



ENDS SATURDAY,  
MARCH 16!

Complete Winter Reading 2024 today at [hcplmd.org/winterreading](http://hcplmd.org/winterreading) or by visiting any HCPL location.

FOR ADULTS & HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

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**Book Your Journey – Winter Reading 2024**

Time is running out to immerse yourself in the world of Winter Reading! There are just a few days left to complete your literary journey.

For adults – read or listen to at least 5 books, high school students – read or listen to at least 3 books. Reach this milestone, and a **FREE** 2024 HCPL Winter Reading collector's mug\* awaits you. Swing by any of our library locations to collect your well-deserved prize.

But the adventure doesn't end with reading alone! Explore the Winter Reading Dashboard to embark on exciting missions. Attend library programs, utilize online resources, or support local businesses – each activity recorded enhances your chances to win fantastic prizes. From swag bags to Winter Reading keepsake tote bags, enticing rewards are waiting for you.

Don't miss out on the Winter Reading Passport program, featuring collaborations with special local businesses. Collect stamps at participating establishments, engage in library activities, and earn a **FREE** 2024 Winter Reading keepsake tote bag\*. Delve into the last chapters of Winter Reading, seize these opportunities, and make your mark before it's too late!

\*While supplies last, so don't wait – your literary adventure is calling!

Winter Reading 2024

CHILDREN & FAMILIES



**Sew Much Fun**  
**Grade 3-8**  
**Saturday, March 16 3:00-4:30 pm – Aberdeen Library**  
Discover hand or machine sewing. We have projects for all skill levels! Supported by the Aberdeen Friends of HCPL.

Sew Much Fun

**Science Club**  
**Family**  
**Monday, March 18 4:00-6:00 pm – Abingdon Library**  
Enjoy some fun hands-on science experiments and STEM activities.

Science Club

**Art Explorers**  
**Family**  
**Tuesday, March 19 10:15-11:00 am – Whiteford Library**  
Bring your little ones in for story time and art projects that promote early learning! Supported by the North Harford Friends of HCPL.

Art Explorers

TEENS



**Stuffed Animal Taxidermy**  
**Grade 6-12**  
**Monday, March 18 3:30-4:30 pm – Fallston Library**  
Give some faux furry friends a new "life" by turning them into a fun DIY decoration for your room. Supported by the Fallston Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.\*

Register for Stuffed Animal Taxidermy

**Teen Crafternoon: Message Bracelets**  
**Grade 6-12**  
**Tuesday, March 19 3:30-5:00 pm – Aberdeen Library**  
Join us for crafting fun! All supplies will be provided. Supported by the Aberdeen Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.\*

Register for Teen Crafternoon: Message Bracelets

**Rubik's Cube Club**  
**Grade 6-12**  
**Wednesday, March 20 3:30-5:00 pm – Jarrettsville Library**  
Learn to solve the original and explore other types of puzzle cubes. Share strategies with other fans of this nostalgic but competitive toy. Supported by the Jarrettsville Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.\*

Register for Rubik's Cube Club

ADULTS



**Gentle Yoga**  
**Adult**  
**Wednesdays March 20-May 1 2:00-3:00 pm – Jarrettsville Library**  
A gentle approach to yoga designed for all ages, body types, and physical abilities. Each person attending must register prior to the program. Supported by the Jarrettsville Friends of HCPL. Each person attending must register prior to the program.\*

Register for Gentle Yoga

**Living History: Sarah Grimke Speaks**  
**Adult**  
**Thursday, March 21 6:30-7:30 pm – Bel Air Library**  
Chris Potts tells the story of Sarah Grimke in Sarah's voice, immersing the listener in a compelling vocal performance. She developed the idea to research the life and interpret the story of Sarah Grimke after leading a discussion on Sue Monk Kidd's *The Invention of Wings* in 2019 at the Historical Society of Harford County, where she now serves as Executive Director. Supported by the Bel Air Friends of HCPL.

Living History: Sarah Grimke Speaks

**Master Gardeners: Beginning Vegetable Gardening**  
**Adult**  
**Saturday, March 23 11:00 am-noon – Norrisville Library**  
Learn best practices on how to start a vegetable garden. Class will include tips on soil preparation, garden placement, when to plant, and what vegetables to plant for optimal satisfaction. Each person attending must register prior to the event.\*

Register for Master Gardeners: Beginning Vegetable Gardening

MORE THAN BOOKS



**Children's Digital Library**  
Dive into a world of imagination with HCPL's [Children's Digital Library](#)! Explore [OverDrive Kids](#) for audiobooks and eBooks, [Kanopy Kids](#) for movies and literary classics, [hoopla](#) for Disney eBooks and more, and [Tumblebook Library](#) for talking picture books. Discover a wealth of resources, from [TumbleMath](#)'s math picture books to [Trueflix](#)'s exploration of history, science, and nature. Visit our [Children's Digital Library](#) to embark on a journey of learning and fun!

Children's Digital Library

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