



Miramar Library October 2017 Programs

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Adult Programs.....

Citizenship Test Preparation: Civics, Government and Interview Skills practice for the "100 Questions" and the interview/test process. **Saturdays 2:00pm-3:30pm**

English Café: A place where speakers of other languages can practice advanced level reading and conversational English. **Mondays, 10:30am-12:00pm Tuesdays, 6:00pm-7:30pm**

El Club: A class that provides an opportunity for intermediate Spanish learners to practice Spanish conversation. **Mondays 5:30pm-7:00pm**

Basic English: In this class you will learn Basic English that will help you make yourself easily understood whether you are on the phone, applying for a job or just socializing. Space is limited to 20 persons. Pick up a number at the Reference Desk prior to the start of class. **Wednesdays 10:30am-12:00pm**

English Improvement: Reading Club: Practice English by reading articles, short stories and books. This club will improve your English skills through reading and discussion for **intermediate level reading**. **Thursdays 10:30am-12:00pm**

Thursday, October 5- "Writer's Club": The Friends of the Miramar Library hosts this Creative Writing Club. Come and join us as we write, read, listen and comment! **10:30am-12:30pm**

Saturday, October 7 - Try Your Hand at iPad! iOS 10: In this course you will learn the basic tricks and techniques for using your iPad. Please bring your own iPad fully charged. Seating is limited. No Pre-Registration. **10:30am-12:30pm**

Tuesday, October 10 – Financial Holiday Survival Guide: Shop Smart & Save: Don't stress about money this holiday season! Join Consolidated Credit Solutions' Financial Education Outreach Specialist, Charmaine Williams who will teach you how to budget for the holidays. The workshop will focus on such topics as: planning family activities and strategies to avoid overspending, strategies to avoid impulse buying, and how to stop spending on autopilot. **6:00pm-7:30pm**

Saturday, October 14 – "Library eBooks for Every One!" Learn how to download Library eBooks to your eReader, Tablet or Smart Phone. Choose from thousands of titles. Lightweight and easy to carry. Adjustable text size. No late fees. 3 week loan period. Bring your device fully charged. Kindle users must know their Amazon user id and password. **10:30am-12:30pm**

Saturday, October 14 - Friends of the Miramar Library Fall FUNdraiser! Games, Prizes, Face Painting, Fortune Teller, Arts and Crafts, Book Fair, Food and Fun. All proceeds go to the Miramar Library. Have Fun and help out! **11:00am-5:00pm**

Wednesday, October 18 – Falun Dafa Workshop: Qigong Exercise and Meditation Class- Build a Better World through inner peace with the ancient, high level Chinese cultivation practice of Falun Dafa (also known as Falun Gong). Falun Dafa is a comprehensive Chinese practice which cultivates both mind and body through gentle Qigong exercise and meditation. The class will be led by an instructor from the Florida Falun Dafa Association. Please bring a yoga mat or towel with you for sitting meditation. For more information call 954-357-8180. **6:00pm-7:30pm**

Thursday, October 19 - "Writer's Club": The Friends of the Miramar Library hosts this Creative Writing Club. Come and join us as we write, read, listen and comment! **10:30am-12:30pm**

Saturday, October 21 – Gain the Upper Hand with Your iPad! iOS 10: In this course you will learn how to use advanced apps for iPad. Please bring your own iPad fully charged. Seating is limited. No Pre-Registration. **10:30am-12:30pm**

Saturday, October 21- Friends of the Miramar Library Membership Meeting: Meeting to discuss library events and advocacy. Open to the Public. **11:00am-1:30pm**

Saturday, October 21 - Jeremy's Book Club. Adult Reading Club for ages 18 and above. Each month, we will discuss a best-selling book and have light refreshments. Pick up your copy of the book at the Reference Desk. October's book is **Our Kind of Traitor** by John Le Carre. **4:00pm-5:00pm**

Monday, October 23 – Business Workshop: "The Art of Marketing": This workshop will cover topics such as "Understanding the Five P's of Marketing", "Targeting Your Customers", "Implementing a Marketing Strategy" and more. **6:00pm-8:00pm**

Tuesday, October 24 - "Meditation for Peace and Illumination". Cleanse your aura in this one hour meditation session. Registration is not necessary, but seating is first come, first served. **6:00pm-7:00pm**

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Wednesday, October 25 - U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services: Immigration Services Officers from the USCIS Hialeah Field Office will visit Miramar Library to provide general information and forms. **5:30pm-7:30pm**

Saturday, October 28 - RB Digital Magazines—Free Online Magazines from Broward County Library: Hundreds of FREE magazines for your computer or mobile device! Come and learn how!! **10:30am-12:30pm**

Saturday, October 28- Adult Coloring Book Club: A Unique Way to De-stress and Unwind- Adults will enjoy this calming and meditative exercise. Coloring Books and Colored Pencils provided. Registration Required 954-357-8180.
11:00am-1:00pm

Saturday, October 28 - Fake News and Media Hoaxes: Spotting the Truth and Lies in Today's News.
Have you been frazzled by fake news or fallen victim to a media hoax? This lecture will examine famous fake news stories and give you tips on how you can better determine if what you are reading or watching is fact or fiction. **2:00pm-3:00pm**

Saturday, October 28- Trivia at the Library Test your knowledge! The Miramar Library will challenge your skill with a friendly trivia competition. Open to anyone 18+ years of age. Light refreshments will be served. To Register Call: 954-357-8180 **3:30pm-5:30pm**

Monday, October 30 - Yoga : This is a Hatha "All Levels" class with breathing, balance, strength and stretching exercises followed by guided relaxation and meditation. Please bring water and a big towel if you do not have a yoga mat and bring any exercise straps or blocks if you have them. Do not eat a heavy meal at least 2-3 hours before the class. **6:00pm-7:00pm**

Children's and Teen's Programs.....

Books-N-Babies: Babies, caregivers and books will interact through stories, rhymes and songs.
Ages up to 24 months. **Mondays, 11:00am-11:30am**

Get Ready For Kindergarten: An engaging and active environment for children to foster their love for books and art while enhancing their language, literacy and fine motor skills. Ages 3-5. **Wednesdays, 11:00am-11:30am**

Tween Wii: Gaming fun! Ages 8-12. **Wednesdays, 5:00pm-5:45pm.**

Rhythm Learning Time: Come listen, play and sing while developing a lifelong love for music. Children will develop language, social, emotional and physical skills in a fun way. Ages 4 and under. **Fridays, 11:00am-11:45am**

Reading Buddies: Practice your reading with a teen volunteer! Ages 5-10. **Saturdays, 2:00pm-3:00pm**

Children's and Teen's Programs Special Events!!!.....

Saturday, October 7 - Celebrate Latin Culture with Marci Poppins! A fun, colorful pageantry of music, dance and family friendly activities. Come celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month with a fun interactive tribute to Latin culture. All Ages.
11:00am-12:00pm

Saturday, October 7 - Teen Club: Come hang out with other teens and plan cool activities for the library. Join and earn volunteer hours. **3:00pm-5:00pm**

Tuesdays, October 10 and October 24 - Think Alouds For Reading Comprehension: Children will understand reading comprehension strategies better when an instructor uses Think Alouds, which model the thought processes aloud so that children can use the same strategies to comprehend what they read. Ages 8-13. **5:00pm-5:45pm**

Friday, October 27 – Not so Scary Halloween Rhythm Learning Time: A Halloween themed music story time followed by a craft and a Halloween Parade. Come in costume...parents can dress up too! Ages 5 and under. **11:00am-12:00pm**



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