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Spring Break Grade School Programming

It's all about STEAM at Springfield Public Library!

Springfield Public Library and Springfield Utility Board have teamed up once again to bring grade schoolers a week of STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math) programming over Spring Break! Join us for one or all of the programs listed here. All are free and open to the community and generously funded by the Springfield Utility Board with additional funding from the Springfield Public Library Foundation and Springfield Arts Commission.

- 11 a.m., Monday, March 27 at - **Highs & Lows: Deep in the Trenches – An Underwater Exploration Workshop**
- 1 p.m., Monday, March 27 - **Highs & Lows: On Top of the World – A Mountains & Climbing Workshop**
- 11 a.m., Tuesday, March 28 - **Virtual Field Trip: Natural Wonders**
- 1 p.m., Tuesday, March 28 - **Virtual Field Trip: Amazing and Man-Made Places**
- 11 a.m. & 1 p.m., Wednesday, March 29 - **The Art of Maps with Marianne Walker**
- 11 a.m., Thursday, March 30 - **Way Back When: Prehistoric Art Workshop**
- 1 p.m., Thursday, March 30 - **Way Back When: Our First Tools**
- 11 a.m., Friday, March 31 - **Our Impact: How We Change Our World**
- 1 p.m., Friday, March 31 - **Our Impact: Recycled Art Workshop with MECCA**

What: Spring Break Programming

When: March 27-March 31 2017

Where: Springfield Public Library

Additional Information: Taylor Worley, 541.726.2243, tworley@springfield-or.gov

Teen Program at Springfield Public Library

Game Day

VR games, big screen video games, board games, snacks and more. Come get into the game with friends, fun and food. Teens join us at 4:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 28 in the Library Meeting Room at the Springfield Public Library, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield. This event is free and intended for teens.

The Library offers a weekly gathering for teens at 4:30 p.m., every Tuesday. Join us to hang out, enjoy a snack, learn new skills and have fun.

What: Teens on Tuesday: Game Day

When: 4:30 p.m., March 28

Where: Library Meeting Room, Springfield Public Library, 225 Fifth Street, Springfield OR

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Story Walk at Millrace Park

An Outdoor Explorative Storytime

Families with children of all ages are invited to Millrace Park at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, April 1 for a storytime and walk around the park. This program is designed for preschoolers and early elementary schoolers and is perfect for families. This storytime is part of our year-long focus on geography education funded by the Grey Family Foundation.

What: Storywalk at Millrace Park

When: 10:30 a.m., April 1

Where: Millrace Park

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