### YPL | Children's Programs | January 2023



### **Riverfront Library**

Homework Helper

Mondays, Wednesdays | 3:30-5 pm Fridays | 3-5 pm (when Yonkers Public Schools are in session)

Storytime with Mr. Ralph

Tuesdays | 11 am

**Tween Gaming** 

Tuesdays | 4 pm

**Babies & Books** 

Wednesdays, January 4, 11, 25 | 11 am

**Terrific Toddler Time** 

Thursday, January 26 | 11 am

Music by Zev

Thursdays, January 5, 19 | 11:15 am

**Father Goose Stories** 

Fridays | 11 am

Fun Fridays with Imagination Playground

Fridays | 12 pm

Legorama Club

Saturday, January 7 | 12 pm

**Bracelet Making for Kids** 

Saturday, January 7 | 2 pm

The Snowy Day and Craft

Thursday, January 12 [ 11 am

Indoor Recess

Saturday, January 14 | 2 pm

Sing, Sign, and Storytime

Wednesday, January 18 | 11 am

**STEM with Mr. Ralph: Lincoln Logs** Saturday, January 21 | 2 pm

America Reads

Mondays-Thursdays | 3 pm Fridays | 2:30 pm (beginning January 25)

Paint & Juice: Winter Wonderland

Saturday, January 28 | 2 pm



### Grinton I. Will Library

Homework Helper

Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays | 4-6 pm Thursdays | 4-5:30 pm (when Yonkers Public Schools are in session)

**Storytimes** 

Tuesdays & Thursdays, (beginning January 10) | 10:30 am

**Robert the Guitar Guy** 

Fridays, January 6, 20 | 11:15 am

Wednesday Free Play

Wednesdays, January 11, 18, 25 | 10 am

Music with Zev!

Friday, January 13 | 11:15 am

Family Collage Workshop with Michael Albert

Saturday, January 14 | 2 pm

Read to Cooper the Therapy Dog

Tuesday, January 17 | 4 pm

Lego Club

Saturday, January 21 | 1:30 pm

**Kids Chess Club** 

Wednesday, January 25 | 6 pm

**Petite Concert** 

Friday, January 27 | 11:15 am



### **Crestwood Library**

Homework Helper

Mondays-Thursdays | 3:30-5 pm (when Yonkers Public Schools are in session)

ABC 123 Storytime with Ms. Nancy

Wednesdays | 9:30 am

1000 Book Thursdays

Thursdays | 10:30 am

Chess @ Crestwood

Thursdays | 4 pm

Saturday Storytime

Saturdays | 10:30 am

Precubs of Love: Preemie Blanket Crocheting

Wednesday, January 4 | 2 pm

Cheers to the New Year with Mulled Cider & Cookies

Sunday, January 8 | 2 pm

**Read with Cooper** 

Monday, January 9, 23 | 4 pm

**Squirrelling Around the Library** 

Friday, January 20 | 8 am

Penguin Pajama Storytime

Tuesday, January 24 | 7 pm

Friday Fun: Build with Lego

Friday, January 27 | 3 pm

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Crestwood Cinema: Lego Movie

Saturday, January 28 | 2 pm



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## YPL | In-Person Programs (Adults & Teens) | January 2023



