

Wed 30th May Peter Rabbit Storytime and Crafts Creekmoor Library 10.30-11.30am Booking required Join Peter and his friends on their adventures with Mr McGregor.	Wed 30th May The Birds of Poole Park Parkstone Library 11am-12noon Booking required Help us identify different birds and make a collage display. 4-11yrs.	Tue 29th May Little Red Riding Hood Storytime and crafts Charminster Library 2-3pm Booking required Listen to stories and make a Red Riding Hood diorama.	Tue 29th May Exam Help Workshop Castlepoint Library 2.00-3.00pm Booking required Join Explore Learning in a workshop to find out some top tips so you will be ready for any exam. Suitable for ages 10+.	Tue 29th May Monkey World Talk and Activity Branksome Library 2-3.30pm Booking required Come and hear all about Monkey World and make some enrichment toys for their primates. Donate a clean, hole free sock or clean plastic bottle to make the toys and make the primates very happy! Ages 5-12, children to be accompanied.
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Tue 29th May Elmer Day Broadstone Library 10.30-1pm Join us for some colourful fun to celebrate Elmer day.	Tue 29th May Make a Maybug Mobile West Howe Library 3.30-4.30pm Craft for 5-11 year olds.	Tue 29th May Fire & Rescue Parkstone Library 11-11.30am Fire & safety storytelling with Jon from Dorset Fire Service.	Tue 29th May Under the Sea Oakdale Library 10.30-11.30am Booking required Children's craft activity. Help us to create an 'Under the Sea' display for the Library and make your own Jellyfish to take home. Ages 3-10.	Tue 29th May Beside the Seaside Canford Cliffs Library 10.30-11.30am Booking required Stories, poems and craft for ages 4-7yrs.	Tue 29th May Jack and the beanstalk story and crafts Canford Heath Library 2.15-2.45pm Listen to the story, plant some beans and make some crafts.
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Make a Mosaic in May Kinson Library Drop in over the Half Term to have some marvellous mosaic fun!	Where's Wally? Pokesdown and Southbourne Library Pop in and hunt for Wally and make a mini Wally character to take home.	Spring Time Crafts Tuckton Library 10.30-11.30 Drop in for some spring time fun making crafts.	Spring Craft Castlepoint Library Help us make a beautiful tree mural to decorate our library. Suitable for children of all ages.	Make a Spring craft to take home Winton Library Drop in to make a fun spring craft.	Crafty Caterpillars and Beautiful Butterflies Westbourne Library Create your very own crafty caterpillar, beautiful butterfly or marvellous moth!
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Events during May Half Term

- FREE events for children and families
- Please book in advance if stated
- Children under 8 must be accompanied by an adult
- "All day" = during library opening hours (check branch for details).
- Booking Details
Visit or phone your local library (numbers are on the reverse of this leaflet).

Your local Bournemouth Libraries

Boscombe
01202 452777

Bournemouth
01202 454848

Castlepoint
01202 451900

Charminster
01202 510379

Ensbury Park
01202 536397

Kinson Hub
01202 452788

Pokesdown and Southbourne
01202 428784

Springbourne
01202 397115

Tuckton
01202 429521

West Howe
01202 573665

Westbourne
01202 761845

Winton
01202 528139

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Your local Poole Libraries

Branksome
01202 748832

Broadstone
01202 693504

Canford Cliffs
01202 707805

Canford Heath
01202 678955

Creekmoor
01202 659289

Hamworthy
01202 672750

Oakdale
01202 674213

Parkstone
01202 742218

Poole Central
01202 262421

Rossmore
01202 746023

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May Half Term Activities

in Bournemouth and Poole Libraries



Working together

Wed 30th May Booking required	Healthy Eating with the Poole Branksome Tesco Community Team Branksome Library 11.30-12.30pm Learn about healthy eating with a story and try some green themed fruit and vegetables. Ages 4 -12, children to be accompanied.
Wed 30th May	Spring Crafts Rossmore Library 3.30-4.30pm Drop in for some fun crafts.
Thu 31st May	Spring Biscuit Decorating Hamworthy Library 11.30-12noon Decorate some yummy homemade biscuits and try not to eat them until you're home!
Thu 31st May	Fruit kebabs, and arts and crafts Canford Heath Library 2 – 4pm no booking required Join the community team from Tesco Tower Park to make fruit kebabs and take part in some arts and crafts. Ages 4–12 Children to be accompanied.
Thu 31st May	Musical Library crafts Ensbury Park Library Make your own musical instruments in preparation for make a noise in the library fortnight.
Thu 31st May	Caterpillars and Butterflies Boscombe Library 2.30-3.30pm Make a wriggly caterpillar on a leaf and create some brilliant butterflies.

