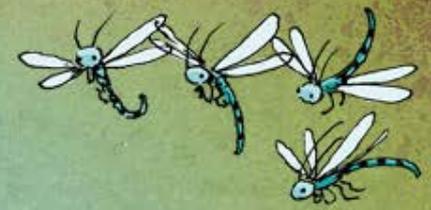




Digging on a Dime: “Dig Into Reading” Summer Reading 2013



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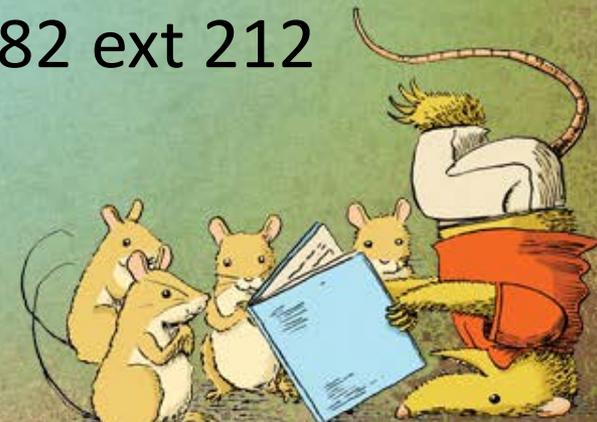
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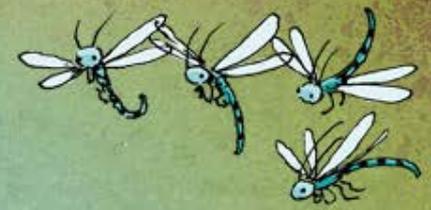
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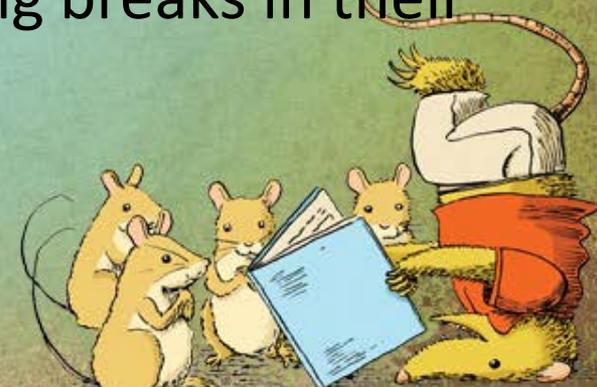
Summer reading engages...

Reluctant readers to be drawn in by the activities

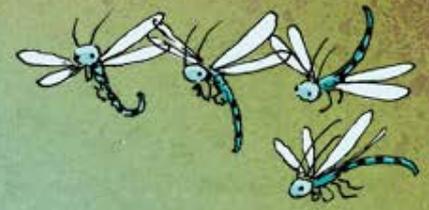
Creative and fun programming that generates interest in the library and books

All patrons big and small and promotes FREE library events!!!

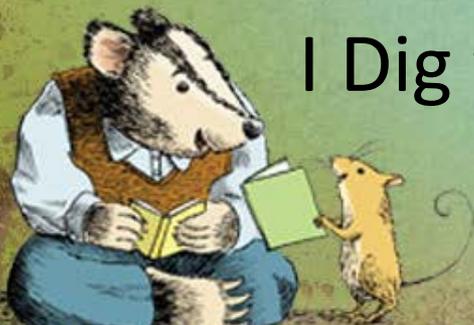
“It is important for kids to engage their minds and imaginations during breaks in their school schedule.”



Dig Into READING



- I Dig Gardening
- I Dig Big Machines
- I Dig Dinosaurs
- I Dig Animals Underground
- I Dig Hidden Treasure
- I Dig Getting Dirty
- Dig Up, Down, All Around
- I Dig the Earth





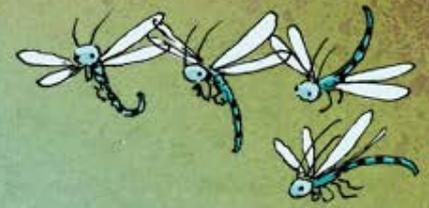
Just Dig It!

