



Adventure Begins With You!

Summer of Learning

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2024



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INTRODUCTION

Summer of Learning is Believe in Learning Norfolk's annual flagship event. This event lasts seven weeks and includes free learning events and activities for Norfolk residents of all ages.

This year's theme is "Adventure Begins with You" and reflects Believe in Learning Norfolk by encouraging individuals to start their adventurous journey of lifelong learning and community engagement.

This event guide is a curated list of events and has been shortened for convenience.

To view all Summer of Learning events, please visit
www.norfolk.gov/lifelonglearning

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WHAT IS BELIEVE IN LEARNING NORFOLK?

The Believe in Learning Norfolk (BILN) program developed as a result of the Mayor's Commission on Lifelong Learning.

This initiative provides access to programs, resources, and services throughout the city for residents across interest areas and in all age groups. BILN has over 100 incredible partners each with a lifelong learning goal to provide a variety of educational resources to our residents.



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Kickoff Celebration

SATURDAY, JUNE 22 11AM TO 2PM
Mary D. Pretlow Anchor Branch Library
111 W Ocean View Ave, Norfolk, VA 23503

Kickoff Schedule

SATURDAY, JUNE 22

Saturday, June 22
11am

Saturday, June 22
11am - 12pm

Saturday, June 22
11am- 2pm

Saturday, June 22
11am- 2pm

Saturday, June 22
11am - 2pm

Saturday, June 22
11am-2pm

Saturday, June 22
12pm - 4pm

Line Dancing
with Norfolk Parks and Recreation

Animal Exploration
with the Virginia Zoo

Mock Camp Set-up
with the Virginia State Park

Adventurous Coloring Den

Face Painting

Creative Lab Expedition
in the Maker Studio

Yoga with Prime Plus Senior
Center

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Thursday, June 20-Sunday, August 11

Summer Poetry Walk with Elizabeth River Trail

Managed Meadow in west Ghent

Tuesday, June 25
9:30am-2:30pm

Camp Art Stars with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Tuesday, June 25
1pm-4pm

Teen Tuesdays with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Tuesday, June 25
6:30-7:30pm

African HEAT by Tidewater Cultural Alliance

Norfolk Public Library
Mary D. Pretlow Anchor Branch

Friday, June 28
3-4 pm

Family Adventure Storytime

Norfolk Public Library
Downtown Branch at Slover

Thursday, June 27
12:30pm-2pm

Microgreens Workshop with Norfolk Master Gardeners

Norfolk Public Library
Downtown Branch at Slover

Friday, June 28
9-11AM

Trail Beautification Day

Elizabeth River Trail and Norfolk Master Gardeners



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SUNDAY, JUNE 30 - SATURDAY, JULY 6

Monday, July 1
3-4pm

Ice Cream Social

Tuesday, July 2
1pm-4pm

Teen Tuesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Wednesday, July 3
11am-12:30pm

Wonder Wednesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Thursday, July 4
12-1pm

Charged Up Aerobics for Seniors

Saturday, July 6
10:30-11:30am

Boombox Rides

Saturday, July 6
1-3pm

Saturday Movie Social Hour

Norfolk Public library
Jordan Newby Anchor Branch

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Primeplus Senior Center
7300 Newport Ave #100
Norfolk, VA

Elizabeth River Trail
532 W 35th St.
Norfolk, VA

Norfolk Public library
Jordan Newby Anchor
branch

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SUNDAY, JULY 7 - SATURDAY, JULY 13

Sunday, July 7
1pm-2pm

History Speaks
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Tuesday, July 9
1pm-4pm

Teen Tuesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Tuesday, July 9
9:30am-2:30pm

Camp Art Stars
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Wednesday, July 10
11am-12:30pm

Wonder Wednesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Thursday, July 11
11am-12noon

Bingo with Bridget

Friday, July 12
12-1pm

Pickleball- Seniors

Saturday, July 13
5:00pm-8:00pm

Adult Night at the Virginia Zoo

Myers House
323 East Freemason St, Norfolk, VA

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

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Norfolk Public library
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Primeplus Senior Center
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Norfolk, VA

Virginia Zoo
3500 Granby Street, Norfolk, VA

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SUNDAY, JULY 14 - SATURDAY, JULY 20



Tuesday, July 16
9:30am-2:30pm

Camp Art Stars
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk,
VA

Tuesday, July 16
1pm-4pm

Teen Tuesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk,
VA

Wednesday, July 17
11am-12:30pm

Wonder Wednesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk,
VA

Tuesday, July 16
5pm-7pm

Rainbow Write-in with The
Muse Writers Center

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk,
VA

Wednesday, July 17
1-3pm

Dune: The Plants Must Grow

The Muse Writers Center and
online

Friday, July 19
10am-1pm

Better Choices (age 12-17)

Norfolk Master Gardeners

Teens with a Purpose
700 E Olney Road
Norfolk, VA

Saturday, July 20
1pm-3pm

Little City Poet's Meet-up
Muse Writers Cenetr

The Muse Writers
Center and online



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Sunday, July 21
1pm-3:30pm

Sketch- Along
with Ganiyu Jimoh

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Museum Place, Norfolk, VA

Monday, July 22-
August 9

Musical Theater Intensive

Governor's School for the Arts
254 Granby Street
Norfolk, VA

Tuesday, July 23
1pm-4pm

Teen Tuesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Tuesday, July 23
9:30am-2:30pm

Camp Art Stars
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk,
VA

Tuesday, July 23
4pm

Summer Jewelry Workshop:
Nature xplorer Bracelets

Norfolk Public Library
Barron F. Black Branch

Wednesday, July 24
11am-12:30pm

Wonder Wednesdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Friday, July 26
3-4pm

Creative Writing 101 for Teens

Norfolk Public Library
Mary D. Pretlow Anchor
Branch

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Thursday, August 1
5pm-9pm

First Thursdays
with the Chrysler Museum of Art

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Thursday, August 1
6pm-9pm

Jean Outland Chrysler Library
Used Book Sale

Chrysler Museum of Art
One Memorial Place, Norfolk, VA

Thursday, August 2
10-11am

Community Garden
Club- Seniors

Primeplus Senior Center
7300 Newport Ave #10
Norfolk, VA

Saturday, August 3
12pm-6pm

FUSE Fest

Teens with a Purpose
801 Chuch Street, Norfolk at
Purpose Park

Saturday, August 3
10am-4pm

Percy Jackson Day

Norfolk Public Library
Mary D. Pretlow Anchor
Branch

Saturday, August 3
9:30am-2:00pm

Back to School with the VA Zoo

Virginia Zoo
3500 Granby Street, Norfolk, VA



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Thank You!

Thank you for being a part of the
Believe in Learning Norfolk Summer of Learning.
We hope our events and programming reminds everyone
that Adventure Begins With You and to continue lifelong learning.

Believe In Learning Norfolk's Summer of Learning
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