

**5** Learn something fun! The **Make, Do, Tell, Program** live streams at 1 p.m. Wednesdays at youtube.com/kclibraryyouth.

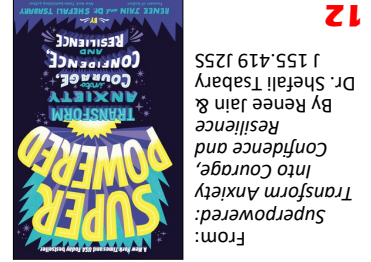


Friday Family Fun Night, hosted by Plaza Library staff at 6:30 p.m. Fridays, is also on Facebook @kclibrary.

You can listen to **Dial-A-Story** anytime at 816-701-3456 or www.kclibrary.org/kids/dial-story.

**Storytimes:** Storytime is online this month at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday & Sunday at facebook.com/kclibrarycentralkids. There will also be bilingual storytimes every second Saturday of the month. Check the online event calendar for details.

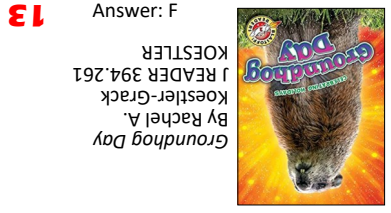
**This month in CYS**



“If you start something, and you’re not good at it, try to use this one powerful word: YET. Change sentences like ‘I’m not good at this’ to ‘I’m not good at this...YET!’”



**Healthy choices**



Which shadow matches the groundhog?

**Puzzler**

**4** **February** is Black History Month! See Page 3 for more resources.

**Feb. 2:** Groundhog Day

**Feb. 7:** Super Bowl LV: Kansas City Chiefs vs. Tampa Bay Buccaneers. Go Chiefs! For Chiefs coloring sheets: https://bit.ly/31J0QZY.

**Feb. 12:** Chinese New Year (Year of the Ox)

**Feb. 14:** Valentine’s Day (The library is closed.)

**Feb. 15:** Presidents’ Day

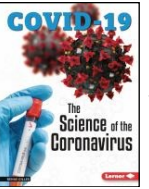
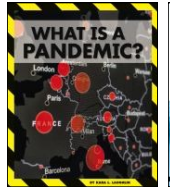
**Feb. 16:** Fat Tuesday/Mardi Gras

**Feb. 26:** National Tell a Fairy Tale Day. What is your favorite fairy tale?

**This month is ...**

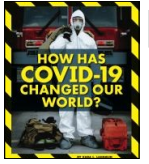
**Dewey by the numbers**

The Dewey Decimal System is a way to keep items in order by subject. It helps you find what you are looking for! In this system, books are numbered, from 000 to 999, and every topic has a number. The more specific the topic, the more specific the number. For example, you can find nonfiction books about COVID-19 in the 614s and 616s.

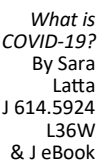


*The Science of the Coronavirus*  
By Renae Gilles  
J 616.2414 G475

*What is a Pandemic?*  
By Kara Laughlin  
J 614.4 L37W



*How Has COVID-19 Changed Our World?*  
By Kara Laughlin  
J 614.5924 L37W



*What is COVID-19?*  
By Sara Latta  
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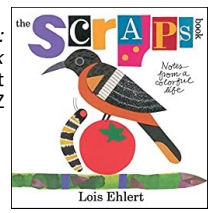
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| <b>000-099</b> | general stuff (computers, UFOs, world records, journalism, libraries, things like Bigfoot)        |
| <b>100-199</b> | philosophy & psychology (feelings, self-help, dreams, spooky stuff)                               |
| <b>200-299</b> | religion & mythology  |
| <b>300-399</b> | social sciences (family, money, government, voting, holidays, transportation, folk & fairy tales) |
| <b>400-499</b> | languages (dictionaries, grammar)   |
| <b>500-599</b> | natural sciences (math, plants, weather, dinos, bugs, animals)                                    |
| <b>600-699</b> | ways to use science (technology, health, cooking, pets, building)                                 |
| <b>700-799</b> | art & recreation (crafts, fashion, dancing, music, games, sports)                                 |
| <b>800-899</b> | literature (poetry, plays, jokes)   |
| <b>900-999</b> | geography & history (pirates, flags, presidents, biographies, states, countries, family trees)    |

**Art scene!**



When you make a collage, you can use cut-up paper or fabric, or other bits of stuff you find, like artist Lois Ehlert does!

