

# Santa Clara City Library

## The Page Turner

### WINTER CLOSURE AT THE SANTA CLARA CITY LIBRARY



All Santa Clara City Libraries will be closed December 25, 2020 through January 3, 2021.

Your favorite online and digital resources are always available at [SCLibrary.org](http://SCLibrary.org). Enjoy your library materials longer! Book drops will be closed during this time and nothing will be due until the library reopens.

During the closure no other Library services will be available, except online and digital, will be available. We look forward to seeing you in the New Year! All Library services will restart Monday, January 4, 2021.

### CITIZENSHIP APPLICATION HELP

**Monday, Dec. 21**  
**1 p.m.**

Get one-on-one virtual assistance with the naturalization application (N-400) and fee waiver/reduced fee forms provided as applicable. All cases are reviewed by an International Rescue Committee Department of Justice Accredited Representative. Every 3rd Monday of the month. Registration is required.

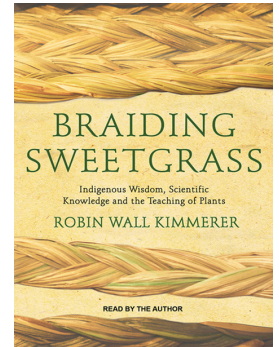
### COMPETITIVE TEEN SUMMER PROGRAMS (FOR GRADES 6-12 + PARENTS)

**Monday, Dec. 21**  
**7 p.m.**

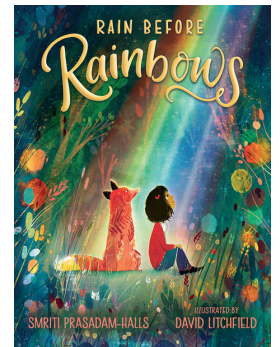
The best Summer programs start accepting applicants early. Get a jump start on applying for competitive teen summer programs for grades 6-12. For Grades 6-12 + Parent(s) Eventbrite registration is required.



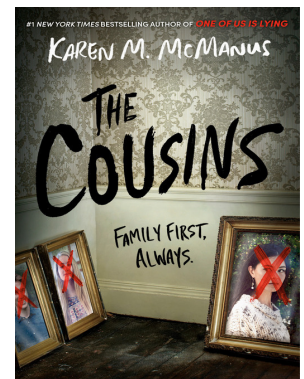
### New eBooks Available Now!



Braiding Sweetgrass  
by Robin Wall Kimmerer



Rain Before Rainbows  
by Smriti Prasadam-Halls



The Cousins  
by Karen M. McManus

# VERY MERRY STORYTIME

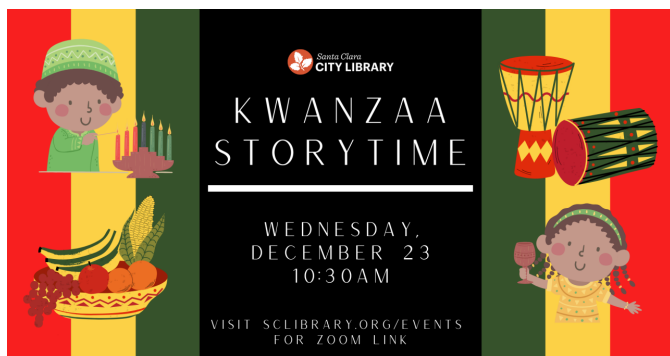
**Tuesday, Dec. 22**  
**10:30 a.m.**



Jingle all the way to storytime and learn, sing, and dance with your favorite holiday songs!

# KWANZAA STORYTIME

**Wednesday Dec. 23**  
**10:30 a.m.**



Celebrate Kwanzaa through songs, fingerplays, and stories with Ms. Jodi!

# PARENTING PROGRAM: STRENGTHEN READING COMPREHENSION FOR GRADES K-5

**Tuesday, Dec. 22**  
**7 p.m.**



It is very common for school age students to struggle with reading comprehension. When students have trouble reading, it can affect their performance in many subjects. Poor reading skills and comprehension can lead to frustration, low self-confidence, and poor grades. By learning to read effectively, your child can build skills that will help improve his or her reading skills and comprehension. Learn from our experts:

- How reading comprehension strategies can improve reading skills
- Techniques to find the main ideas of the reading passage
- How to encourage reluctant readers to read
- How parents can coach children to become better readers

For Adults ONLY

Eventbrite registration is required.

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## Featured Storytime Online



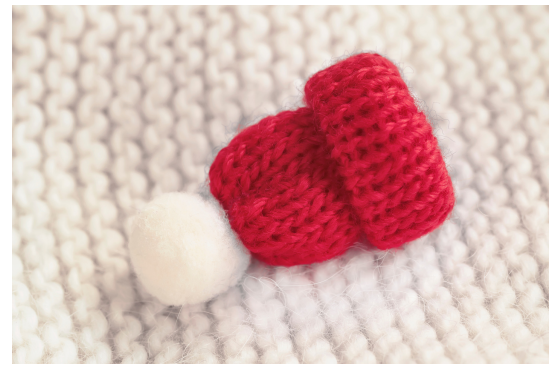
Christmas Is Joy!  
Get into the holiday spirit  
with this lovely Emma  
Dodd book about a young  
reindeer who learns what  
Christmas is all about!



## Phoebe & Her Unicorn Escape Room

Marigold thought it would be fun to send Phoebe to her winter time share castle and set up some puzzles for her to solve. These puzzles might be a little hard for Phoebe. Could you help her escape? Help Phoebe solve the puzzles in our Phoebe & Her Unicorn escape room!

## DIY: Yarn Beanie Ornament



## Catch the Panels from our Comic Con @ Home!



## Kids Cooking Club: Gingerbread

*Questions? We Are Here to Answer!*

Have a question for the Library?  
Call us Monday -Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at  
408 615-2900  
Email us at [librarians@SantaClaraCA.Gov](mailto:librarians@SantaClaraCA.Gov)

