



LEVEL UP! Teen Events

VELMA TEAGUE LIBRARY

Free Comic Book Day @ the Library! Drawn to Comics, downtown Glendale's source for comic books, gaming and collectibles, will be giving away comics at the Velma Teague Library in celebration of Free Comic Book Day! Comics will be offered on a first-come, first-served basis and while supplies last. Enjoy select vendors, cosplay, and crafts and games for kids. Activities will take place inside the library and at the Drawn to Comics store located across the street (5801 W. Glendale Avenue). Don't miss the Glendale comic book event of the year! **Saturday, May 6, 10 AM-2 PM.**

Velma Teague Library & Drawn to Comics.

†**Glendale 100: Abstract Painting for Teens.** Celebrate the 1930s by creating an abstract painting! Registration is required. Open to teens, ages 12-18. **Monday, May 15, 6-7:30 PM. Meeting Room.**

Teen Library Council Meeting. Earn volunteer service hours, have fun, and meet new people, all while helping us make the library a better place for teens. We're currently recruiting teens to provide input on the selection of books and music for the library's teen collection and to participate in the planning and presentation of library events. Open to teens, ages 12-18. Call Stephanie at 623-930-3440 for more information and to register. **Thursday, May 18, 5-6 PM. Meeting Room.**

ALL LIBRARY LOCATIONS

Teen Book Boxes. Visit <https://gplaz.org/teenbookbox> 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.

MAY 2023

623-930-3600

<https://gplaz.org/teens>

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

<https://gplaz.org/events>

or call 623-930-3600.



For special accommodations,
please call the host location
at least one week before the
event.



@glendaleteenlibrary

FOOTHILLS LIBRARY

Teen Techs. Explore and play with some tech gadgets, such as vinyl cutters for sticker making, 3D pens, a 3D printer, and more! Each month will feature a different gadget. Open to tweens and teens, ages 10-18. Registration is requested. **Monday, May 8, 6-7:30 PM. Teen Space.**

Teen & Tween Origami Night. May is Asian Pacific Heritage Month, so what better time to come hang out with us and presenters from the Precision Academy and craft some origami art? Learn how to fold and manipulate paper into something cool and fun! Open to tweens and teens, ages 10-18. Space is limited, so registration is required. **Monday, May 15, 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! Open to tweens and teens, ages 10-18. **Monday, May 22, 6-7 PM. Teen Space.**

HEROES REGIONAL PARK LIBRARY

TeenVenture: Zine Workshop! Drop in to learn about zines (little handmade magazines)! Pick your theme, then make and publish your own zine in the library! Open to tweens and teens, ages 10-18. **Sunday, May 7, 1-3 PM. Teen Space.**

Teens' Manga Club. Come along to draw, discuss and share all things manga! Open to teens, ages 12-18. **Sunday, May 14, 2-3 PM. Yucca Room.**

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. Open to teens and tweens, ages 10-18. Registration is required. **Saturday, May 27, 1-2 PM. Yucca Room.**

MAIN LIBRARY

Teen Gaming. Meet new people and destroy your enemies! Choose from games like Uno, Cards Against Humanity (the Family Edition), Codenames and more. Open to teens, ages 12-18. **Monday, May 1, 6-7 PM. Creative Space.**

Anime & Manga Club. Discuss everything anime and manga. We might even stream an episode or two! Open to teens, ages 12-18. **Friday, May 5, 4-5 PM. Storytime Room.**

Level Up! D&D @ Main. Meet new people while playing Dungeons & Dragons! Whether you've never heard of D&D or have a level 1 character already crafted, create your own adventures with other teen rogues, fighters, and druids! Open to teens, ages 12-18. **Monday, May 8, 6-7 PM. Creative Space.**

Junior CSI Academy. Families are invited to this fun and educational afternoon presented by the Glendale Police Department. Learn about fingerprinting and DNA analysis, meet a K-9 unit team, converse with a police officer, see a SWAT vehicle up close, and work through a mock crime scene. **Saturday, May 20, 12-2 PM. Meeting Room Wing.**

Looking for more to do in Glendale?

Visit https://www.glendaleaz.com/play/parks_and_recreation or scan the QR Code to see the events and classes offered by Glendale Parks and Recreation.



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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