



## STANISLAUS COUNTY LIBRARY

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### April Events at the Ceres Library

The Ceres Library will offer free programs for all ages this month, beginning with a free magic show on Wednesday, April 6 at 3:30 p.m. Magician Shawn Durham will entertain audiences with family friendly magic tricks and illusions. This event is open to all ages, but is ideal for preschool age children and older.

The library will offer a LEGO day for children on Thursday, April 7 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.

Wee Move and Play will be held on Wednesday, April 13 and 27 at 11:30 a.m. Both programs feature unstructured play time for toddlers and preschoolers, during which they can enjoy movement and sensory play.

On Saturday, April 9 the library will host a Family Story Time and Craft program. This program will feature the works of children's author Mo Willems. All ages are welcome.

Children and teens can make take part in a self portrait craft on Thursday, April 14 at 3:30 p.m. Participants will use provided craft materials to make paper doll versions of themselves.

On Thursday, April 21 at 3:30 p.m. the library will celebrate Día de los niños/ Día de los libros, or Day of the Child/Day of the Book. Children can enjoy a special bilingual Story Time and STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Art and Mathematics) activity. Each child will receive a commemorative activity book and a free new book provided through the Stanislaus READS! initiative.

Community members are invited to the library's All Ages Coloring Day on Thursday, April 28 at 3:30 p.m. The library will provide coloring pages, crayons, markers, and colored pencils. Coloring has been shown to reduce stress and promote creativity.

The Ceres Library is located at 2250 Magnolia St. in Ceres. For more information about Ceres Library programs, please contact the Ceres Library Branch Supervisor, Anne-Marie Montgomery, at (209) 537-8938.

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