Tweens & Teens

Tweens Night

Think outside the art box

Look beyond traditional forms of art and get creative with different materials and techniques. **Register here.**

Central / Room A / Ages 9 -12
Mondays / 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Mystery Basket Challenge / Sep 23 🖥
Create a work of art from the strange and unusual supplies in your basket.

Zombie Art Hacking / Oct 28 🖥
Take a normal piece of art work and zombify it.

Out of this World Art / Nov 25 🖥Create elemental jars and galaxy art.

Paper Art / Dec 16 🖥
Create wall art, origami, stained glass and 3D sculptures, all made of paper!

Boredom Busters - Engineering Challenges
Ages 9-12

Compete in themed engineering challenges each month. Create your own amusement park ride, giant towers, sinking ships and more.

Central / Room A 🖥   **Register here.**
Mondays / Sep 16; Oct 7; Nov 11; Dec 2
7 - 8:30 p.m.

Get Board!
Ages 14+

Join us for some casual board gaming. Bring your own, or explore our new collection of games!

Central / Browsery (drop-in)
Thursdays / Sep 19; Oct 17; Nov 21; Dec 19 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Graphic Novel Squad
Ages 9-13

Graphic novel and comic book lovers unite! Discuss what makes them so amazing and explore the stories through a variety of games and art activities. Pick up a copy of the book at the Library's Full Service Desk before each meeting.

Richmond Green 💻 **Register here.**
Wednesdays / Oct 2 (Diary of a Wimpy Kid); Nov 6 (Marvel Comics); Dec 4 (Star Wars Adventures) / 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.

Book Wars
Grades 7-9

Once a month two titles go head to head. Pick a side, read the book and prepare to defend it.

Central / Room D 💻 **Register here.**
Thursdays / Oct 3; Nov 7; Dec 5 / 7 - 8 p.m.

Y.A. Lit Overlords
Ages 13+

Don't just read a book -- experience it! Check out an amazing new young adult book each month and experience it with interactive games, activities and art projects. Pick up a copy of the book at the Full Service Desk before each meeting.

Richmond Green
Thursdays / Oct 3 (*Lifel1k3*, by Jay Kristoff); Nov 7 (*Scythe*, by Neal Shusterman); Dec 5 (*Sky in the Deep*, by Adrienne Young) / 3:45 - 4:45 p.m.

Ancient History Voyages
Ages 9-12

Use the library to travel back in time! Experience a different historic era each month such as the Middle Ages, Ancient Egypt or Ancient Rome.

Richmond Green 💻 **Register here.**
Thursdays / Oct 3; Nov 7; Dec 5 / 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Story Sheroes
Ages 10-14

Calling all girls and gender non-conforming youth in grades 5-8! Celebrate writing, creativity and individuality. Activities include blackout poetry, journaling, collaborative storytelling, spreading kindness and more.

Richvale 💻 **Register here.**
Tuesdays / Oct 8 - 29 / 4:30 - 5:30 p.m.

Newcomer Youth Club
Ages 13-18

Are you a teenager who has recently moved to Canada? Join us to make friends, practice English and try new things. *Presented in partnership with LSP of CCSYR.*

Central / Room A 💻 **Register here.**
Tuesdays / Oct 8 - Nov 26 / 7 - 8:30 p.m.

Zombie Survival Night: The Revenge
Grades 9-12

The zombies are back in the library... and want revenge for their fallen! In teams of five, complete challenges and solve clues while avoiding the ravenous zombies. Prizes will be awarded to the team that comes in first place.

Richmond Green
Wednesday / Oct 23 / 4 - 5:30 p.m.

Tween Zombie Mission
Ages 9-12

Do you have what it takes to bring down a group of zombies in the library? In teams of five, zoom through the library to avoid obstacles, complete challenges and find the zombie cure. Prizes will be awarded to the team to make it out with the cure!