### **Riverfront Library**

### **Career & Personal Finance GED Tutoring**

Wednesdays | 10 am

**Talk Finances With An Expert!** Saturday, January 7 | 12 pm

### Crafts & DIY

Knitting and Coloring for Adults
Tuesdays | 10:30 am

Maker Monday for Adults: Paint a Piggy Bank Monday, January 23 | 11 am

#### **Crafts & DIY**

Maker Monday for Teens: Paint a Piggy Bank Monday, January 23 | 4 pm

**LGBTQ+ Affinity Group** Tuesdays | 4 pm

### Gaming

Adult Gaming Thursdays | 3 pm

**Teen Gaming** Thursdays | 4 pm

#### Movies

The Woman King Saturday, January 7 | 2 pm

### Nope

Saturday, January 14 | 2 pm

Black Adam

Saturday, January 21 | 2 pm



### **Grinton I. Will Library**

#### **Authors & Book Discussion**

Mystery/Thriller Book Club Thursday, January 19 | 3:15 pm

### Rather Be Reading

Wednesday, January 25 | 2:30 pm

### **Community Engagement**

Yonkers NNORC Consultations Monday, January 30 | 10:45 am

#### **Crafts & DIY**

Mix and Match Mondays: Activities for Teens Mondays, January 9, 23, 30 | 3 pm

### **Gaming**

Teen Gaming

Thursdays | 3 pm

### **Health & Wellness**

Medicare Counseling Thursday, January 5 | 10 am

Your Health is Your Greatest Wealth ...Positive Steps in Self Care Wednesday, January 11 | 11 am

Sahaja Yoga Meditation

Mondays (except January 2) | 6 pm

Declutter in 2023: The & Things You Forgot to Tidy Up

Thursday, January 19 | 2 pm

Healthy Living for Your Mind & Body in the New Year

Tuesday, January 24 | 11 am

**Empowerment Physical Therapy** 

Wednesday, January 25 | 10 am

#### **History**

Operation Pedro Pan: When Cuban Parents Sent Their Children Alone to the United States

Thursday, January 12 | 6 pm

#### **Movies**

The Story of Us

Tuesday, January 10 | 2 pm

Fine Arts Films: Un Traductor

Thursday, January 19 | 2 pm

You Again

Tuesday, January 24 | 2 pm

James Bond Films: Goldfinger

Thursday, January 26 | 2 pm



### **Crestwood Library**

#### **Authors & Book Discussion**

YA Book Buzz: A Book Club for Adults Who Read Young Adult Books

Friday, January 6 | 5:30 pm

### **Community Engagement**

**Teen Tuesday: Jump into the New Year** Tuesdays | 4 pm

**Yonkers NNORC Consultations** 

Mondays, January 9, 23 | 10:45 am

#### **Community Engagement**

Cheers to the New Year with Mulled Cider & Cookies

Sunday, January 8 | 2 pm

### **Crafts & DIY**

Precubs of Love: Preemie Blanket Crocheting

Wednesday, January 4 | 2 pm

#### **Color at Crestwood**

Mondays, January 9, 23, 30 | 10 am

### Gaming

Chess @ Crestwood

Thursdays | 4 pm

#### **Health & Wellness**

Hustle for that Muscle...with Coach Charlie

Saturday, January 7 &

Sunday, January 8 | 12:30 pm



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### YPL | Virtual Programs (Adults & Teens) | January 2023

### **Books & Authors**

YA Book Buzz: A Book Club for Adults Who Read Young Adult Books

Friday, January 6 | 5:30 pm

**Mystery Monday** 

Monday, January 2 | 7 pm

**Positive Psychology Book Discussion Group** 

Wednesdays | 10:30 am

**Author Talk with Namina Forna** 

Thursday, January 12 | 2 pm

Author Talk with Dana K. White

Tuesday, January 17 | 2 pm

Adult Online Book Club: Genius of Place: The Life of Frederick Law Olmsted

Thursday, January 19 | 7:15 pm

Graphic Novel Club: Wolverine Vol. 1

Tuesday, January 24 | 6 pm

**History Lovers Book Club** 

Wednesday, January 25 | 11:30 am

Rather Be Reading

Wednesday, January 25 | 2:30 pm

Forever YA Book Group: Scythe (Arc of a Scythe #1)