National Bookstart Week Mon 4th—Sun 10th June

Boscombe Library Join us for special Wriggle & Rhyme and Toddler Time sessions. Check the session times at the library or on our website. No need to book.
Westbourne Library Wriggle and Rhyme sessions: Tue 5th: 10.30-11.00am Thu 7th: 10.30 -11.00am Sat 9th: 10.00-10.30 Booking required up to a week in advance.
Hamworthy Library Bookstart Bird Boogie Crafts Drop in all week and make a fantastical bird and join us for a special Rhymetime on Thu 7th at 10.30am
Parkstone Library Rhymetimes: Mon 4th at 11am and Tues 5th at 2.15pm Storytime: Tues 5th at 11am Saturday Crafts 9th at 11am
Charminster Library Bird Boogie Toddler Tales: Tue 5th June 2-3pm Themed Wriggle & Rhyme: Thu 7th June 9.45am
Pokesdown and Southbourne Library Wriggle and Rhyme sessions: Mon 4th at 10.15am, 11.15am and 2.15pm Toddler time: Tue at 2.15pm Children's Craft on Sat 9th morning
Canford Heath Library Rhymetimes: Monday 4th June: 10.30-11.00am Friday 8th June: 2.15 – 2.45pm
Rossmore Library Rhymetimes: Tuesday 5 th June 10.30 -11.00am Friday 8 th June 11.00-11.30am Storytime: Thursday 7 th June 10.30-11.00am

Fri 1st June Booking required	Spring Has Sprung Craft Session Charminster Library 10-11.30am Make a wind chime and sun catcher. Suitable for over 5's .
Fri 1st June	Join the Famous Five! Broadstone Library 10.30am – 11.30am Join us for a special Famous Five children's event. Help solve puzzles, find treasure and become an explorer!

THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

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SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2018

Coming soon!
Mischiefs Makers, Summer Reading Challenge 2018.

The Summer Reading Challenge produced by The Reading Agency and delivered by libraries takes place every year during the summer holidays. You can sign up at your local library, then read six library books of your choice to complete the Challenge.

There are exclusive rewards to collect along the way, and it's free to take part!

Find out more at your local library or at:
www.mischief-makers.org.uk

Tue 5th June	Broadstone Library 10.45-11.15am Join us for a special rhymetime for National Bookstart Week.
Tue 5th June	Canford Heath Library Bird Boogie 2.15-2.45pm Join us for a special storytime and craft.
Tue 5th June	Creekmoor Library 10.30-11.30am Join us for a special rhymetime and craft session.
Tue 5th June	Winton library 2-3pm To celebrate Make a Noise in Libraries Fortnight we are making our Toy Library Stay and Play sessions extra noisy! Come and try our instruments and other noisy toys!
Wed 6th June	Oakdale Library 10.15-10.45am Join us for a special rhymetime for National Bookstart Week.
Wed 6th June	Branksome Library 11.00-11.30am Join us for a special rhymetime for National Bookstart Week.
Thu 7th June	Castlepoint Library Toddler Time Craft 10.00-10.30am Help us celebrate National Bookstart Week with a special Toddler Time story and craft event.

Wriggle and Rhyme on the Beach!

Monday 4th June
Bournemouth Pier
11-11.45 am



Join us for a very special wriggle and rhyme on the sand at Bournemouth Pier.

Come dressed as a bright and beautiful bird to dance along to the Bookstart Bird Boogie!



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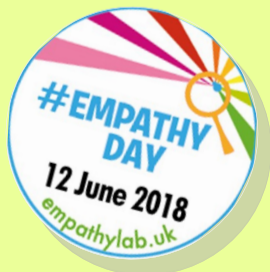
Thu 7th June	Ensbury Park Library Toddler times session introducing musical instruments to song time.
Thu 7th June	Kinson Library 10.45-11.15am We will be making lots of noise during this special Toddler Time! Join us for a fun music themed session with stories, songs and rhymes for children 18 months+ and their parents or carers.

Empathy Day Tuesday 12 June
Why read for empathy?

Scientific research shows the power of books in building real life empathy, the focus is on using stories and poems as a tool to challenge prejudice and build connections between us all.

Browse our special **NEW** Empathy Day book collections at Poole Central Library and Bournemouth Library.

#ReadForEmpathy
Take a selfie with your book and tweet us @PooleLibraries @Bmthlibs






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