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## January 2025 Holiday Activities









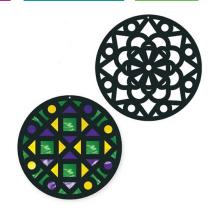


## **January School Holiday Craft Activities**

#### Stained Glass Mandalas

This activity is always a favourite! Join us as we settle in to create some magical mandalas that will look amazing hanging in a window.





## **Popsicle Pop Art**

Pop Art is bold, colourful and lots of fun to make. We'll be using the image of a summer essential, the popsicle or icy-pole, and turning it into a work of art.

## **Lego for Everyone**

Fun for all ages. Come along and enjoy a relaxing afternoon of lego play. Get creative and show us what you can build with these brilliant little bricks.









## **Comics Plus**

### **Read All the Comics!**

With Comics Plus, you have unlimited, simultaneous access to thousands of digital comics, graphic novels, and manga.

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Story Box Library is an educational website created for Australian children to view stories by Australian authors and illustrators and being read aloud by fantastic storytellers. It was born out of a need for Australian children to experience and make personal connections with Australian stories and voices. Create your own playlist with all your favourite stories. Find the link in our Kidspace (www.gvlibraries.com.au/kidspace) and log in with your library card number.



## **Kanopy Kids**

The new streaming offering features educational, enriching, and entertaining content with age-based ratings from Common Sense Media. Kanopy Kids highlights films and TV series that inspire and inform, helping children develop empathy, mindfulness, and self-esteem through entertaining and educational videos, with 100 new films added every month. Find a link at www.gvlibraries.com.au/kidspace.



# LOTE Online For Kids

LOTE Online allows kids to enjoy the magic of books in various languages from the comfort of home, alongside English translations to help develop reading and listening skills. Kids can also watch a selection of English books with Australian accents. Login using your library card barcode number, select a language and enjoy a story!

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## January School Holiday Craft Activities

#### **Pirate Parrots**

Ahoy all ye landlubbers!

No self-respecting pirate is without a parrot. Hop aboard, make a fabulous feathered friend and be ready to sail the seven seas.



## **Split Pin Sea Creatures**

Suitable for all ages... We've got seahorses, crabs, an octopus and more for you to decorate and join together with split pins. These creatures range from really simple to quite involved.

## **Bouncy Frogs**

We all love a frog in a pond, and this one is extra bouncy. Whether your frog says "Da Glumf" or "La di da di da", you are sure to have lots of fun crafting.



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# January School Holiday Craft Activities

### **3D Koalas & Wombats**

These cute little koalas and wombats are great fun to decorate and assemble.
Use whichever colours you like...
Purple wombat? Yellow koala?
It is totally up to you.





## **Basket of Art**

Create a basket with some simple weaving and we will fill it with strawberries inspired by famous artists!

## **Beginners Chess**

Perfect for players of all ages (6 years+) and skill levels, including beginners.
Enjoy friendly games with family, friends, or fellow chess enthusiasts on the Giant Chess. Or learn basic strategies to enhance your gameplay.

## Nintendo Switch Gaming

Always wanted to try out a Nintendo Switch? Come along, have a go and see which games you enjoy.

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# Rhyme & Story Time Baby Rhyme Time

**Avenel Library** - 2nd Tuesday 10:30am

**Cobram Library** - Every Friday 10:30am

**Euroa Library** - Every Friday 10:00am

**Mooroopna Library** 

Baby Rhyme Time - 3rd Thursday 10:30am

Nagambie Library - 1st Thursday 10:30am

Nathalia Library - 3rd Thursday 10:30am

Numurkah Library - 2nd Wednesday 10:00am

**Shepparton Library** - Monday & Friday 10:30am

Baby Rhyme Time - Every Wednesday 10:30am

**<u>Violet Town Library</u>** - 3rd Thursday 10.30am

Yarrawonga Library - Every Thursday 10:30am

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Read 10 books to receive a reward & certificate.



Scan the QR code for all the BIG Summer Read details and links to the Read Books website

Register and log 10 books on the Read Books website. OR

Pick up a paper reading journal at any GV Library and write down your 10 books.

> Either way you will be eligible for the GV Libraries main prize draw.

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## **NGV Kids On Tour Activities**



#### **Furry Friend Headband** Ages 3+

Dalmatians, tabby cats and labradoodles! Cats and dogs come in many different colours, patterns, shapes and sizes. Celebrating the NGV exhibition Cats & Dogs, children can draw fur and other details inspired by their favourite pets on a set of cat or dog ears and wear them for the day-or even to bed!