Thursday, January 26 | 7 pm

**Author Talk with Randall Munroe** 

Thursday, January 31 | 2 pm

Careers & Personal Finance

Job Search Help

Wednesdays | 11 am

Crafts & DIY

**Mixed Media Thursdays** 

Thursdays | 3 pm

**Environment and Ecology** 

The New Sustainable You! Clearing the Air for the New Year

Wednesday, January 11 | 1 pm

**Health & Wellness** 

Work out with Coach Elaine

Tuesdays | 9 am

**Body/Mind Fitness with Helena** 

Wednesdays | 9 am

Wednesday Night Yoga

Wednesdays, January 4, 18 | 7 pm

Yoga for Yogis

Thursdays | 9 am

Meditation and Chair Yoga

with Nancy Guzman

Fridays | 9 am

**Meditation and Chair Yoga** 

with Dr. Heptulla

Saturday, January 7 | 9 am

Qi Gong For Beginners

Mondays, January 9, 23 | 10 am

Zumba Class

Tuesdays | 6 pm

Mindfulness with Andrea

from Thrive Reiki

Monday, January 9 | 9 am

Yin Yoga with Shannon Reilly

Monday, January 9, 23 | 2 pm

Winter Wellness 2023: Simplify Space and Soul

Thursday, January 12 | 7 pm

Workout with Coach Karina -

Fitness Fun

Saturday, January 14 | 9 am

Declutter in 2023: The & Things

You Forgot to Tidy Up

Thursday, January 19 | 2 pm

Healthy Living for Your Mind & Body

in the New Year

Tuesday, January 24 | 11 am

**Health & Wellness** 

**NYP Presents:** 

Gastroenterologist Dr. Katka

Tuesday, January 24 | 1 pm

**Relax & Restore Sound Meditation** 

with Michelle Clifton

Wednesday, January 25 | 7 pm

Pilates on the Mat with Alina

Saturday, January 28 | 9 am

Mindful Monday: Yoga Nidra

Monday, January 30 | 9 am

Music & Dance

**Concerts in Motion: Classical Music** 

Mondays, January 9, 23, 30 | 12 pm

**Concerts in Motion:** 

**Memories on Monday** 

Mondays, January 9, 23, 30 | 1 pm

Concerts in Motion: Jazz & Broadway

Tuesdays | 12 pm

**Concerts in Motion: Chinese (bilingual)** 

Wednesdays | 1 pm

Concerts in Motion:

Latin & Spanish (bilingual)

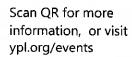
Thursdays | 12 pm

**Concerts in Motion:** 

Motown/Soul/R&B

Fridays | 2 pm









# **TECHNOLOGY CLASSES**

January 2023

Happy New Year

### GRINTON I. WILL LIBRARY

Computer Room

Tech Drop In (Thursdays)

3pm—4pm

How to Use Google Suite (Gmail) Tuesday, January 3 | 10:30am-12:00pm

Learn Microsoft Excel Part I Wednesday, January 4| 10:30am-12pm

Computers 101 Monday, January 9 | 2:00pm-3:30pm

**How to Use Google Suite (Docs)** Tuesday, January 10 | 10:30am-12:00pm

**Learn Microsoft Excel Part II** Wednesday, January 11 10:30am-12pm

How to Use Google Suite (Sheets) Tuesday, January 17 | 10:30am-12:00pm

Learn Microsoft Word Part I Wednesday, January 18 | 10:30am-12pm

Computers 101 Monday, January 23 | 2:00pm-3:30pm

How to Use Google Suite (Calendar) Tuesday, January 24 | 10:30am-12:00pm

Learn Microsoft Word Part II Wednesday, January 25 | 10:30am-12pm

How to Use Google Suite (Slides) Tuesday, January 31 | 10:30am-12:00pm

**TEEN GAMING @ WILL** Thursdays, 3pm-4:30pm

### RIVERFRONT LIBRARY Tech Central

Tech Drop In (Fridays) 11am-1pm

**Understanding Your Google Account** Wednesday, January 4 | 10:30am—12pm

Intro to Word Part I Thursday, January 5 | 10:30am—12pm

**Virtual Reality 101 for Teens (Series) Every Saturday in January** 

Intro to 3D Printing Monday, January 9 [10:30am—12pm]

Intro to PowerPoint Part I Tuesday, January 10 | 10:30am—12pm

Intro to PowerPoint Part II Wednesday, January 11 | 10:30am—12pm

Intro to Word Part II Thursday, January 12 | 10:30am—12pm

**Tech for Seniors** Wednesday, January 18 | 10:30am—12pm

Google Docs en Espanol Monday, January 23 | 10:30-12pm

Google Calendar Monday, January 30 | 10:30am—12pm

for classes

**GAMING @ RIVERFRONT** 

Tweens (8-12yrs) Tuesdays 4pm Teens (12-19yrs) Thursdays 4pm Adults 19+ Thursdays 3pm

To register for classes visit www.ypl.org and click Events, click QR code or call the numbers below.

