

STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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September Events at the Empire Library

The Empire Library will offer free craft programs and a LEGO day this September, beginning with a Slime Lab on Thursday, Sept.1 at 3:30 p.m. Children will learn how to make borax-free slime. This program is recommended for ages 4 to 12.

All ages are invited to make cupcake liner flowers on Thursday, Sept. 8 at 3:30 p.m. Each finished flower will feature a Tootsie Pop in the center. All materials will be provided.

Children can create their own Minecraft inspired structures out of paper on Thursday, Sept. 15 at 3:30 p.m. Each crafter can choose a paper Alex or Steve character to take home with their creation. There will also be a drawing for Minecraft prizes. Children under the age of 4 must have direct parental supervision.

The library will host a Perler Bead Pokémon craft on Thursday, Sept. 22 at 3:30 p.m. Participants can create their favorite Pokémon characters out of Perler beads. When heat is applied these colorful plastic beads fuse together, preserving the crafter's design. Pokémon Go players can also use this time to access the library's Pokéstop and load up on Pokéballs, potions, and more. Children under the age of 4 must be supervised by a parent.

Children can take part in a LEGO day on Thursday, Sept. 29 at 3:30 p.m. Finished LEGO creations will be displayed in the library. Children under the age of 4 must have direct parental supervision.

The Empire Library is located at 18 South Abbie in Empire. For more information about Empire Library programs, please contact the Empire Library Branch Supervisor, Grace Habiger, at (209) 524-5505.