




Sign up for storytimes! Please see below for the lapsit, toddler, and preschool programs available at all Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library locations.

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For additional library programming, see the MPHPL Calendar of Events available at all Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library locations and online at [www.mphpl.org](http://www.mphpl.org).

 Downtown Mishawaka Library  
209 Lincoln Way East, Mishawaka  
Phone: 259-5277 Children's Services, ext. 242

 Bittersweet Branch Library  
602 Bittersweet Road, Mishawaka  
Phone: 259-0392 Ask for Children's Services

 Harris Branch Library  
51446 Elm Road, Granger  
Phone: 271-3179 Ask for Children's Services

Wee Readers Lapsit

Thursday mornings  
9:30 to 10:00 a.m.  
March 4, 11, 18, 25  
Registration is required and begins  
Thursday, February 11 at 9:00 a.m.

Toddler Time

Thursday mornings  
Session I - 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.  
Session II - 10:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
February 11, 18, 25,  
March 4, 11, 18, 25  
Registration is required and begins  
Thursday, January 14 at 9:00 a.m.

Register in person for all Harris Branch Library programs beginning Monday, January 25 from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. in the Children's Activity Room. Registration continues Tuesday, January 26 by phone and in person at the Children's Services desk.

Baby & Me Lapsit

Monday mornings  
Session I - 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.  
Session II - 10:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
February 8, 15, 22,  
March 1, 8, 15

Toddler Time

Wednesday mornings  
Session I - 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.  
Session II - 10:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
February 3, 10, 17, 24,  
March 3, 10, 17, 24  
Registration is required and begins  
Wednesday, January 13 at 9:00 a.m.

Preschool Storytime

Wednesday mornings & afternoons  
Session I - 10:00 to 10:45 a.m.  
Session II - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.  
February 3, 10, 17, 24  
March 3, 10, 17, 24  
Registration is required and begins  
Wednesday, January 6 at 9:00 a.m.

Toddler Time

Tuesday mornings  
Session I - 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.  
Session II - 10:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
February 9, 16, 23,  
March 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Preschool Storytime

Tuesday afternoons  
1:00 to 1:45 p.m.  
February 2, 9, 16, 23,  
March 2, 9, 16, 23  
Registration is required and begins  
Tuesday, January 12 at 9:00 a.m.

Family Storytime - Storytime Sampler

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday mornings of each month  
10:30 to 11:00 a.m.  
January 11 & 25      February 8 & 22  
March 8 & 22      April 12 & 26  
May 10 & 24

Preschool Storytime

Wednesday afternoons  
Session I - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.  
February 10, 17, 24,  
March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

Family Storytime - Twilight Time Tales

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday evening of the month  
6:30 to 7:15 p.m.  
January 21      February 18  
March 18      April 15

Thursday mornings & afternoons  
Session II - 10:00 to 10:45 a.m.  
Session III - 1:00 to 1:45 p.m.  
February 11, 18, 25,  
March 4, 11, 18, 25,  
April 1



## Storytime Registration Information

- ☺ Children who are residents of Penn or Harris Townships, or whose families have purchased a MPHPL fee card are eligible for registration in storytime programs. All others will be placed on a waiting list until space is available.
- ☺ To register for a children's program on or after the first day of registration, please contact the Children's Services desk of the library location you and your child would like to attend.
- ☺ Groups may contact Children's Services at any Mishawaka-Penn-Harris Public Library to inquire about special accommodations.

### Lapsit Program

- ☺ For children 12 to 23 months old
- ☺ Children must have celebrated their 1st birthday by the first program date for which they are registered.
- ☺ Adult caregivers attend with the children.
- ☺ Lapsit combines short rhymes, songs, fingerplays, and books to introduce children to the wonder of language.

### Toddler Time

- ☺ For children 2 and 3 years old
- ☺ Children must have celebrated their 2nd birthday by the first program date.
- ☺ Adult caregivers attend with the children.
- ☺ Structured 30-minute programs in which books, story-related activities, and crafts provide an enjoyable group experience

### Preschool Storytime

- ☺ For children 3½ to 5 years old (Birth date on or before August 1, 2006)
- ☺ Kindergartners are welcome as space allows.
- ☺ Structured 45-minute programs in which books, story-related activities, and crafts are used to increase early literacy skills

### Family Storytime

- ☺ Stories, songs, and fingerplays for all ages
- ☺ Adult caregivers are expected to attend with children 7 years and younger.
- ☺ No registration required.

### Photo Policy

We often take pictures at library events to use in the library publicity materials and on our website. If you do not want us to use a picture of you or your child, please tell a librarian prior to the event.

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#### Downtown Mishawaka Library

209 Lincoln Way East  
Mishawaka, IN 46544  
Phone: 259-5277

##### Hours

Monday - Thursday:  
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Friday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.



#### Bittersweet Branch Library

602 Bittersweet Road  
Mishawaka, IN 46544  
Phone: 259-0392

##### Hours

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday:  
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Wednesday & Friday:  
9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.



#### Harris Branch Library

51446 Elm Road  
Granger, IN 46530  
Phone: 271-3179

##### Hours

Monday - Thursday:  
9 a.m. - 9 p.m.  
Friday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Saturday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.



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