Grinton I. Will Library 1500 Central Park Avenue Yonkers NY 10710 (914) 337-1500 ext. 315





**Riverfront Library** 1 Larkin Center Yonkers NY 10701 (914) 375-7966





TWEENS: Tuesdays | 4 pm

ADULTS: Thursdays | 3 pm

TEENS: Thursdays | 4 pm Join your friends to play PS 5, Switch, and VR games in Tech Central.





### All Ages | Computers & Technology | Riverfront Library



# Tech Drop In

Fridays 11am-1pm

Tech Central

Need help with Email?

Have a question about using your SmartPhone?

Want to learn how to download eBooks?

Whatever your **tech** question, we're here to help!







# Children | Music & Dance | Riverfront Library



# Music with Zev!

Thursdays, January 5, 19 11:15 am, Small People's Place

Joins us for an eclectic mix of music, instruments, dance and stories woven together to make a truly unique and fun interactive musical experience.



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Yonkers, NY 10701

# Children | Crafts & DIY | Riverfront Library



# **Bracelet Making for Kids**

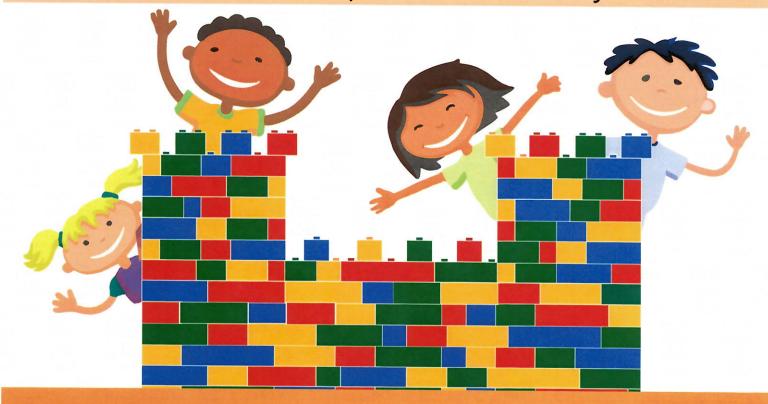
Saturday, January 7 2 pm, Room 2B

Make bracelets with us!





# Children | Crafts & DIY | Riverfront Library



# Legorama Club

**Saturday, January 7**12 pm, Room 2B

Build something special with legos and put it on display! For ages 12 & under.







# The Snowy Day and Craft

Thursday, January 12 11 am, Small People's Place Spend the morning making cotton ball snowflakes and reading Ezra Jack Keats' award-winning picture book, *The Snowy Day*.



## Children | Storytime & Early Literacy | Riverfront Library



# Sing, Sign, and Storytime

# Wednesday, January 18 11 am, Small People's Place

Learn new songs and sing your favorites as you learn signs from ASL to support language development, self-expression, and bilingualism.

These programs are designed for babies and toddlers who are hearing and deaf, with and without special needs.



Children | Crafts & DIY | Riverfront Library



# Paint & Juice: Winter Wonderland

Saturday, January 28 2 pm, Room 2B

Children between the ages 5-12 are invited to join us for Paint & Juice with **Mrs. Renee!** 



Children | Storytime | Riverfront Library



# Riverfront Storytimes

For children ages 5 & under accompanied by a caregiver

# Storytime with Mr. Ralph

Tuesdays | 11 am | ages 4 & under

### **Babies and Books**

Wednesdays | 11 am | ages 1½ & under

### **Terrific Toddler Time**

Thursdays | 11 am: | ages 11/2-3

### **Father Goose Stories**

Fridays | 11 am | ages 1-5





# Children | Learning | Riverfront Library



# Homework Helper

Mondays & Wednesdays 3:30-5:30 pm Fridays | 3-5 pm



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After school homework
help in the Children's Room
with **Angelica Campoverde**,
a qualified tutor for grades
K-7, when Yonkers Public
Schools are in session.





Children | Community Engagement | Riverfront Library



Fun Fridays with Imagination Playground

Fridays
12 pm, Small
People's Place

Imagination Playground is an innovative play system that transforms any space into a play space that encourages learning, social development, movement, and of course, fun!





