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What happened to
the wooden car?
It wooden go! 🤖

How Dewey find the books?

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 books about **cool cars** in the **629s**.

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

This month in CYS

Storytimes:

Tuesdays:
9:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.

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Call Dial-A-Story at 816-701-3456 or visit kcllibrary.org/kids/dial-a-story
in the Vault 9:30-11 a.m. Kids only (and their adults)! Join us to watch new & classic cartoons in the Vault.

What do you call it when a strawberry robs a bank? A **strawberry!** 🍓

Summer Reading: "This project is supported by the Institute of Museum and Library Services under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act as administered by the Missouri State Library, a division of the Office of the Secretary of State."

Healthy choices



For ages 10+, 60-100 beats per minute is average. (It's faster for younger kids.)



What Do Doctors Do?
By Sarah Hull
J 610.69 HULL
PS: Why did the Dalmatian go to the eye doctor? It kept seeing spots!

Not that color!

One of these is not the name of a Crayola crayon. Can you guess which one it is?

macaroni and cheese
tickle me pink
dandelion
elephant belly
purple pizzazz
fuzzy wuzzy
bluetiful
asparagus



For more about crayons: **Crayola! The Secrets of the Cool Colors and Hot Hues**
By Bonnie Williams
J 735.6 WILLIAMS
Answer on Page 14.

This month is ...

Aug. 2: National Coloring Book Day
Aug. 3: National Watermelon Day



Aug. 12-13 (and nights before and after): Peak time to see the Annual Perseid Meteor Shower. Go outside (hopefully on a clear night and try to find somewhere without much light pollution) and look up at the sky to see falling stars (also called meteors)!



Aug. 16: It's National Tell a Joke Day. So ... What candy do you eat on the playground? Reese's pieces!

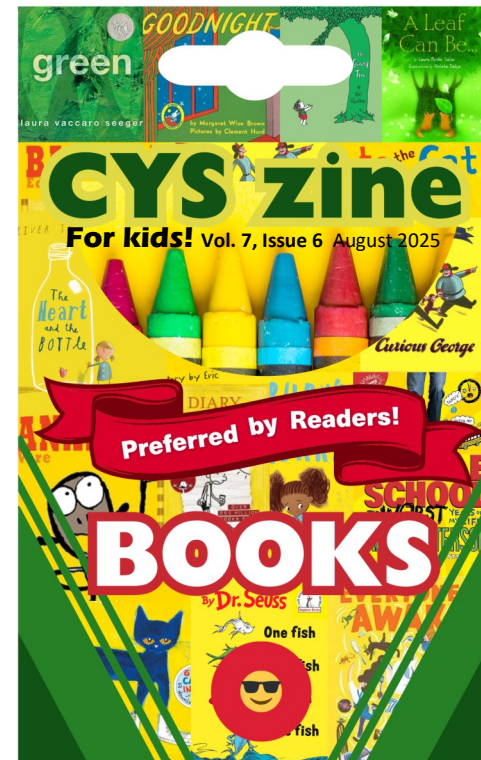
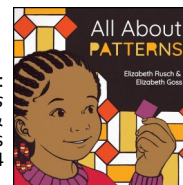
Art scene!




Pattern Play!


"Artists play with patterns, and so can you. Draw lines across a paper, and then fill each section with a different pattern. This can look dramatic!"

From:
All About Patterns
By Elizabeth Rusch & Elizabeth Goss
J 152.14





PS: Where do crayons go on vacation? Colorado!



Note: You can sign up in person at the Library or online: kclibrary.org/SummerReading

The last day of our "Color Our World" Summer Reading program is Aug. 15. So sign up before then and don't forget to pick up your prize!

You get a free book just for signing up, and if you read ANY five books between May 30-Aug. 15, you get a prize! Yay!

Love, the Editor



Editor's page

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Free films at the Central Library in August!

There is a free movie every day at 2 p.m. in the Vault Theater (unless there is a special event). To find out what movie is playing, please call the Vault at (816) 701-3455 or check online at kclibrary.org/calendar.

*Note: On Saturdays, the Vault Theater is exclusively reserved for kids, teens & families.


