

**Children's  
Classes and Events**  
Register at 918-541-2292  
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**Reindeer Roundup**  
Wed., Dec. 5, 2:00 p.m.

This Christmas art project is free to elementary age children. Reserve a spot at 918-541-2292 or sign up at the library.

#reindeerroundup

**It's MAD SCIENCE!**  
Wed., Feb. 6, 2:30 p.m.

An interactive children's program that explores scientific concepts while keeping all ages thoroughly entertained. Open to the public.



**Dads and Donuts**  
Sat., Feb. 16, 10:30 a.m.

Kids bring your dad to the library for a fun filled morning. We'll be eating donuts while building some great LEGO projects.

Seating is limited so be sure to reserve a place at the LEGO construction table!

Reserve your spot by calling 918-541-2292 or sign up at the library



**Join LEGO League!**

Tuesdays, 3:30-4:30 p.m.  
Elementary students



**Financial Fitness Classes**  
Tuesdays, Feb. 12—Mar. 19, 6:30 p.m.

*You are not alone! Many people really have no clue how to manage and maximize their income! Learn to manage your finances and be in control of your money. With this free, six-week course, you'll learn how to finance a car, buy a house and save for your future retirement! Our guest instructor, Loan Officer and Financial Planning Consultant, Justin Addis, will walk you through the ins & outs of staying on point financially, regardless of your income level.*

*Sign up for your financial future today! Call the library at 918-541-2292 to register.*



**Adult Winter  
Reading Program**  
Jan. 14-Feb. 22

To participate, sign up at the front desk beginning January 7th.

Contact Jason at 918-541-2292 for more information.

**ESL(English as a Second Language) Classes**  
Wednesdays, 5:30-6:30 p.m.

Learn how to improve your English, write a resume and how to pass your citizenship test!

Contact: Diana Duran  
Literacy Coordinator/ESL Instructor  
918-541-2292



**Keys to the Past**  
Twelfth Annual  
**Free Genealogy Workshops**  
Thursdays, Feb. 21—May 9  
5:45 p.m. to 7:45 p.m.  
Contact: Barbara Becker, 918-541-2292



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# Computer Classes



## Computer Basics/Internet for Beginners

Sign up for a basic computer class session. FOR BEGINNERS WITH NO EXPERIENCE - Learn the basic parts of a computer, how to turn it on and off, how to use a mouse, how to open a program, and more. FOR THOSE WITH A LITTLE BIT OF COMPUTER EXPERIENCE BUT NO INTERNET EXPERIENCE - Learn how to go to a particular website, how to follow links, how to use the back button and more. Or get help with your new web-based email account. Learn how to set up an account, read, write, and reply to messages and more!

Contact Jennifer at 918-541-2292 to set up a one hour session.

## Intermediate Computer Classes

Sign up for a 30 minute session to learn how to use Word or Excel. This session will introduce you to the basics or help you create a specific document such as a letter or resume.

Contact Jason at 918-541-2292 to set up a 30 minute session.

## Online Computer Classes

Want to develop your computer skills on your own? We offer some great electronic resources on our website [www.miamipl.okpls.org](http://www.miamipl.okpls.org)

**Lynda.com** is an online learning company that helps anyone learn business, software, technology and creative skills to achieve personal and professional goals. This self-directed learning software has hundreds of video tutorials to choose from.

**Universal Class** offers lessons, exams, assignments, discussion boards and an instructor to help you master the learning outcomes. Learn on your own time with real instructors, 24/7 access, ability to connect with other students, and continuing education units on selected courses.

Try them on your own, or let us show you how to use them!

## The Health Literacy Project Presents Enjoy Great Health!

These classes are part of the Health Literacy Project and are free and open to the public.

### Diabetes Nutrition (L.E.A.D.)

**Tuesdays, Jan. 8-Jan. 29, 10:00 a.m.-noon**

Whether you are diabetic, pre-diabetic, caring for diabetic family members, or just looking to change your eating habits, Live Well, Eat well, be Active with Diabetes will focus on good nutrition. There will be opportunities to taste diabetic friendly recipes at each of the four lessons. The class will be taught by Kathy Enyart, Extension Educator.

### Tai Chi Classes

**Mon. and Wed., 2:00-3:00 p.m.**

**Feb. 4th—Mar. 13th**

The movements of Tai Chi help seniors reduce the risk of falling, increase balance, strength and flexibility. Participants learn ways to improve their overall mind, body and spirit through a series of slow continuous movements. It does not matter how strong, flexible, or active you are; Tai Chi is designed for people of all levels of health.

### Chili for the Chilly!

**Thursday, Feb. 21st, noon**

Nothing can warm you up on a cold winter day better than a steaming bowl of chili. It's even better when you know it is good for you. Pam Patty, INTEGRIS OKC, is going to demonstrate how to make chili that is healthy and delicious! Recipes and samples will be provided.



The Health Literacy Project is a cooperative partnership between the Miami Public Library, Northeastern Tribal Health Systems, INTEGRIS Miami Hospital and Ottawa County Health Department. The Health Literacy Project is funded through the Oklahoma Department of Libraries with a federal grant from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

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Let's Talk About It Oklahoma  
Book Discussions



### Final book in the **Sovereign Worlds** series:

Thurs., Dec. 6 *The Indian Lawyer* by James Welch  
Sylvester Yellow Calf is a successful lawyer, respected both by his peers on the reservation and by the white establishment, but while he may be claiming a measure of independence in the world at large, he risks sacrificing his sense of himself as an Indian.

### War, Not-War, and Peace: A Pulitzer Prize Centennial Series

The books in this series reflect a deep commitment to presenting Pulitzer winners detailing both the active elements of war as well as the long-lived legacies of war, in those periods optimistically called 'peace.'

Monthly discussions will be held the first **Monday** of each month in the upstairs room of the library and begin at 6:30 p.m. Books will be available to pick up at the front desk about a month before first program begins. Books and dates are as follows:

Jan. 7 *The Things They Carried* by Tim O'Brien

The least disguised, least ornamented of narratives--war at its traditional 'purest,' combat, death, grief and the explicit declaration that "a true war story is never about war. It's about sunlight... It's about love and memory. It's about worry."

Feb. 4 *Empire of the Summer Moon*  
by S. C. Gwynne

An historical biography that provides deeply textured background to a series of hellish conflicts: the Indian Wars of the 19th century.

### Spring Selections:

Mar. 4 *Maus* by Art Spiegelman

Apr. 1 *Neon Venacular* by Yusef Komunyakaa

May 6 *All the Light We Cannot See* by Anthony Doerr

**If you are not able to participate in the discussions but are interested in reading the books, we will be happy to order them for you through interlibrary loan. Ask at the front desk for more information.**

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