Richmond Green
Tuesday / Oct 29 / 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

Photography Workshop with Petrija Dos Santos
Ages 13-18

Join professional photographer **Petrija Dos Santos** as she shares her insider tips and tricks to make your photos stand out. Bring whatever equipment you have, whether it's a snazzy new digital camera or a smart phone.

Central / Room C 🖥 **Register here.**
Saturday / Oct 26 / 2:30 - 4 p.m.

Gardening Lab
Ages 9-12

Explore the natural world around you and learn how to make something for your garden at home. This program is held indoors and is hands-on. Old clothing is recommended.

Richmond Green 🖥 **Register here.**
Wednesday / Nov 6 / 4 - 5 p.m.

Red Cross Babysitting Course
Ages 11-15

Learn basic first aid and caregiving skills. The Red Cross Babysitter's manual and certificate will be given to those who successfully complete the course. Participants are asked to bring a pencil, paper and a doll or stuffed animal to the program. **Please note:** Lunch is not provided. *Program offered by The Canadian Red Cross.* **Register here.**
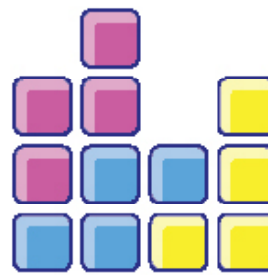
Central / Rooms A & B / $60 🖥
Saturday / Nov 30 / 10 a.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Take a Paws Study Break
College and University Students

Press "paws" on exam stress and visit with a **St. John's Ambulance** therapy dog.

Central / Room B (drop-in)
Thursday / Dec 12 / 7 - 8 p.m.

VIDEO GAME DESIGN

Video Game Design with Bloxels
Ages 9-12

Learn how to use the library's Bloxels kits to design characters and levels in a video game world. **Register here.**

Richmond Green 🖥
Thursdays / Sep 12, 19, 26; Nov 14, 21, 28
6 - 7:30 p.m.

Create your own Video Game with Bloxels
Ages 9-12

Build your own video game with Bloxels using a gameboard, coloured blocks and an iPad. **Register here.**

Central / Room C 🖥
Friday / Nov 8 / 4 - 5 p.m.

🖥 Registration required

RICHMOND HILL PUBLIC Library
Celebrate your curiosity

Richmond Hill Public Library Board

Any members of the public wishing to appear before the Board should advise the CEO or Board Chair in writing one week before each meeting. The 2019 Library Board meeting dates are posted on our website.

Library Board meetings are scheduled for September 19, October 17, November 21 and December 12 at Central Library.

Central 1 Atkinson St. Richmond Hill, ON L4C 0H5	Mon - Thurs Friday Saturday Sunday	9:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. 9:30 a.m. - 6 p.m. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. 12 p.m. - 5 p.m.	905-884-9288	
Oak Ridges* 13085 Yonge St., #12 Richmond Hill, ON L4E 3L2	Mon - Thurs Friday Saturday Sunday	10 a.m. - 9 p.m. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Closed	905-773-5533	
Richmond Green 1 William F. Bell Pkwy. Richmond Hill, ON L4S 2T9	Mon - Thurs Friday Saturday Sunday	10 a.m. - 8 p.m. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Closed	905-780-0711	
Richvale 40 Pearson Ave. Richmond Hill, ON L4C 6T7	Tues & Wed Thurs & Fri Saturday Sun & Mon	10 a.m. - 8 p.m. 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Closed	905-889-2847	

Please note that the current Oak Ridges Library location (13085 Yonge St.) will be closed as of Monday, Sept. 9, 2019, and the new Oak Ridges Library (34 Regatta Ave.) is on track to open in late Fall 2019. During the intermediary period, Oak Ridges Library will be closed as the Library transitions to the new location. Please visit rhpl.ca/newoakridges to access the most up-to-date information on our newest branch.

Legend:
- Wireless Internet
- Cafe / Coffee Machine
- Public Use Computers
- P Free Parking
- Meeting Rooms
- Outdoor Book Drop
- Self-Service Checkout and Hold Pick up
- Wheelchair Accessible
- Assistive Technology