Riverfront Library

One Larkin Center Yonkers, NY 10701

## Children | Health & Wellness | Riverfront Library



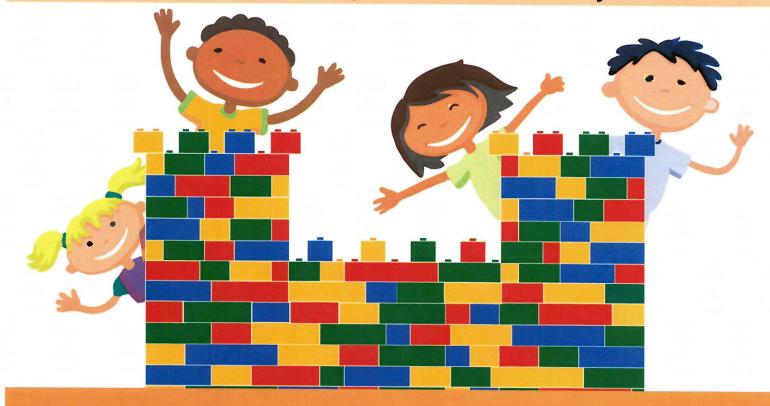
# **Indoor Recess**

Saturday, January 14 2 pm, Small People's Place

You're sure to have loads of fun at Indoor Recess! We have fun things to play with like jump ropes, hula hoops, hopscotch, a kid-sized basketball hoop, and lots more.



# Children | Crafts & DIY | Riverfront Library



# Legorama Club

Saturday, January 7 12 pm, Room 2B

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### Adults | Crafts & DIY



# Thursdays beginning January 5 3 pm 200m



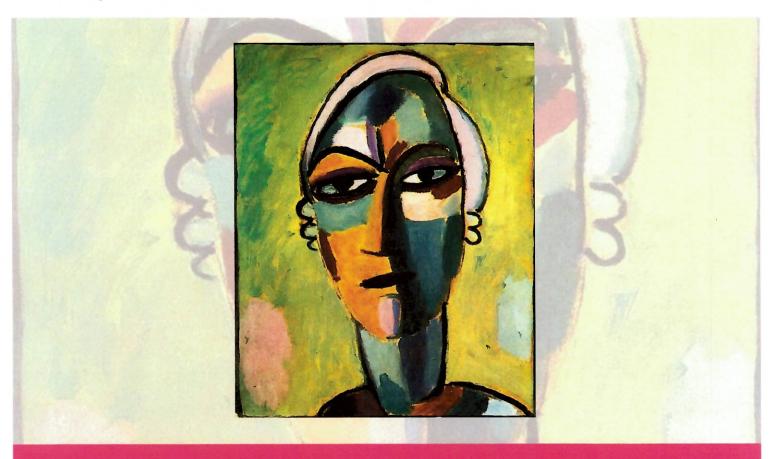
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**Haifa** will lead us through bookmaking, ink drawing, gel printing, and much, much more.

Supply list on the calendar.



### Adults | Crafts & DIY | Riverfront Library



# **Expressionistic Portraits**

Saturday,
January 7
10 am, Art Gallery,
4<sup>th</sup> floor



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We will view the work of Russian artist Alexej Jawensky and then create our own self-portraits in his expressionistic style using charcoal and oil pastels.









# Google Docs en Espanol

# Monday, January 23

10:30am-12pm



Aprenda los conceptos básicos de Google Docs, incluido cómo crear, formatear, editar y compartir documentos.



