NOVEMBER

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn 10:30 a.m. 1	Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn 10:30 a.m. 2	Preschool Problem Solvers (6 Weeks) 10:30 a.m. 3	Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. English Conversation Circle (e4c) 6:30 p.m. 4	Preschool Read and Rhyme 10:30 a.m. School's Out 3:30 p.m. Youth Talk 5:00 p.m. 5	Baby Laptime 10:30 a.m. Reading Buddies 4:30 p.m. 6	Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn 10:30 a.m. 7
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To register and for a complete list of classes visit: epl.ca/classes

***All classes are drop in unless otherwise specified**

Children

Baby Laptime

Enjoy delightful stories, songs, books, rhymes, finger plays and more, especially for babies. Cuddle with your baby and connect with other caregivers. Duration: 30 minutes. **Ages 0 - 12 months.** **NOTE: Registration recommended**

Sing, Sign, Laugh and Learn

You and your child from birth to age three are invited to join us for songs, rhymes and signs! In this inclusive class, offered in collaboration with the Edmonton Early Intervention Program, parents/caregivers will interact one-on-one with their child while learning strategies to engage their child and enhance their child's communication and development through repetition, visuals and movement. **Ages 0 - 3.** **NOTE: Registration recommended**

Preschool Problem Solvers

Looking for opportunities that help build school skills and encourage independence? Preschool Problem Solvers introduces shapes, numbers, colours and classroom behaviour to children aged four to five. In this class, they will dance, sing, investigate and have fun! Parents may choose to participate or let their child attend solo. All parents must remain in the library for the duration of the class. Duration: 45 minutes. This class has a limit of 15 participants. **Ages 4 - 5.** **NOTE: Registration required. This program is created for preschool children ages 4-5. Grown-ups and siblings are welcome to watch, but the activities are designed especially for our preschool friends.**

Preschool Read and Rhyme

Preschool Read and Rhyme gives children aged 4 to 5 the opportunity to interact with words in a fun and stimulating environment. With stories, songs, rhymes, and movement, they will explore language and have fun! Parents may choose to participate or let their child attend solo. **All parents must remain in the library for the duration of the class.** Duration: 30 minutes. **Ages 4 - 5.** **NOTE: Registration recommended.**

LEGO at the Library

Calling all Lego lovers! Come to the library to design and build a Lego creation. Share your building tips and tricks with others. **Ages 6 - 12.**

School's Out

When school is out, the library is in! Complete challenges, play games or learn something new. Discover all the fun activities waiting for you at EPL.
Ages 6 - 12.

Reading Buddies

THIS CLASS IS FOR CHILDREN IN GRADES 2 TO 4 ONLY.Do you love to read? Do you want to have fun, make new friends and practice your reading skills? Reading Buddies is a class that matches teen mentors with kids in Grades 2–4. Through interactive games and activities, buddies share their enthusiasm for reading. **Ages 6 - 8.** **NOTE: Registration Required**

Home Alone Course

Taking the first steps toward staying home alone can feel like a big milestone! The Home Alone Program helps children build the confidence and life skills they need so they feel prepared for short periods of time on their own. This is a free session with a final certification so children can leave with the knowledge and confidence to be home alone safely. **Ages 9 - 12.** **NOTE: Registration Required. Please register by calling or emailing: 780-478-5396 | reception@kara-frc.ca**

Teen

Youth Talk

Practice your communication skills and gain familiarity with Canadian society and culture in this conversation-based class designed for newcomer youth. This in person class is offered in partnership with Action for Healthy Communities. It is also offered as a virtual class through Google Meet. Contact Basem Alrahim for more details. **NOTE: Registration required**

Adult

Seniors' Drop-In

Have a coffee, meet with other seniors, and come if you like cards, conversation and community.

Craft & Chat

Create and have fun with other crafters! Bring your current project to work on or enjoy a different project/medium supplied by staff each week. This class is a space for all people, from beginners to avid crafters, to gather and connect through crafting. Bring your family, friends, or just yourself and meet new people!

Book Clubs of EPL: The Silent Patient

Love reading? Love to talk about books you've read? Join our book club for spirited discussions on a wide range of fiction and non-fiction. Each month we'll tackle a new title. Whether you loved it, loathed it, or left it unfinished, we want to hear your take. Come share your impressions and connect with fellow readers! This month we will be reading *The Silent Patient* by Alex Michaelides.
NOTE: Registration Required

English Conversation Circle (e4c)

Do you want a safe place to meet other people and become more confident in your English? Join our English Conversation Circle. You will be able to practice your English speaking, listening, reading, and writing skills while meeting new people and leaning more about Canadian culture.

Computer Skills: Introduction to Typing and Microsoft Word

This is a class for those who are new to computers including English language learners and seniors. You will learn typing basics, how to use Microsoft Word documents and basic formatting techniques. You should already know basic computer parts and terms, how to use a mouse, and how to launch a program in Microsoft Windows. A laptop and mouse will be provided for this class. This class is drop in but may be limited to 5 participants.

Life Skills: Rent Ready Certificate Course - Know More, Stress Less

Renting can be complicated. The Rent Ready Certificate Course can make it easier. Take this FREE course offered by the City of Edmonton and its partners to learn skills on how to become a great tenant and navigate the rental market. This 4-week FREE course offered November 17 to December 8 will give you the knowledge and tools you need to find the right and keep the right housing for you. You must attend all four sessions in person in order to get a certificate. Registration is limited to 15 participants. **NOTE: Registration required. To register, visit edmonton.ca/RentReady or call 311. Email zula.romero@edmonton.ca for questions.**

Financial Literacy - TFSA Basics

In this class, you will learn the following:

- What is a TFSA
- What is required to open a TFSA Account
- Benefits of TFSA - What you can do with TFSA (savings accounts, GICs, ETFs etc.)
- Contribution Limit; What is it, Where to find it, How to calculate it
- Includes in-class examples

NOTE: Registration required.

Financial Literacy - RRSP Basics

In this class, you will learn the following:

- What is an RRSP? What is required to set one up and what are the benefits?
- What is an RRIF? What is required to begin receiving RRIF income + methods of receiving
- What is a Spousal RRSP?
- RRSP Contribution Room: What it is, where to find it, how it is determined
- RRSP Contribution Room vs Deduction Limit
- Brief overview of the Attribution Rule
- Includes in-class examples

NOTE: Registration required.

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