



Welcome!

Families & Teens

September & October, 2026

Programming Info

PRINCE GEORGE
Public Library 

AGE RANGES

Babies (0–walking):

Adult must attend with children.

Preschool (0–5):

Adult must attend with children.

Elementary (5–9):

Adult optional, but must stay in the building.

Intermediate (8–12):

Adult are encouraged to remain in the building.

Teens (13–18):

May attend without an adult in the room/building.

Families:

Adults attend with a child (0–18).

All Ages:

Adults may attend alone; children (0-18) must attend with an adult.

Age ranges are a helpful guide, but we know every learner grows in their own way. Sometimes, a program designed for younger children may be the best fit for an older participant. If you're not sure whether an exception can be made, simply let us know and we will work with you to make the program experience feel right.

Please contact the Manager of Communications & Engagement at 250-563-9251 ext. 128 prior to the program to coordinate accommodations.

Welcome to the Prince George Public Library!

STORYWALK®



Welcome to the StoryWalk®! Start at the first sign and follow the story along the fence. The story changes monthly.

If the StoryWalk® needs maintenance, please call the library at 250-563-9251 ext 100.

All Ages | Free drop in
Available until **October 31, 2026**
Duchess Park Dog Park



LEGOTIME!

We have Lego! Meet with other builders for some creative fun.

Families | Free drop in

Sep 4 to Oct 30 | 3:00 - 5:00 pm

Bob Harkins Branch - **Every Monday***

Nechako Branch - **Every Friday***

*Excluding Mon, Sep 7 (Labour Day), Oct 12 (Thanksgiving) & Fri, Oct 16



AFTER SCHOOL FAMILY MOVIE!

Enjoy some snacks and watch movies that are fun for all ages! Most movies now feature on-screen sign language interpretation from SignUp Media. Please note that all children must be accompanied by an adult. Please see our website for the movie schedule.

Families | Free drop in

Fridays | **Sep 4 to Oct 30***

3:00 - 5:00 pm**

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown

*Excluding Sep 18 & Oct 16

**Exact end time depends on the length of each movie



READ TO ME IN FRENCH / LISEZ-MOI EN FRANÇAIS

Experience the French language and join local teacher Mr. François for stories from the library's French collection.

Découvrez la langue française et rejoignez M. François pour des histoires de la collection multilingue de la bibliothèque.

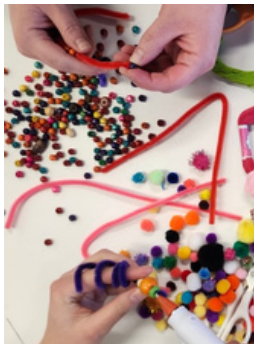
Families | Free drop in

Tuesdays | **Sep 8, 22 & Oct 6, 20**

6:00 - 6:30 pm

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown





ART LAB

Create a new project every week using different materials. Let your imagination out to play!

Families | Free drop in

Tuesday | **Sep 29 & Oct 27**

3:30 am - 4:30 pm

Nechako Branch, in the Hart



EARLY YEARS FAIR

Learn about 10+ community agencies centered on the well-being of young children and their families. This community fair will begin right after Storytime. The whole family is welcome!

Families | Free drop in

Saturday | **Sep 19**

10:45 am - 1:00 pm

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown



PUZZLE COMPETITION

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Top teams will win Ravensburger products! Each team must include at least one adult and one person under 15. Space is limited to 15 teams.

Families | Free registration

Saturday | **Oct 3**

Check in: 1:30 pm

Competition: 2:00 - 4:00 pm

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STORYTIMES & BABYTIMES

Join a PGPL staff member and other families for half an hour of stories, songs, and movement!



SEP 16 TO OCT 31, 2026*

*EXCLUDING WEDNESDAY, SEP 30 (NATIONAL DAY FOR TRUTH AND RECONCILIATION)

Free drop in

Storytime | 0-5 years

Babytime | Birth - walking

Wednesdays @ Nechako Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am

Babytime, 11:30am - 12:00pm

Thursdays @ Bob Harkins Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am

Babytime, 11:30am - 12:00pm

Saturdays @ Bob Harkins Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am



PUMPKIN PATCH

STORYTIME/BABYTIME

Dress up in your favorite costume and join us for Halloween songs, stories, and action rhymes!

Storytime | 0-5 years

Babytime | Birth - walking

Free drop in

Wednesday, Oct 28

@ Nechako Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am

Babytime, 11:30am - 12:00pm

Thursday, Oct 29

@ Bob Harkins Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am

Babytime, 11:30am - 12:00pm

Saturday, Oct 31

@ Bob Harkins Branch

Storytime, 10:15am - 10:45am



PAJAMA STORYTIME

Join us for a gentle evening storytime to help little ones unwind and cozy up at the end of the day. Pajamas are encouraged!

Sept 24 - Dinosaurs

Oct 13 - Celebrating 100 years of Winnie the Pooh*

*Enter a ballot in person to win a special book!

