

October 2022 LEVEL UP! Teen Events



VELMA TEAGUE LIBRARY

Halloween ComicFest @ the Library! Drawn to Comics (5801 W. Glendale Ave.), downtown Glendale's source for comic books, gaming, and collectibles, is teaming up with the library once again to treat you to a spooktacular all-ages Halloween celebration! Choose from an assortment of free comics, meet local comic book artists, shop with cool vendors, pose with your favorite cosplay characters, and enjoy fun games and crafts. There might even be a very special guest or two! Costumes are encouraged. Activities will take place at the Velma Teague Library and at the Drawn to Comics store located across the street. **Saturday, October 22, 5-8 PM.**

Day of the Dead Skull Rocks! Drop by the Teen Zone and create a cool and colorful Día de los Muertos skull rock using acrylic paints and design templates of your choice. Ages 12-18. **Monday, October 24, 6:30-7:45 PM. Teen Zone.**

MAIN LIBRARY

Teen Gaming. Meet new people and destroy your enemies! We'll provide the card, board, and tabletop games, you provide the competitive (and/or friendly) spirit! Ages 12-18. **Monday, October 3, 6-7:30 PM. Creative Space.**

Anime & Manga Club. Discuss everything anime and manga and maybe stream an episode or two! Ages 12-18. **Friday, October 7, 4-5 PM. Storytime Room.**

Zombie LARP XI: Punk Pirate Zombies of the Caribbean! Teen Afterhours. ARRRR you ready to save the world from yet another zombie apocalypse?? Thanks to a double-whammy of hexed punk rock and cursed pirate booty, we need you, yer mateys, your eye patches and mohawks to protect us all! Costumes are always welcome. This program is for teens, ages 12-18, only. Registration is required. **Friday, October 28, 6:30-8:30 PM.**

623-930-3600

<https://bit.ly/gplazteens>

Foothills Library
19055 N. 57th Ave.

Heroes Regional Park Library
6075 N. 83rd Ave.

Main Library
5959 W. Brown St.

Velma Teague Library
7010 N. 58th Ave.

To register for a program,
please visit
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For special accommodations,
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at least one week before the
event.

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HEROES REGIONAL PARK LIBRARY

TeenVenture: 3D Printing Fun! Design and print your favorite letter to decorate your shoelaces, necklace or keychain. All equipment and materials will be provided. Ages 10-18. **Sunday, October 2, 1-2 PM. Teen Space.**

Food & Nutrition for Teens. Earn your Certificate in Nutrition from the University of Arizona this fall by attending this three-part course in partnership with the American Heart Association. Get the tools you need to live your healthiest life from adolescence into adulthood. Learn how to balance the right carbs, fats, proteins, vitamins, and minerals to boost your immune system and your energy levels for good. You must attend all three classes to receive your Certificate in Nutrition. Presented by Khandle Hedrick, an Instructional Specialist in the University of Arizona's Expanded Food & Nutrition Education Program. Ages 12-18. Registration is required. **Monday, October 3, 10 & 17, 4-5 PM. Yucca Room.**

Teens' Manga Club. Come along to draw, discuss and share all things manga. Ages 12-18. **Sunday, October 9, 2-3 PM. Yucca Room.**

Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary: Around the World. Experience a whirlwind journey across the world, focusing on habitats and reptiles from almost every continent on Earth. Isabel Kostich, the Lead Conservation Educator at the Phoenix Herpetological Sanctuary, will use live reptiles in this demonstration, allowing students to observe adaptations and the significance of these creatures. Registration is required. **Saturday, October 29, 11 AM-12 PM. Youth Patio.**

Code with Daisy: Tween and Teen Coding Club. Build a better world through coding! Daisy, a software engineer, will show you how. This month we will continue working on Coding Club's robots. Ages 10-18. Registration is required. **Saturday, October 29, 1-2 PM. Yucca Room.**

FOOTHILLS LIBRARY

Teen Recs Cafe. Drop by to enjoy tea or hot chocolate and talk about favorite books, music, movies and more! Open to teens and tweens. **Monday, October 10, 6-7 PM. Teen Space.**

† **Glendale 100: Abstract Painting for Teens!** Come and create an abstract painting with us! This program is for tweens and teens, ages 10-18. **Monday, October 17, 6-7:30 PM. Hummingbird Room.**

Level Up! Dungeons & Dragons. Eager for adventure? Enjoy vanquishing foes? Hang out with us and play tabletop Dungeons & Dragons! Ages 12-18. **Monday, October 24, 6-7 PM. Teen Space.**

ALL LIBRARY LOCATIONS

Teen Book Boxes. Visit <https://bit.ly/gplteenbookbox> to request a Teen Book Box filled with cool stuff to keep, plus library books to borrow, chosen just for you by your personal teen librarian! Boxes will include three library books, a craft/activity, and other goodies. Quantities are limited, so sign up today! Ages 12-18. Limit one box per teen, per month.



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All events at the Glendale Public Library are public, and participants may be photographed by the media and/or City staff for future print and/or online publication.

Please arrive on time for registered programs. If you are more than 10 minutes late, your space may be given to another.

Glendale Public Library is a division of the City of Glendale's Community Services Department: 623-930-3590