2020 Fall Youth Services Workshop
Gone Virtual!
Session 3: All Things Animals
Imagine your 2021 summer program has been a great success in your community, meeting or exceeding your library’s goals and meeting many needs in your community. The program is so successful that your local newspaper features 3 articles about it on August 15.

What are the titles of 1-3 of those articles?
• Committee & board opportunities
• Idea submissions
• E-newsletter
• 2022: All Together Now (friendship & kindness)
• 2023: Oceans of Possibilities (oceanography)
• 2024: Adventure (slogan TBD)
State Library will provide:

- CSLP manual
- Posters
- Bookmarks
- Stickers
- Rubber stamp
New this year:
• Bilingual early literacy book lists
• Bilingual storytime tips
• Easier to use resizable downloads
• Clear activity categories
• More coloring sheets
Artist: Salina Yoon

Young kids

Kids

Teens

Adults
Trivia Time!

What is a group of rabbits called?

• Herd
• Colony
• Fluffle
• Nest
• All of the above are correct
Trivia Time!

What is a group of rabbits called?

• All of the above are correct
• Read to the dogs
• Animal trivia
• How to choose a pet & pet care
• Animal petting zoo
• Scat, tracks, & bone identification
• Bird & bird call identification
• Community conversations
• How-to: raise chickens, beekeeping, etc.

Animal-themed in-library OR virtual programs
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• Creating and coding an animation
• Animal anime and manga
• Skype a Scientist
• Conservation themed book club
• Animal themed career fairs
• Guided virtual zoo/museum tours
• Paper quilling animals
• Chick or duck hatching/embryology
Animal-themed virtual programs

Virtual Pet Meet and Greet
Monday, November 16th, 3:30 pm

Feeling stuck at home? Are your pets feeling stuck at home? Or maybe they’re feeling stuck that you’re constantly at home! Settle down with your family, your pet and your computer and meet other folks and their pets.

For more information and to register for this program, please visit the Shelter Island Public Library website.

Shelter Island (NY) Public Library
Animal-themed Take and Makes

Show and tell!

And check out the Take and Make database for more ideas: https://tinyurl.com/y3no7df3
Animal-themed Take and Makes

Buena Vista Public Library

CLOTHESPIN BUG
Develop concentration, eye-hand coordination and motor planning. Learn bug anatomy.

Materials Included:
- Clothespins
- Googly eyes
- Beads, buttons, puff balls
- Paper
- Pipe cleaners
- Bug Bingo card for LIVE event

Materials Needed:
- Glue
- Scissors
- Other materials that inspire your creative bug making

Instructions:
1. Choose three items that will be the three body parts of the insect.
2. Glue the three items onto the wooden clothespin, creating a head, thorax and abdomen.

Did you know we share the Earth with more than one million different species of insects?
In fact, 9 out of every 10 animals in this world are insects. They can be found in nearly all habitats and environments.
Each insect has an exoskeleton, which means their skeletons are on the outside of their bodies with the soft parts inside.
Animal-themed Take and Makes

- Animal origami
- Book art
- Nature journaling
- Lego build an animal
- Animal paint-by-sticker
- Look to the manual!
Animal-themed Take and Makes

**Animal Food Chain Take & Make**

Saturday, November 28th

Learn about the food chain with this kit. You’ll be able to cut out and color in creatures found in the wild and, using nesting tubes, create your very own mini ecosystem! Both educational and creative. (Ages 6-12)

For more information and to register for this program, please visit the [Shelter Island Public Library](https://www.shelter-islandlibrary.org) website.

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**3D Animal Puzzle**

Available Curbside Pick-up at both locations. M-T-F-Sat 9am-12pm, Wed 1-4pm, Th 1-7pm

Starting October 6, you can pick up your kit!

Make a puzzle out of foam pieces to create a surprise 3D animal. All materials are provided in a kit available for curbside pickup starting October 6.

AGES 4-12. Supplies are limited. Please register at [https://tinyurl.com/AnimalPuzzle](https://tinyurl.com/AnimalPuzzle) and schedule a time to pick up your kit. The program is paid for by the Framingham Cultural Council and through the Mass Cultural Council.

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Shelter Island (NY) Public Library

Framingham (MA) Public Library
Trivia Time!

What is the Colorado state insect?

• Colorado soldier beetle
• Colorado hairstreak butterfly
• Colorado potato beetle
• Southwestern stag beetle
Trivia Time!

What is the Colorado state insect?

• Colorado hairstreak butterfly
At home challenges

- Fiction writing—animal characters, short stories
- Backyard wildlife viewing
- Citizen Science projects
- Wildlife art contests
- Design your own zoo
- Nature/wildlife scavenger hunt/bingo

mesacountylibraries.org/wild-colorado-app/
At home challenges

2021 Teen Video Challenge!

Outdoor programming

- Bird watching
- Wildlife observation
- Socially distanced petting zoo
- Storywalks
- Outdoor storytimes
- Make and install bird feeders
- Wildlife photography and illustration
- Walking book clubs
- Make winter shelters for stray cats
Other remote programming

• Phone a story/poetry with animal themes
• Radio show featuring local animal-themed stories
• Animal-themed bingo games in newspapers/utility bills, school newsletters
In-library programming

• Stuffed animal sleepover
• Pet food/supply drive
To circulate

- Bird watching kits
- Pet-themed kits
- Animal-themed storytime kits
- Passes to zoos, museums, science/nature centers
- Animal-STEM kits
- Animal-themed early literacy kits
Which of these animals were thought to be extinct twice within the last 100 years in Colorado?

- Moose
- Black-footed ferret
- Ord’s kangaroo rat
- Calliope hummingbird
Trivia Time!

Which of these animals were thought to be extinct twice within the last 100 years in Colorado?

• Black-footed ferret
Animal-themed partners

• 4-H, Future Farmers of America
• State, local, & national parks & forests
• Animal therapy organizations
• Service animal organizations
• Animal shelter
• Equestrian programs
• Wildlife refuges/conservation centers
Animal-themed partners

- Veterinarians
- Nature centers, science museums, & zoos
- Citizen science projects
- Service learning projects
- Hobby organizations
- Science teachers
- Higher education
Incentives

• Donate to animal shelter in lieu of incentives
• Books about animals
• Nature journals
• Passes to museum, zoo, science/nature center, wildlife sanctuary
Next up:

• Nov 20, 1:00-3:00: All things volunteers, summer learning interest group, and more animals!

• Dec 3, 4:00-5:00: K-12/public librarian virtual connection

• Dec 10, 12:00-1:00: Outdoor programming webinar
Thank you!

Please complete this evaluation:

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