# **Teens** | Community Engagement | Riverfront Library



# LGBTQ+ Affinity Group

## **Tuesdays**

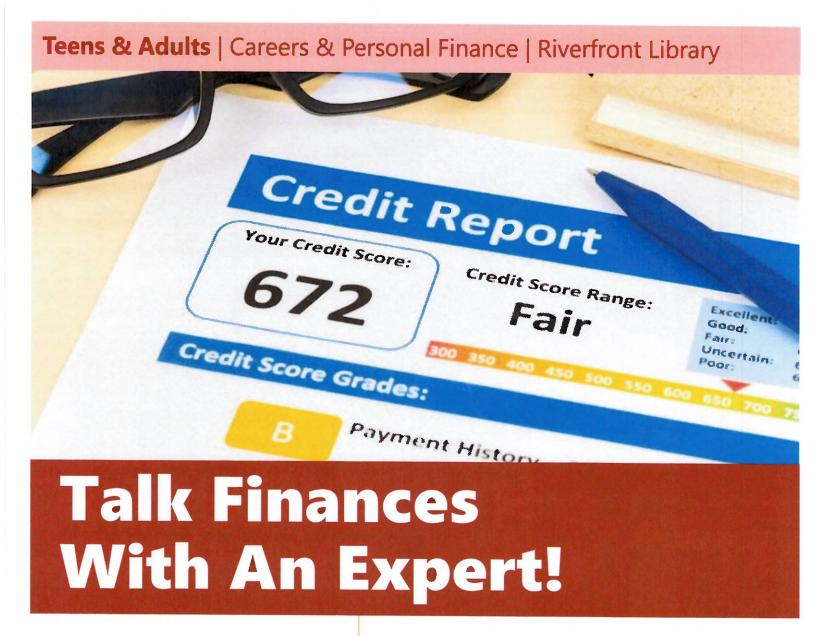
4 pm, Yonkers Room



Scan for more information Come and be social with other LGBTQ+ teenagers. Speak honestly and from the heart about whatever you're dealing with, in a caring, confidential space. Everyone's welcome.







First Saturday of every month 12 pm, Tech Central



With **Tyrone Glover,** CEO of Leverage Credit Recovery

Topics include accessing your credit reports, learning how to improve your credit score, and the importance of financial literacy.





# Adults & Teens | Health & Wellness



# **Zumba Fitness**

# **Tuesdays**

6-7 pm | 200m





Ditch the workout and join the party!

Zumba combines Latin and international music with a fun and effective workout system.



**The Woman King** (PG13) **Saturday, January 7** | 2 pm, Auditorium

**Nope** (R) **Saturday, January 14** | 2 pm, Auditorium

**Black Adam** (PG13) **Saturday, January 21** | 2 pm, Auditorium

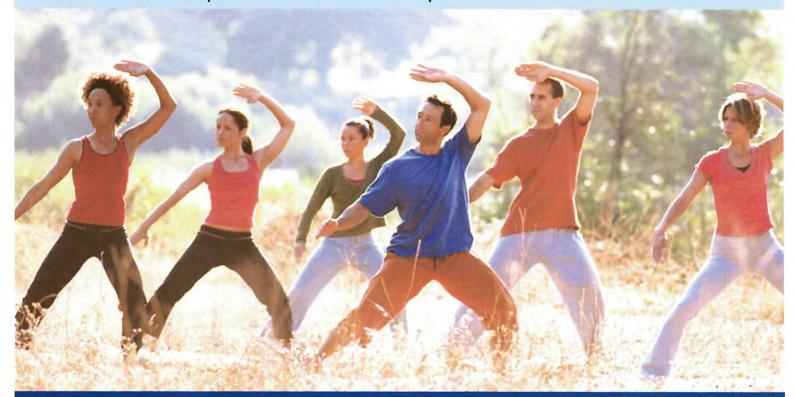


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### Adults & Teens | Health & Wellness |



# Qi Gong for Beginners

Mondays, January 9, 23 February 6, 27 10 am | com

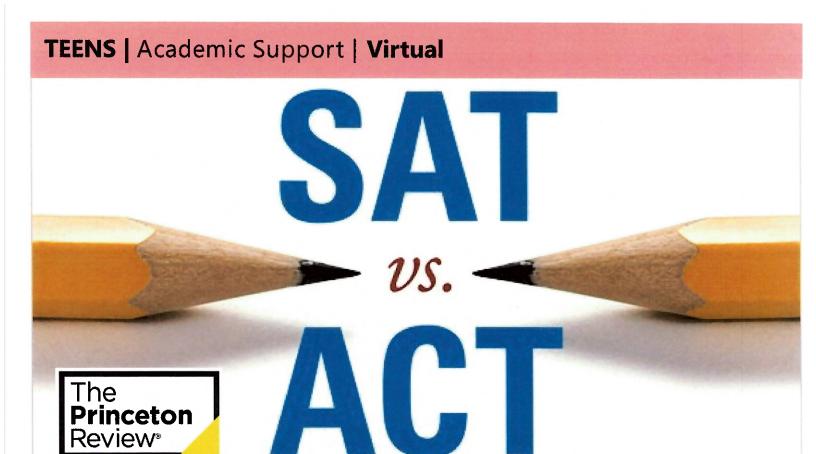


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Similar to Tai Chi, Qi Gong consists of gentle stretching exercises that incorporate the mind and the body.

