## **Santa Clara City Library**

## The Page Turner





# STAR WARS DAY: MAY THE FOURTH BE WITH YOU STORYTIME

### Monday, May 4th 10:30 AM

Join us for a very special storytime to celebrate Star Wars day! We will read a Star Wars book, sing songs and have a very special guest. The storytime is 30 minutes, so make sure you arrive on time. This live storytime will be held digitally through zoom.

## **PYTHON CRASH COURSE PART 1**

### Monday, May 4th 4 PM

Learn the basics of Python, a very popular and easy-to-learn high-level programming language! Attend all three sessions and create interesting programs on your computer! This class is for ages 12 to 17 and is a progressive course; you must attend all 3 sessions.

# INSIDER'S GUIDE TO THE TOP 10 COLLEGES

### Monday, May 4th at 7 PM

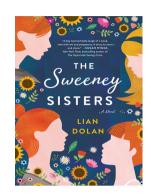
In an ever changing environment, college admissions are not only becoming increasingly competitive but also increasingly confusing. Empowerly's admissions experts are here to demystify the admissions process of the most selective colleges

For Grades 9 to 12 Parents Eventbrite Registration required!

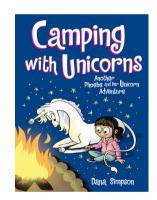
# CHECK OUT OUR LIBRARY ONLINE RESOURCE TUTORIALS!

Have you ever had questions about our online resources? Check out our expansive online library of tutorials created by our librarians!

# New eBooks Available Now!



The Sweeney Sisters
by Lian Dolan



<u>Camping With</u>
<u>Unicorns</u>
<u>by Dana Simpson</u>



<u>If I Had Your Face</u> <u>by Frances Cha</u>

## MANAGING EXPENSES IN TIGHT MONTHS

Tuesday, May 5th 10 AM



Join Habitat for Humanities
Financial Education Expert for
a 30-minute presentation
that reviews money
management strategies that can
help you keep up with expenses
and bills, even during
challenging times when there is
a loss in income or an
emergency expense. If you
cannot make the May 5th
session, there is another session
on May 7th @ 2pm.
Registration required.

# HOW TO TALK TO CHILDREN & TEENS ABOUT S-E-X

Tuesday, May 5th 7 PM



Learn from our Parent Educator on how to navigate through these uncomfortable subjects with your child/tween. It is noted that parents who have good discussions about sex with their children/tweens/teens often delay sexual activity, have fewer partners, and use contraceptives when they do have sex. We want to help you get the conversation started on the right path.

For Adults ONLY
Eventbrite registration is required.

## **LEARN ABOUT LIGHT WITH KAST**

#### Friday, May 8th at 3 PM

Why is the sky blue? Find out the answer to this question and much more by joining us for our second virtual KAST session! We will be learning about light and doing some fun demos. We hope to see you there!

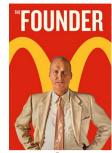
# A TALK WITH PHILADELPHIA POET SHAM-E-ALI NAYEEM

#### Friday, May 8th at 12 PM

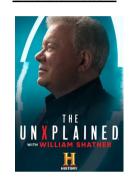
In celebration of Asian Pacific American Heritage Month the Santa Clara City Library is thrilled to have acclaimed Philadelphia poet Sham-e-Ali Nayeem in discussion with librarian Danny Le, as a part of this webinar series for the month of May.



## Hoopla Highlights



<u>Film</u> <u>Recommendation:</u> The Founder



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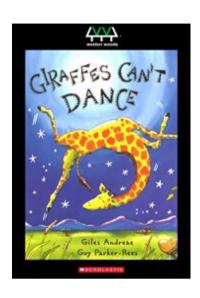
<u>Documentary</u> <u>Recommendation:</u>

<u>Fermented</u>



<u>Kids</u> <u>Recommendation:</u> <u>Loud House</u>

# Featured Storytime Online



Enjoy this wonderful story
read by our Librarian
Justin about one giraffe's
love of dance!

# Featured Sing Along



Follow along as Librarian

Lorena sings Itsy Bitsy

Spider in English and

Spanish!



<u>Creative</u>
<u>Writing</u>
<u>Workshop:</u>
<u>Evocative</u>
<u>Imagery</u>

In this week's creative writing web series video, we're going to be talking about evocative imagery and how your senses can help create depth in your writing! We'll follow that up with an exercise that will help connect emotional states of being with images and how to apply backstory to strengthen your work. Connecting images with emotional states can help to create a richer understanding of your writing for both yourself and your readers! So dust of your writer's journals and let's jump in! Also feel free to go back and check out last week's video which covered poem sketching. It can be a great way to start generating ideas that can be integrated with this week's exercise!



## T-SHIRT TO TOTE BAG

To help celebrate Earth
Day, we have this great craft
for you today. Learn how to
turn an unwanted t-shirt
into a handy tote bag! This
is a perfect activity for kids
and parents to do together.



### Questions? We Are Here to Answer!

Have a question for the Library?