From: *The Scraps Book*  
By Lois Ehlert  
J 741.6 E33Z



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**CYS zine**

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I SPY some great new books to check out for Black History Month!

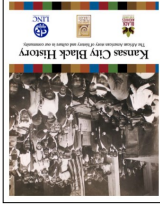


Whatever you do, have fun reading! Love, the Editor

Program (held Feb. 1-28). It is for kids ages 0-18. Check out the details here: [www.kclibrary.org/winterreads](http://www.kclibrary.org/winterreads). You can also win prizes during the library's Winter Reading



If you'd like to read about local people for Black History Month, the library has helped create a free 44-page booklet for you! You can pick it up at the library. Or you can download it online here: [kclinc.org/blackhistory](http://kclinc.org/blackhistory).



Dear Readers, There is so much going on this month!

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**MAKE. DO. TELL.**  
with  
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BUILDING BLOCKS KIT

Recommended for Ages 0-6

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LION MINI BLOCK KIT

Recommended for Ages 7-18



Get a free craft kit when you visit your KC Public Library location.



From: *Kids' Silliest Jokes* By Jacqueline Horstfall J 818 H81K

Where am I?! I'm at the bottom!

Q: What happened when the rubber duckie fell into the bathtub?

A: It stank all the way to the bottom!

Q: What happened to the skunk that fell into the bathtub?

A: It stank all the way to the bottom!

Let's soap for the best!

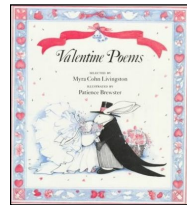
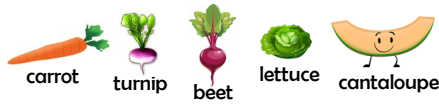
Is that a cake?

### Funny side up

### Wee poem

#### A Funny Valentine Poem

You may not all for me  
 The way I care for you.  
 You may your nose  
 When I plead with you—  
 But if your should with mine  
 Forever hope  
 There is no reason in the world  
 Why we two !



From: *Valentine Poems* By Myra Cohn Livingston J 811 L78V



From: *My First Book of Relativity* By Sheddad Kaid-Salah Ferron J 530.11 F39M

Wow! Light years are freaky!

"If some extraterrestrials looked at us now from a planet 4,500 LIGHT YEARS away, what would they see? They wouldn't see the Earth as it is now, but they would see it as it was 4,500 YEARS AGO. They would be able to see, for example, how the ancient Egyptians built the pyramids."

### Full STEAM ahead

### Nonfiction notebook

#### Jaw-some!

"Some sharks have more than one row of teeth. When a tooth in the front row falls out, it is replaced by the row behind, so their teeth are always moving forward. During their life, some sharks will have and lose up to 30,000 teeth!"



From: *Everything Awesome About Sharks* By Mike Lowery J 597.3 L91E

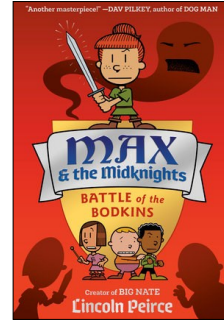


Two cats go on a quest to find a new home in this gorgeous adventure.



The Bear in My Family & J eBook by Maya Tatsukawa J EASY TATSUKAWA

### What's new?



Max & The Midnight: Battle of the Bodkins By Lincoln Peirce J GRAPHIC FICTION PEIRCE

Knight school is tough, but also funny! There's even a cat-dragon thing!



Fly, Girl, Fly! By Nancy Roe Pimm J BIO WAIZ

From refugee camp to flying around the world, Shaesta Waiz allowed her dreams to soar.