It has been shown to reduce pain, improve concentration, and help people cope with stress.
Led by Jian-Yang Rong.





# SAT, ACT, or Both?

# Tuesday, January 17 6PM



**SCAN ME** 

Should your teen take the SAT, ACT or both? In this presentation, Princeton Review experts discuss the similarities and differences and the strategies that improve scores on both tests.

You must register for this program.





# Monday, January 23

**ADULTS:** 

11 am, Maker Space

**TEENS:** 

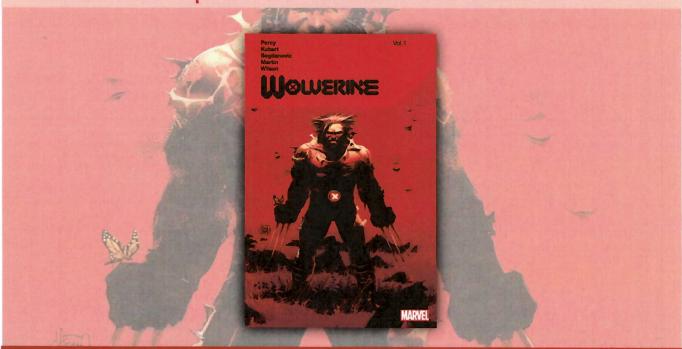
4 pm, Maker Space

Start the New Year off right! Paint a piggy bank and start saving for your future.





## Teens, Adults | Authors & Book Discussions



# **Graphic Novel Club**

# Tuesday, January 24 6 pm | 200m

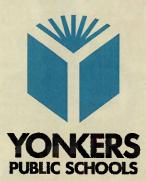


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### Wolverine Vol. 1

by Benjamin Percy
He's been a hero and a killer. An X-Man
and an Avenger. He's been to hell and back.
Now as the nation of Krakoa brings together
all mutantkind, can Wolverine finally be...happy?





# PROCESO DE SELECCIÓN DE ESCUELAS



2023 - 2024

### LA INSCRIPCIÓN PARA SEPTIEMBRE DEL 2023 YA COMENZÓ!

Estimados Padres/Guardianes,

Si usted ya tiene un estudiante en las Escuelas Públicas de Yonkers y tiene un niño(a) pequeño(a) que ingresará a la escuela para el año escolar 2023-2024, debe inscribirlo(a) AHORA. Al inscribirse temprano, el distrito puede brindar preferencia de hermanos(as) a los estudiantes de nivel elemental que ingresan a la escuela en los grados PK4 al Grado 8.

¿Cómo puedo asegurarme de que mi hijo(a) menor sea asignado(a) a la misma escuela a la que asiste mi hijo(a) mayor?

- 1. INSCRIBASE AHORA
- 2. Envíe una solicitud de Selección de Escuelas entre el 14 DE FEBRERO DEL 2023 Y EL 28 DE FEBRERO DEL 2023
- 3. Seleccione la escuela a la que asiste su hijo(a) mayor como su primera opción (Opción 1)

### ¿Qué edad debe de tener mi hijo(a) menor para asistir a la escuela en septiembre del 2023?

- PREKINDERGARTEN: cuatro años de edad con fecha de nacimiento del 1 de diciembre del 2019 o antes
- KINDERGARTEN: cinco años de edad con fecha de nacimiento del 1 del diciembre del 2018 o antes

### ¿Como puedo registrar mi hijo(a) menor?

Visite www.yonkerspublicschools.org/register o comuníquese con la Oficina de Matriculación Estudiantil si necesita asistencia adicional.