Explore some of the things to be found under the surface: dirt, roots, seeds, buried treasure, and more! Patrons of all ages will love digging in (literally!) and making new discoveries at the library



Program Ideas

Just Dig It!

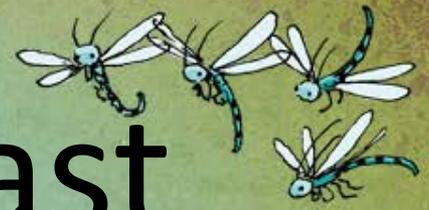


Plant a seed
Potato prints
Grow grassheads
Make mud & have mud
sundaes
Treasure Hunt / I spy
Jack and Beanstalk/ Lima
Bean Monster
Gardening/ garden club
program-

Construction or big
machines party/ storytime
Author Party- Example-
Denise Fleming
Cooking Club- dirt cups



Dig Into the Past



Children love to learn about the past and they will enjoy many hands-on activities that explore ancient Egypt, fossils, dinosaurs, and more.



Program Ideas

Dig into the Past



Dino Dig- Dinosaur Egg Hunt

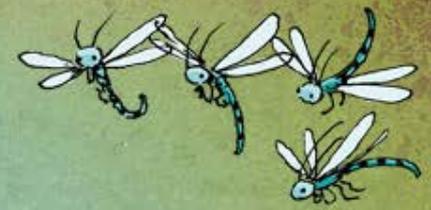
Mummies & Tombs- Learn about Egypt,
Pyramids, King Tut- mummy wrap

Fossils – find some examples or make your own
corn starch fossils-

<http://www.coffeecupsandcrayons.com/sand-and-cornstarch-fossils/> (2 days ahead)

Pirates and Treasure Hunts- Let's Have A Party





Burrowers

There is a whole world right under
our feet that awaits investigation.

Cave exploring

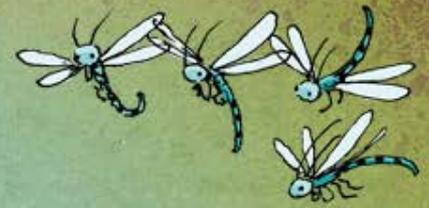
Mud

Animals that live underground

Underwater animals



Resource Sharing



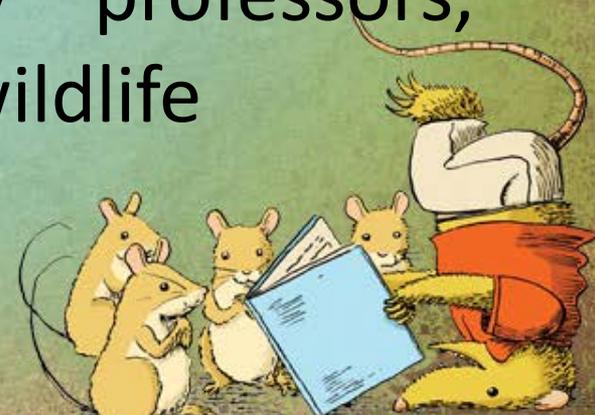
*Check out our resource sharing sheet

We provided website ideas for program themes, crafts, songs and activities.

