



## Public Libraries Can Be Partners with You!

**Do you need additional materials or activities for your students?  
Do you need a place that can help your students' parents?  
Public Libraries Can Help!**

Michigan's public libraries provide free programs throughout the year for young children, K-12 students and lifelong learners. Many of these programs can help your students and their parents or caregivers. The list below highlights many of the typical services provided in addition to print and online materials and reference assistance.

### Literacy Programs for Children and Families:

- Lapsit and Storytimes – early childhood reading activities for young children and families.
- Summer Reading – reading activities and contests for children and teens through the summer. See [www.michigan.gov/youthlibraryservices](http://www.michigan.gov/youthlibraryservices) for more information.
- Michigan Reads! – annual family literacy program with activities and crafts for young children and families. See [www.michigan.gov/michiganreads](http://www.michigan.gov/michiganreads) for more information.

### K-12 Educational Programs:

- Homework Help – online and in person assistance with homework for K-12 students.
- Learning Express – free online practice site that includes K-12 tests. [www.mel.org](http://www.mel.org).

### Adult Literacy:

- ESL – English as Second Language programs or contacts.
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### Workforce Development Programs:

- Computer Training – on site classes on the basics of using computers.
- Learning Express – free online practice site that includes vocational and higher education exams, resume writing and interviewing practice, and software tutorials. [www.mel.org](http://www.mel.org).
- Computer Access – free access to computers, which can be used to apply for assistance, apply for jobs, and to work on resumes and class work.

Contact your local public library for information on partnering  
You can find your local library at [www.michigan.gov/librarydirectory](http://www.michigan.gov/librarydirectory).

**Not all programs are available at all libraries.  
Please check with your library for program availability and eligibility.**