#### OFICINA DE MATRICULACIÓN ESTUDIANTIL

One Larkin Center, Yonkers, New York 10701 (914) 376-8050 • studentenrollment@yonkerspublicschools.org

#### HORARIO:

LUNES-MARTES-JUEVES-VIERNES: 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

\*MIÉRCOLES: 8:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

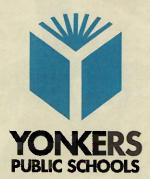
\*Tiempo extendido para citas reservadas para someter documentos y asistencia técnica

### ¿Cuáles son los documentos requeridos para la inscripción de su hijo(a)?

- 1. Prueba de Edad (i.e. Certificado de Nacimiento)
- 2. Prueba de Tutela Legal / Oficial (i.e. Identificación con foto del tutor legal)
- 3. Tres (3) comprobantes de residencia en Yonkers dentro de los últimos 30 días (i.e. Declaración de hipoteca, arrendamiento o propietario de vivienda, más dos (2) comprobantes adicionales)
- 4. Certificado de Inmunización/Vacunas
- 5. Tarjeta de Calificaciones y Transcripción de Créditos no oficial para la escuela secundaria (no es requerido para los estudiantes que ingresan a Prekindergarten y Kindergarten)

### ¿Qué es la preferencia de hermanos(as)?

Se da preferencia a los hermanos(as) de los estudiantes de nivel elemental actualmente inscritos, que se inscriban y participen en el Proceso de Selección de Escuelas antes de las 4:00 p.m. el dia 28 de febrero del 2023 y que seleccionen la escuela del hermano(a) como la primera opción (Opción 1) en la Solicitud de Selección de Escuelas. Los hermanos(as) se definen como hermanos o hermanas que viven en el mismo hogar. La preferencia de hermanos(as) no se aplica a las escuelas o programas que tienen requisitos de admisión o asignaciones de escuela que requieran servicios de educación especial. La preferencia de hermanos(as) no se aplica a estudiantes en los grados 9 al 12.



# SCHOOL CHOICE PROCESS 2023 - 2024



### **REGISTRATION FOR SEPTEMBER 2023 IS OPEN!**

Dear Parents/Guardians who have students in the Yonkers Public Schools,

If you have a younger child ready to enter school in September 2023, you want to REGISTER NOW. By registering early, the district can provide siblings preference for incoming elementary school students in Grades PK through 8.

How can I make sure that my younger child will be assigned to the same school as my older child?

- 1. REGISTER NOW
- 2. Submit a School Choice Application between FEBRUARY 14, 2023 AND FEBRUARY 28, 2023
- 3. Select the school that your older child is attending as Choice 1

### How old does my younger child have to be to attend school in September 2023?

- PREKINDERGARTEN: four years old with a birth date on or before December 1, 2019
- KINDERGARTEN: five years old with a birth date on or before December 1, 2018

### How can I register my younger child?

Visit www.yonkerspublicschools.org/register or contact the Student Enrollment Office for assistance.

### STUDENT ENROLLMENT OFFICE

One Larkin Center, Yonkers, New York 10701 (914) 376-8050 • studentenrollment@yonkerspublicschools.org

### **HOURS OF OPERATION:**

MONDAY - TUESDAY - THURSDAY - FRIDAY: 8:30a.m. - 4:00p.m.

\*WEDNESDAY: 8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

\*Extended time for reserved document drop-off appointments and technical assistance

### What are the required documents for registration?

- 1. Proof of Birth (i.e. Birth Certificate)
- 2. Proof of Legal/Official Guardianship (i.e. Photo ID of the guardian)
- 3. Three Proofs of Yonkers Residency within the last 30 days (i.e. Mortgage or Lease plus two (2) additional proofs)
- 4. Immunization Records
- 5. Report Card (not required for incoming Prekindergarten and Kindergarten students)

### What is siblings preference?

First preference is given to siblings of currently enrolled elementary school students who register and participate in the School Choice Process by 4:00 p.m. February 28, 2023, and select the sibling's school as Choice 1 on the School Choice Application. Siblings are defined as brothers or sisters living in the same household. Sibling preference does not apply to schools or programs that have entrance requirements or require special education placement. Sibling preference does not apply to students in grades 9 through 12.