

# APRIL

Sunday

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

Saturday

**EASTER MONDAY**  
All locations closed

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Sing, Sign, Laugh, and Learn 10:30 a.m.  
Reading Buddies Volunteer Orientation 4:00 p.m.

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Baby Laptime 10:30 a.m.  
English Conversation Circle (LACE) 1:00 p.m.

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Book Clubs of EPL: Maggie Murders 2:30 p.m.

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Digital Book Club Meet-up: One eRead Canada 7:00 p.m.

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**Meadows Branch**  
2702 - 17 Street NW  
780.442.7472

To register and for a complete list of classes visit: [epl.ca/classes](http://epl.ca/classes)

\*All classes are drop in unless otherwise specified

## Children

### 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 birth to 3.**

**NOTE: Registration recommended**

### Baby Laptime

Enjoy delightful stories, songs, book, rhymes, finger plays and more, especially for babies. Cuddle with your baby and connect with other caregivers. **Ages up to 12 months.**

**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 30 minute class.

This class has a limit of 12 participants. **Preschooler.**

**NOTE: Registration required**

### Reading Buddies

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.

If your child is in Grades 2-4, please register for a spot in the class or contact your local branch for more information. If you're a teen who would like to volunteer, visit [www.epl.ca/volunteer](http://www.epl.ca/volunteer) for more information. **Grades 2 to 4 only. NOTE: Registration required**

### 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.**

## Teens

### Reading Buddies Volunteer Orientation

Have you been accepted as a Reading Buddies volunteer? Accepted new volunteers are required to attend this mandatory orientation session. If you are interested in volunteering for Reading Buddies, please see current openings at [epl.ca/volunteer](http://epl.ca/volunteer) and apply. Volunteers will be contacted and interviewed before the orientation.

## Adult

### Book Clubs of EPL: Magpie Murders

Love reading? Love to talk about books you've read? Come join us for lively discussions on all types of fiction and non-fiction. We'll feature different titles and authors each month. Come and share your impressions, thoughts and interpretations of a book we have all read.

This month we will be reading *Magpie Murders* by Anthony Horowitz. After registering for this event, please check your email for instructions on how to get your copy! **NOTE: Registration required**

### Digital Book Club Meet-up: One eRead Canada

Join our digital book club! For the entire month of April, get instant access to Hotline by Dimitri Nasrallah.

Written by an exciting new voice in Canadian literature, Hotline will grow your understanding and appreciation of the unique aspects of this country and the lives of Canadians from coast to coast to coast.

**NOTE: Registration required**

### English Conversation Circle (LACE)

Practice your English with others. A group of amazing volunteers are ready to assist with your learning as you discuss topics of interest in a comfortable and friendly environment. English Conversation Circle is part of Catholic Social Services' Learning and Community Enrichment (LACE) program. Call Catholic Social Services at 780-424-3545 for more information. Registration is encouraged.

**NOTE: Registration recommended**

### Computer Skills: Introduction to Microsoft Excel

This is a class for those who are new to computers including English language learners and seniors. You will learn what Excel is and what it can be used to do, how to enter, edit and format data in a spreadsheet and an introduction to constructing basic formulas. You should already know basic computer parts and terms, how to use a mouse and keyboard, and how to navigate Microsoft Windows. A laptop and mouse will be provided for this class.

**NOTE: Registration required**

### Computer Skills: Internet Safety and Privacy

This is a class for those who are new to computers including English language learners and seniors. You will be introduced to the risks involved in using the Internet as well as ways to identify threats and protect yourself and your devices. A laptop will be provided for this class. **NOTE: Registration required**