Tips on seeking out donations

Presenter ideas for both summer and general programs that have worked for us

Reach out in your local community – professors, health dept, KY Dept. of fish and wildlife





BENEATH ↓ THE SURFACE



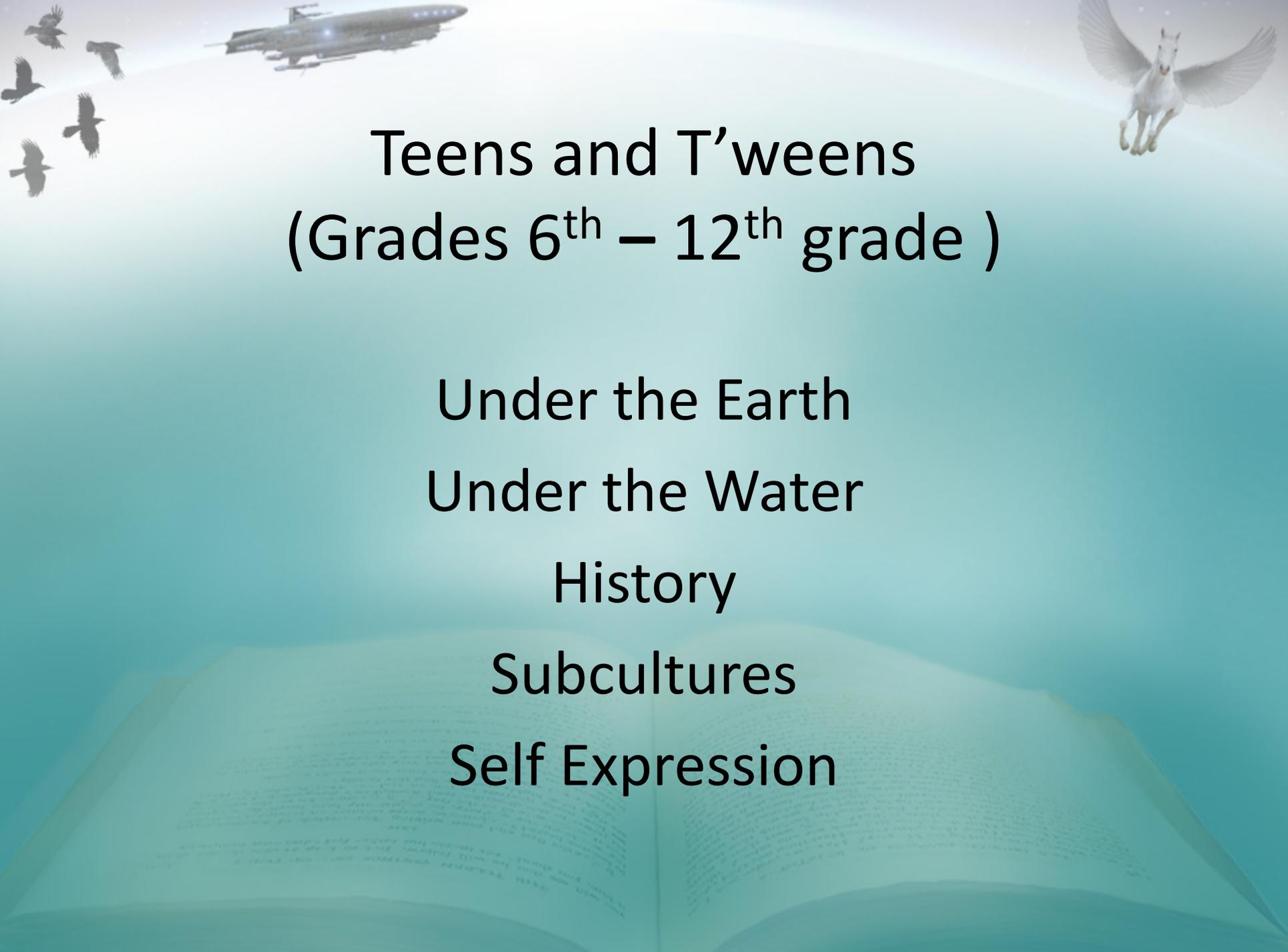


Teens want two things:

FOOD

&

FUN!



