

Welcome to Teen Services

The programs listed in this brochure are for teens, youth or young adults **ages 12-18** unless otherwise noted. **All programs are online/virtual.**

How to Register

To register for the programs listed in this brochure, use the links beneath each program description OR search for the program on our website's Events Page: www.surreylibraries.ca/events

What You Need

For virtual/online programs, you will need:

- ◆ An email address
- ◆ Microsoft Teams (It is available as a free download)
- ◆ A computer with a microphone, headphones and webcam OR your smartphone OR an iPad/tablet

Safety Policy

For safety purposes, we require everyone to turn on their webcam at the start of the program to verify their identity. You may then choose to turn your camera off.

Contact Us

Email library-teens@surrey.ca

We are happy to answer any questions!

Teen Pride Alliance [Ages 13-19]

Tue May 4 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

If you identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, trans, queer, questioning, two-spirit, ace, or an ally, this program is for you. Come join us for games, crafts, movie nights, and discussions!

Register: VWGriffin@surrey.ca

Mature Teen Book Club [Ages 14-18]

Tue May 4 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Have thought provoking discussions about the full range of topics in Young Adult novels with quizzes and prizes too.

Register: tinyurl.com/f68u2z6d

Teen Motivational Workshop [Ages 12-18]

Thu May 6 | 10:30 - 12:00 pm

Find Your Passion in Life with Indigenous Artist Rain Pierre (stéməx). Rain will talk about how you can let go of what you "should" be doing and find the courage to follow your dreams. Rain is a full-time artist and motivational speaker. Using his story and artwork, he inspires others to pursue their true passions. He has partnered with the school districts of Surrey, Maple Ridge, and Pitt Meadows to motivate youth.

Register: library-teens@surrey.ca

English Conversation Group [Ages 12-18]

Thu May 6 or May 20 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Practice speaking English in a fun and friendly online group setting for teens only.

Register for May 6: tinyurl.com/djkm56ha

Register for May 20: tinyurl.com/4ja53sk8

Teen Creative Writing Workshop [Ages 12-18]

Sat May 8 | 1:00 - 2:30 pm

Get ready for the Surrey Libraries Youth Writing Contest! Our instructor, Linda Xia, will teach you how to improve your creative writing and help you write believable characters and dialogue. Linda is a past winner of the contest and will be publishing her first book this summer.

Register: library-teens@surrey.ca

Teen Origami 101 [Ages 10-18]

Wed May 12 | 4:30 - 5:30 pm

Join us to learn fun, easy origami led by the Semiahmoo Teen Library Council. Pick up instruction sheets and free origami paper at the Semiahmoo Branch library before the program.

Register: tinyurl.com/3xsk5pbe

Take & Make Crafts: Books in Bloom [Ages 14 and older]



Thu May 13 | 6:00 - 8:00 pm

Turn discarded books into works of art and create a beautiful paper flower bouquet. Pick up a craft kit from any library branch and log into the digital meet up on May 13 for a crafting hangout and show us your finished product.

Register: Visit your local library branch.

TLC Book Club [Ages 14-18]

Sat May 15 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Talk about books with members of the Semiahmoo Teen Library Council. Our theme this month is "Suspense." We recommend reading an Agatha Christie novel.

Register: library-teens@surrey.ca

Teen Paint Night [Ages 13-18]

Tue May 18 | 4:00 - 5:00 pm

Join us for a virtual evening of painting and socialization! Our Guildford Teen Library Council has teamed up with Yaymaker Events to bring you a Paint Night! All materials provided.

Register: VWGriffin@surrey.ca

Pre-Teen Book Club [Ages 10-13]

Tue May 18 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Join us for a lively discussion about a book and play games. The title of the book will be sent to you when you register.

Register: tinyurl.com/r7rcy4p4

Club QuarantEEN [Ages 13-18]

Fri May 21 | 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Do you miss hanging out with friends? Join us for themed chats and activities, casual fun, and socializing!

Register: Alan.Woo@surrey.ca

Teen Publishing Workshop [Ages 12-18]

Sat May 29 | 1:00 - 2:30 pm

Are you an aspiring writer? Do you want to publish your writing? Join Linda Xia and learn how to get published and how she became a published author.

Register: library-teens@surrey.ca

Read Woke Challenge

Are you passionate about social justice, reading, and writing? Earn volunteer hours by submitting your writing and be entered into a random prize draw each month. Visit www.surreylibraries.ca/services/teens for instructions on how to participate.

WHAT'S HAPPENING FOR TEENS


AGES 12-18
MAY 2021
SURREY LIBRARIES

www.surreylibraries.ca/events

Sunday & Monday: 1 pm – 5 pm
Tuesday & Wednesday: 9:30 am – 8 pm
Thursday & Friday: 9:30 am – 6 pm
Saturday: 10 am – 5 pm

*for Port Kells hours, visit www.surreylibraries.ca/locations

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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	Last day to submit Read Woke Challenge entries for May!	 Part of the Environmental Extravaganza				Program descriptions are on the back of this brochure 