



# DEKALB PUBLIC LIBRARY FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

SEPTEMBER 2022



## THRASH TEEN READS

Read a **Mystery** of your choice and come prepared to roast it: "yuck" or boast it: "yay!"

Share what else you are reading. Snacks included.

This is a teen-led book group, which basically means that teens are in charge.

**Thursday  
September 8  
6:00 - 7:30 p.m.**

Susan at [susang@dkpl.org](mailto:susang@dkpl.org)  
for more information.



## ACRYLIC POUR FOR TEENS

Contribute to an art project that will give the Teen Lounge some pops of color.

Drop-in and sign-up for a session of this paint pour on canvas workshop.

**Saturday  
September 10  
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.  
(30 minute sessions)**

For youth in grades 6-12.

Rochelle at [rochellem@dkpl.org](mailto:rochellem@dkpl.org)  
for more information.



## SPINE CRACKERS BOOK CLUB

This month's book is a high-flying dragon adventure, **Wings of Fire**, #1 in the series by Tui Sutherland.

Grab a copy to checkout and read ahead, then snack, and discuss it.

**Monday  
September 12  
6:00 - 7:00 p.m.**

Jen at [jenniferm@dkpl.org](mailto:jenniferm@dkpl.org)  
for more information.

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Event Calendar  
at [dkpl.org](http://dkpl.org)  
for more teen  
events.



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### STEM AND SPORTS

NIU Teen and Family  
STEM Café.  
Learn about the science,  
technology, engineering  
and math impacting  
sports today.

- Expert speakers
- Hands-on activities
- Pizza

**Thursday**  
**September 15**  
**5:00 - 6:30 p.m.**

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STEMCafé



### EIGHT COUNTRIES IN ONE DAY

Gobble down smørrebrød in  
*Denmark*, build your own  
paper circuit constellations  
in *Greece*, play Congkak and  
Batu Seremban in *Malaysia*,  
learn how to make Mate in  
*Uruguay*, and much more.

Other countries included  
will be Senegal,  
New Zealand, Laos, and  
the Czech Republic.

Drop in, all ages.

**Saturday**  
**September 17**  
**11:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.**



### COSPLAY WORKSHOP

Put together a  
favorite character  
look with our  
costumes and props.

Bring your own  
costume elements  
to complete your look.

Pose in front of  
the green screen wall  
or themed backdrops.

**Thursday**  
**September 29**  
**7:00 - 8:00 p.m.**

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