#### **Bogong Moths with Deanne Gilson** Ages 5+

In this activity children receive a paper templates of the Australian bogong moth to make their own paper moth. While drawing eyes and patterns, discover the interesting facts about this special Australian insect, how it avoids predators, and its important place in our incredible natural environment.



Ages 5+



#### Fashion, Culture & Creativity with Collective Closets

Everyone can create a paper doll with its own wardrobe when they design sets of paper clothes in this activity created by Collective Closets. Mix and match your paper clothes and accessories to make endless creative outfit combinations while learning about fashion, design, colour and patterns.

#### Lots of Dots with Yayoi Kusama All Ages

Pumpkins often appear in Japanese artist Yayoi Kusama's artworks. In this activity, Yayoi Kusama invites children to add their favourite colourful dots and write a short poem or message about pumpkins.





## Make a Pompom with Sophie Honess Ages 10+

This making activity invites participants to be inspired by the natural world around them. Create a bush flower pompom using yarn, embroidery thread and colourful felts to then tag to your school bag, key chain or anything else!

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**Shepparton Library** 



Available to play all January

Movie & Popcorn Afternoons: Despicable Me 2 (PG)

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

Sonic the Hedgehog (PG)

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

**Kung Fu Panda 2 (PG)** 

Tuesday 21st Jan, 2:30pm







## **NGV Kids on Tour**

Rhyme & Story Time Special: Lots of Dots

with Yayoi Kusama

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am Friday 10<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

Furry Friend Headband

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

Fashion, Culture & Creativity with Collective Closets

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

Make a Pompom with Sophie Honess

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

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## Movie Night: Christopher Robin (PG)

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan, 6:30pm





## Pizza Party & Games Night Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Jan, 6:00pm

Join us for a fun night of free pizza and board games!
So many games to choose from – Scrabble, Jenga, Battleship,
Boggle, Chess, Snakes & Ladders, Yahtzee, Jigsaw puzzles,
card games and more.

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## **Avenel Library**

**Nintendo Switch Gaming** Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 1:30pm

**Split Pin Sea Creatures** Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

**Movie & Popcorn Afternoon:** Paw Patrol: The Movie (G) Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 1:30pm

Stained Glass Mandalas Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 2:00pm







## **Violet Town Library**

**Giant Noughts & Crosses:** Available to play all January

**Bouncy Frog** Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

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## **Euroa Library**

## **NGV Kids on Tour**

**Fashion, Culture & Creativity** with Collective Closets Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

Lots of Dots with Yavoi Kusama

Tuesday 14th Jan, 10:30am

Make a Pompom with Sophie Honess

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 10:30am

**Movie & Popcorn Afternoons:** IF (PG)

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:00pm 200% Wolf (PG)

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:00pm

## **Nagambie Library**

**Pirate Parrots** 

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> Jan, 10:30am

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## **Mooroopna Library**



#### **Pirate Parrots**

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

Stained Glass Mandalas Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am



Rhyme & Story time Special: **Music & Movement** 

Tuesday 21st Jan, 10:30am

Basket of Art

Craft on Tap available during opening hours all January.

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## **Cobram Library**

#### **Giant Chess:**

Available to play all January

#### **Beginners Chess**

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 10:30am

#### **Lego for Everyone**

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 1:30pm

## **Movie & Popcorn Afternoons:**

Despicable Me (PG)

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm

The Lorax (G)

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:30pm



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## **NGV Kids on Tour**

#### **Furry Friend Headband**

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

## **Bogong Moths**with Deanne Gilson

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

## Fashion, Culture & Creativity with Collective Closets

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

### **Furry Friend Headband**

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

## Rhyme & Story Time Special:

Lots of Dots

with Yayoi Kusama

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am

## **Bogong Moths**with Deanne Gilson

Tuesday 21st Jan, 10:30am

## Make a Pompom with Sophie Honess

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan, 10:30am

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## **Nathalia Library**

## Giant Snakes & Ladders / Twister:

Available to play all January

#### **Bouncy Frog**

Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:00pm

#### **Split Pin Sea Creatures**

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> Jan, 2:00pm





## **Numurkah Library**

#### **Pirate Parrots**

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2:00pm

#### **Bouncy Frog**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 11:00am

#### **3D Koalas & Wombats**

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 2:00pm

## Yarrawonga Library

## **Popsicle Pop Art**

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 10:30am



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