Upcoming Family-Friendly Cinema

- 8/1 Batman (1966, PG)
- 8/4 Teen Titans Go! To the Movies (2018, PG)
- 8/6 E.T. The Extra Terrestrial (1982, PG)
- 8/8 Batman Forever (1995, PG-13)
- 8/9 Luca (2021, PG)*
- 8/10 The Lego Movie (2014, PG)
- 8/12 Transformers (2007, PG-13)
- 8/13 Pee-wee's Big Adventure (1985, PG)
- 8/15 Batman & Robin (1997, PG-13)
- 8/16 Muppet Treasure Island (1996, G)*
- 8/20 Homeward Bound: Incredible Journey (1993, G)
- 8/23 Harry Potter/Sorcerer's Stone (2001, PG)*
- 8/29 The Princess Diaries (2001, G)
- 8/30 Matilda (1996, PG)*



Programs at the KC Public Library are appropriate for all ages unless otherwise indicated.

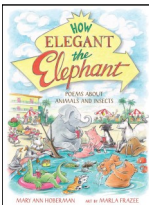
Wee poem




Horse

By Mary Ann Hoberman

*A horse that whinnies all the time
Will soon be very hoarse;
And though he'd like to neigh all day,
A hoarse horse can't, of course.*



From:
How Elegant the Elephant
By Mary Ann Hoberman
J 811.54
HOBERMAN






I'm a little hoarse horse!

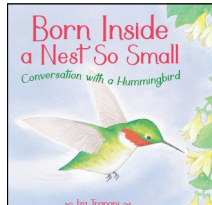
Nonfiction notebook

Humming along!

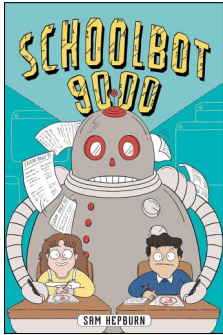
"As summer ends, hummingbirds migrate to warmer places like southern Mexico. They fly along over great distances, around 1,500 miles or more! Hummingbirds can fly nonstop for nearly 24 hours when crossing over the Gulf of Mexico."

*What do you get if you cross a hummingbird & a doorbell?
A hum-dinger!* 





From:
Born Inside a Nest So Small: Conversation With a Hummingbird
By Iza Trapani
J 598.764
TRAPANI

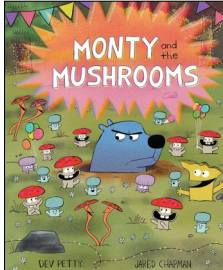


Schoolbot 9000
By Sam Hepburn
J GRAPHIC FICTION
HEPBURN
or J ebook

Uh oh! James and all the kids get some scary lessons when all the teachers are replaced with AI robots!




*What do you call a sad robot?
A woe-bot.*  Woe-bot is me!



Monty & The Mushrooms
By Dev Petty
J PICTURE PETTY

These mushrooms may be fungi, but they just will not SHUT UP!



Blah blah blah blah

Funny side up



Knock knock!
Who's there?
Wooden shoe.
Wooden shoe who?
Wooden shoe like to know!



Knock knock!
Who's there?
Roach.
Roach who?
Roach you a text, didn't you see it?



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Who's there?
Poodle.
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Full STEAM ahead

Brain Freeze: The Cold Hard Facts!

"Ever eaten ice cream too quickly? That painful freeze-ing feeling in your forehead is a result of your body trying to warm up the cold bits as quickly as possible. Your brain quickly sends signals to the blood vessels in your cold mouth. These vessels rapidly expand to receive more blood and warm up. The neighboring vessels (which lost that blood) then shrink, causing pain signals to be sent back to the brain. Ouch!"





From:
Your Brilliant Brain
By Phillip Bunting
J 612.82 BUNTING

What's new?



Godzilla: Monster Island Summer Camp
By Rosie Knight
J GRAPHIC FICTION
GODZILLA
or J ebook

Zeida finally gets to go to summer art camp, but when she gets there, it's not what she signed up for!



Ghosts of Fear Street 2: Who's Been Sleeping in My Grave?
By R.L. Stine
J CHAPTER STINE

Zack needs to get rid of his creepy substitute teacher, but no one believes him!

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