Ages birth - walking | Free drop in

6:00 - 6:30 pm

Thursday | Nechako Branch - **Sept 24**

Tuesday | Bob Harkins Branch - **Oct 13**



POP UP PLAYTIME

Whether it's puppets, giant board games, a tricky scavenger hunt, Lego, or a puzzle zone, you never know what fun you'll find at a library Pop Up Playtime!

LEGOtime! starts at 3pm on Sep 28. The After School Family movie will begin at 3pm on Oct 23.

Families | Free drop in

Monday | **Sept 28**

Friday | **Oct 23**

1:00 - 5:00 pm

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown



MILESTONE MORNINGS

Join occupational and physiotherapists from the Child Development Centre and the Infant Development Program from AimHi for a drop in hour. Speech-language pathologists from Northern Health will be back for the October session. Helping your little one grow, one question at a time.

Ages 0 - 5 | Free drop in

Wednesdays | 10:30 - 11:30 am

Nechako Branch - **Sept 2**

Bob Harkins Branch - **Oct 7**



YOUTH CHESS CLUB

Do you want to play chess? Whether you are new to chess or a confident competitor, drop-in at the Nechako Youth Chess Club to hang out, learn a little, and play a lot of chess! This program is self-led, no instructor will be present.

Ages 5 - 12 | Free drop in
Tuesdays | **Sep 8, 22 & Oct 6**
3:00 - 5:00 pm
Nechako Branch, in the Hart



UNBC ACTIVE MINDS: STEAM IN THE STACKS

Are you curious about the world around you? Do you want to learn about all the latest technology? Then come join UNBC Active Minds in an accessible and educational hour of scientific fun!

Ages 8 - 12 | Free drop in
Tuesdays | **Sep 15 & Oct 20**
6:00 - 7:00 pm
Bob Harkins Branch, downtown



CREATIVITY CREW: FALL INTO AUTUMN

Join the Creativity Crew, an after school art making club!

Sept 23 - Create your own designs and make interesting foam lino prints

Oct 28 - Recreate your favourite creeping creatures with charcoal and conté (coloured charcoal). Maybe it's a skeleton version of Frankenstein in Dracula's cape? Create whatever you can imagine!

Ages 5-9 | Free drop in
Wednesdays | **Sep 23 & Oct 28**
3:00 - 4:00 pm
Bob Harkins Branch, downtown





Friday, **Oct 16** | 2:00 - 5:30pm

Friends of the Library members only. Membership is \$5 (cash only) and available at the door.

Saturday, **Oct 17** | 10:30am - 2:30pm

Everyone welcome.

Books by cash donation.

Bob Harkins Branch, Downtown



Teens

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TEEN WRITERS

Write, discuss, and share your current creative projects with a supportive peer group. Snacks provided.

Ages 13 -18 | Free drop in

Tuesdays | **Sep 8 & Oct 6**

4:00 - 5:00 pm

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown



NATIONAL DAY OF TRUTH & RECONCILIATION - TEEN ACTIVITY BOOTH

Stop by our teen activity booth to learn and reflect as we acknowledge the National Day for Truth and Reconciliation. Participants can take part in activities that encourage learning, reflection and understanding of Indigenous cultures, histories, and the path toward reconciliation.

Ages 13 - 18 | Free drop in

Tuesday | **Sep 22**

3:30 - 5:00 pm

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TEEN NALOXONE TRAINING

Join harm reduction staff from Northern Health and learn how to use Naloxone. Gain a life-saving skill and take home a free kit!

*Please note: discussion may include sensitive subjects such as substance use, poisoning, and death.

Ages 13 - 18 | Free drop in

Thursday | **Oct 20**

4:00 - 5:00 pm

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PARTNERSHIPS





The Prince George Public Library respectfully acknowledges the unceded ancestral lands of the Lheidli T'enneh, on whose land we live, work, and play.

**Bob Harkins Branch,
downtown**

888 Canada Games Way,
Prince George, BC V2L 5T6

**Nechako Branch,
in the Hart**

6547 Hart Highway,
Prince George, BC V2K 3A4

HOURS

Bob Harkins Branch, downtown:

Mon: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Tues - Thurs: 10:00am - 8:00pm
Fri: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Sat: 10:00am - 5:00pm
Sun: 12:00pm - 4:00pm*

Nechako Branch, in the Hart:

Mon - Weds: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Thurs: 10:00am - 8:00pm
Fri: 10:00am - 6:00pm
Sat: 10:00am - 5:00pm
Sun: CLOSED

*The Bob Harkins Branch will be **open** on Sundays from **Sep 13** to **May 16**.

Both branches are also closed on:

Monday, **Sep 7**, Wednesday, **Sep 30** & Monday, **Oct 12**

CONNECT

email: ask@pgpl.ca

phone: 250-563-9251 ext 100

website: www.pgpl.ca

Accessibility

Our branches are fully accessible. Bob Harkins Branch has an elevator; Nechako Branch is on one level. If you have any questions about accessibility or need accommodations, please contact us.

ALL PROGRAMS AND EVENTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Visit www.pgpl.ca/events for most current details