



WATERLOO
public library

MONTHLY PROGRAMMING & DISPLAY THEMES

The goal of programming and displays at the library is to address the needs and interests of our community. To ensure offerings that equitably represent all who call Waterloo home, the Programming Steering Committee has chosen these themes of focus for August 2025 - July 2026.

MONTH	THEME 1	THEME 2	YOUTH THEME	ALTERNATE	ALTERNATE
August 2025	CV Pride	Book Lovers Day	Back to school	Irish Fest	
September 2025	Hispanic Heritage Month (September 15 - October 15)	Library Card Sign Up Month	International Dot Day		
October 2025	Hispanic Heritage Month (September 15 - October 15)	Banned Book Week	Halloween	Mental Illness Awareness Week	
November 2025	National Games & Puzzles Week	NaNoWriMo	Picture Book Month	National Authors Day	
December 2025	Dewey Decimal System Day	Universal Human Rights Month	Holiday Ornament Festival	International Book Giving Day	
January 2026	New Year, New You	International Creativity Month	Penguin Day		
February 2026	Black History Month	Library Lovers Month	Bring Your Kid to the Library Day		
March 2026	Women's History Month	Paws to Read Month	Youth Art Month	World Baseball Classic	National Oreo Day
April 2026	National Poetry Month	National Library Week	Earth Day	Drop Everything & Read Day	
May 2026	Asian American Pacific Islander Heritage Month (AAPI)	Jewish American Heritage Month	Haitian Flag Day	May the 4th be with You	Get Caught Reading Day
June 2026	Juneteenth	Pride Month	WPL Summer Library Program	FIFA World Cup	
July 2026	National Ice Cream Day	Fiesta!	WPL Summer Library Program	FIFA World Cup	