Teens and T'weens (Grades 6th – 12th grade)

Under the Earth
Under the Water
History
Subcultures
Self Expression

Under the Earth

Under the crust of our earth lies many a treasure—
from wildlife to gems to . . . hobbit homes. Enjoy exploring



Worm farm
Mini terrariums
Make worry stones
Grow stalagmites



Archaeologist, WKU , ECU, UK, Murray

Gem and Mineral Show, Morris Jewelers

Geocaching/Caving Specialist, Lost River Cave

Fossils -Bill Lynch, Kentucky Department of Fish & Wildlife Resources

Jared Baker, Animal Tales

Self-Expression

Teens are the perfect audience for a program in which they can express themselves. They have all kinds of things going on beneath the surface—they are striving to learn who they are as people, to cope with issues of self-esteem, to become secure in what they believe, and to learn how to express what they think is important in the world ... and their rivers run deep

Journaling workshop

Post Secret Night, Frank Warren

Psychologist “The Teen Brain” , Body Language



Design T-shirts

Wild Hairstyles

BLOG Show-and-Tell

Meditation / Yoga

Sexual & gender identity

Graffiti Art

Nail Art



Quote of the day Bulletin Board
Zombie/ Emo make-up workshop

History

Let's dig into history, discovering things we may not have known, testing our history IQ, documenting our current "history" with a time capsule, and simply looking beneath the surface of our past.

- Personal Time Capsules
- Historical Jeopardy



- “Fabulous Females (You may not know about) .”
 - Genealogy / Family Trees

Subcultures

A subculture is defined as “a cultural group within a larger culture, having beliefs or interests at variance with those of the larger culture” (Dictionary.com). There are subcultures within every age group of American society. Teens, however, seem to have more than their fair share of subcultures—explore and celebrate them with one or more of the programs below. What other youth subcultures in your community might you shine a spotlight on this summer?

- Paranormal, Patti Starr

Vegetarian/ Vegan food Demonstration

- Environmentalist:

viewing of the *Inconvenient Truth*

- Teen Fear Factor

Gross Food Eating Contest, Find the Bugs, Walk on Glass

- Jewelry Making, gems

- Survivalist

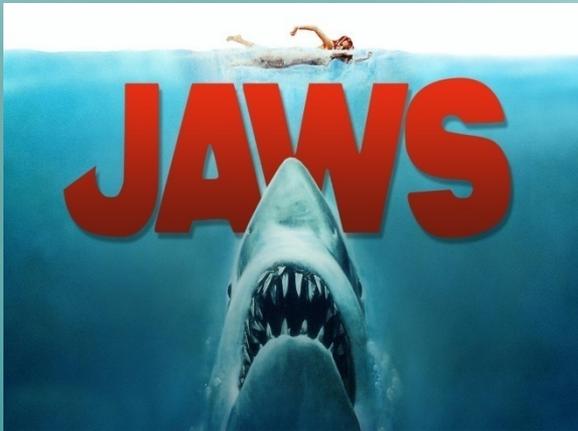
Under the Water

What can we find below the surface of the water? Mermaids? Sharks?

- It's Jawesome!

Shark Week Party Extravaganza!

(Shark Bingo, Pin the Diver on the Shark, Shark Bite Photo Op, Shark Necklaces)



- Marine Biologist / Freshwater Scientist / Scuba Diver



Book & Internet Resources

Voya Magazine www.yalsa.com

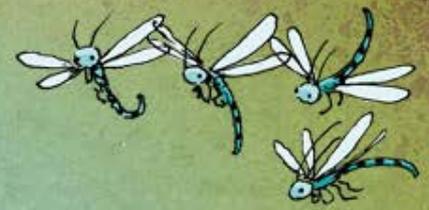
Kiki Magazine www.kikimag.com

You Tube www.youtube.com

Pinterest www.pinterest.com



Craft Time!



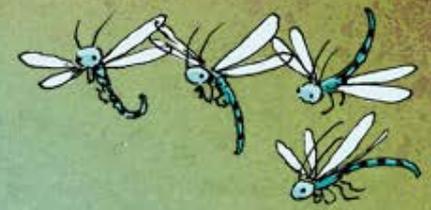
Bug pencil holder

Gem stone ring





Questions ???



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