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**ALEBRIJES: CREATE COLORFUL TRADITIONAL  
MEXICAN MYTHICAL CREATURES AT SPRINGFIELD  
PUBLIC LIBRARY**

*A bilingual two-part papier maché workshop is offered as part of the  
Día de los Niños/Día de los Libros celebration*

This papier maché workshop is an educational and creative project lead by Jessica Zapata of Eugene Arte Latino. Through stories and visual material, kids will be introduced to myths and legends from different countries. Then participants will create an imaginary creature using various techniques with paper and cardboard and other recycled materials. The workshop is free for youth from 8 – 18 years of age. Pre-registration is required. Call or stop by the Youth Services Desk to sign up. This workshop is part of the Día de los Niños/ Día de los Libros, Children's Day/Book Day Celebration which will culminate in a Fiesta celebrating children and literacy on Saturday, April 28, 2012.



**What:** Alebrijes, papier maché creatures, Workshop, pre-registration required

**When:** Mondays, April 16 & 23, 2012, 5:30-7:30pm

**Where:** The Springfield Public Library

**Additional Information:** Contact Emily Ziglinski at (541) 726-2235