEANS TO US
Monday, October 12 on Facebook

Learn more about what your vote means in the U.S. from MOVE Texas, a nonpartisan, nonprofit, grassroots organization focused on civic education.

Pick up your VOTER REGISTRATION APPLICATION at any of our branches today!

THANK YOU FOR WEARING A MASK AND SOCIAL DISTANCING. Even with the use of appropriate face coverings, individuals should maintain six feet of social distancing whenever possible.

Help stop the spread of COVID-19 KEEP Everyone SAFE

PICK UP ITEMS IN TOUCHLESS TRANSACTIONS WITH FREE CURBSIDE PICK UP see details at arlingtonlibrary.org/curbside

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