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# Media Advisory

## Springfield Library Programs March 8-11

### TEEN TECH WEEK AT SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY

*Get Connected*

Teen Tech Week is an annual event sponsored by the Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA) to promote the great non-print resources and services that libraries offer to teens and their families. This year's theme, "Get Connected" provides an opportunity to give teens a space to extend learning beyond the classroom where they can explore, create and share.

**Tuesday, March 8<sup>th</sup> at 4:30– Connect in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Dimension:** Draw in 3-D, build in 3-D, launch your own U3DO (Unidentified 3-D Object). We'll have 3-D pens, Magna Tiles and a wind tunnel for creative fun.

**Wednesday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 4:30– Connect with Robots:** You make them, you control them. We've got Cubelets, Dash & Dot and brushbots.

**Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 4:30– Connect a Circuit:** We are pulling out the Snap Circuits and the Little Bits. Make it blink, beep, sing and fly. 100s of projects –versus- your brain.

**What:** *Teen Tech Week: Get Connected* at Springfield Public Library

**When:** Tuesday to Thursday March 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> 2016 from 4:30-5:30 pm each day

**Where:** Springfield Public Library, Library Conference Room

**Additional Information:** Contact LuCinda Gustavson at 541-726-2287

## **PRESCHOOL FUN WITH ART & SCIENCE AT THE SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC LIBRARY**

### *Windy Days*

March winds are blowing in lots of learning with fun stories, songs and activities. Join us on Thursday, March 10<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 a.m. in the Library Children's area to build your own flying object and send it skyward in our wind tunnel. Children should come dressed for messy craft projects and be accompanied by a caregiver. The program is free. All supplies will be provided by the library. This program is intended for children ages 3-6.

**What:** Preschool Fun with Art & Science

**When:** Thursday, March 10th 2016, 10:30-11:15 am

**Where:** Springfield Public Library

**Additional Information:** [wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html](http://wheremindsgrow.org/programskids.html), or contact LuCinda Gustavson at (541) 726-2287

## **MAKE & TAKE ART @SPL**

### *Painted Beads & DIY Jewelry*

Kids are welcome to bring an adult and create wearable art on Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup> from 2:00-3:00pm in the Children's Area of the Springfield Public Library. We always like to have something fun on Springfield School District early release days, and this time we're feeling quite fashionable! Completely free and no registration required.

**What: Make & Take Art at SPL: Painted Beads & DIY Jewelry**

**When:** Friday, March 11<sup>th</sup> 2016 from 2:00-3:00pm

**Where:** Springfield Public Library, Children' Area

**Additional Information:** Contact Taylor Worley at 541-726-2243 or [tworley@springfield-or.gov](mailto:tworley@springfield-or.gov)