



Job and Career Resource Webpage

Dear Community,

Libraries have always been a valuable asset to job seekers and aspiring learners with free access to computers, workspaces and reference materials. Even though our library buildings are closed to the public, our commitment to providing helpful resources is stronger than ever.

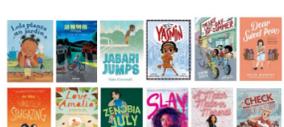
That's why we designed a new [Job and Career Resource Webpage](#) with a collection of free eResources, information, and online tools. We hope this webpage will put you on the right employment path, whether you are looking to find a job, build a professional skill, get a diploma or find a local resource partner. Our new [Workforce Wednesdays](#) series offers free skill-building workshops every two weeks, too. The next program, [Intro to LinkedIn Presented by Upwardly Global](#), will be held Wednesday, July 29.

Through thick and thin, your library is here for you!



Let's Make DIY Stencil Spray Paint Art!

Looking for a craft to pass the time? Check out our [in-depth blog](#) with pictures and step-by-step instructions for making a DIY stencil and creating spray paint art! Stencils have been used to make art for hundreds of years, including protest art in the 1960s. Need some visual guidance with your creation? Check out a [recording](#) of our live demonstration on [Facebook Live](#).



Mid-Summer Reading Picks

Have you explored all the books from our first [Summer Reading Picks](#) in June? Discover new stories to read with our latest [Mid-Summer Reading Picks](#)! For families and a variety of young ages, these titles are available in multiple languages and formats. Don't forget to log your reading this summer for the [Summer Learning Challenge](#)!



Grab Your Goods With Curbside Pickup

[Curbside Pickup](#) is now available five days per week, Tuesday–Saturday from 11 AM–4 PM. Need help scheduling an appointment? Watch our [tutorial](#) or read our [FAQs](#).

- Hold expirations are returning on July 28. If your held item is nearing its expiration date, you'll receive an email notification.
- Due dates have returned and you are welcome to enjoy your items during their allotted check out periods. Library bookdrops and designated drop off spots near Curbside Pickup are open.



Celebrate National Disability Independence Day

National Disability Independence Day is this Sunday, July 26, commemorating the anniversary of the signing of the [Americans with Disabilities Act \(ADA\)](#) in 1990. You're invited to celebrate with us and learn more about experiencing the world with a disability by reading, watching, or listening to these stories in our [reading list](#) for all ages.

Remembering Through Reading



Joanna Cole

Reading is supposed to be an adventure, and nobody was better at taking readers on an educational adventure than Joanna Cole, author of *The Magic School Bus* series. You can remember Ms. Cole with a list of her works in our [blog](#) — let's go on a magic field trip!

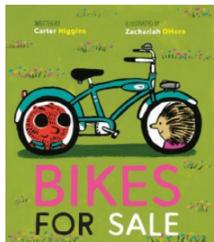


John Lewis

Join us in remembering Civil Rights leader and Congressman John Lewis, who passed away last Friday. You can learn more about his life-long fight for justice and equity in our [blog](#), which includes titles about his life and contributions to Civil Rights.

Staff Picks

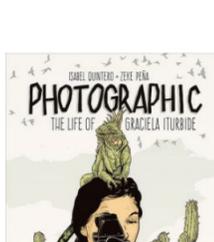
Our Staff Picks titles are available digitally through [online resources](#) or in print through [Curbside Pickup](#). Happy exploring!



Children's Book: [Bikes for Sale](#) by Carter Higgins

There's nothing like having a wonderful bike to ride around the park and city. But what happens when your bicycle breaks? Follow Maurice and Lotta's bike adventures with this fun summer read. Carter Higgins crafts a wonderful story about friendship and Zachariah Ohara's illustrations bring the story to life.

Nicole, Brisbane Library



Young Adult Book/eBook: [Photographic: The Life of Graciela Iturbide](#) by Isabel Quintero

Beautifully illustrated and poignantly written. Learn about Mexican photographer Graciela Iturbide. A quick read, but full of depth and appropriate for teens and adults of all ages.

Carmen, Half Moon Bay Library



Streaming: [Daughters of the Dust](#)

Written, directed, and produced by African American filmmaker Julie Dash. This film tells the story of a multi-generational family in the Gullah community on the Sea Islands off of South Carolina as they prepare to leave their home and migrate north. Available on [Kanopy](#).

Kelly, East Palo Alto Library



Children's Book: [After the Fall: How Humpty Dumpty Got Back up Again](#) by Dan Santat

Everyone knows Humpty Dumpty fell off the wall, but what if Humpty wanted to get back up again? Could he overcome his fear and climb up?

Adina, East Palo Alto Library

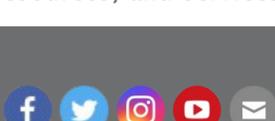


Adult Fiction: [The Book Supremacy](#) by Kate Carlisle

A cozy mystery based on a San Francisco super couple who solves a mystery through clues in the binding of a book and in a tourist spy shop setting. This is a combination you cannot turn down! *The Book Supremacy* is book number thirteen in the Bibliophile Mystery series.

Susan, Half Moon Bay Library

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