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LIBRARY TO HOST SPECIAL “KINDER CAMP” FOR PRESCHOOLERS

SHEPHERDSVILLE—Bullitt County Public Library (BCPL) is holding free kindergarten readiness boot camps at two locations beginning Saturday, October 9th.

Kinder Camp is a 10-week series designed to equip preschoolers—and their parents and caregivers—with the tools they need to be ready for kindergarten. The program provides children an opportunity to experience a classroom environment. Each session builds skills and confidence as participants prepare for the day-to-day of attending school. Students will practice self-help strategies, self-advocating, motor skills, interactive play skills, communication, following direction, and conflict resolution through sensory activities and tons of dramatic play.

Kinder Camp will also feature guests from local community partners and schools, connecting families with information and services to help keep kids healthy, happy, and ready to learn when the new school year begins.

Curriculum includes:

- reading and writing skills
- numbers and counting
- emotional and social skills
- classroom skills
- fine motor skills

"This program is designed to provide an engaging and immersive environment for children approaching kindergarten along with their parents and caregivers," said program organizer Jillian Tipping-Rogers.

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"We will be targeting more than the alphabet, numbers, and colors. I want to help children and their families feel prepared for the social and emotional changes that come with entering kindergarten while providing valuable resources, guidance, and overall confidence towards kindergarten readiness."

For its debut year, Kinder Camp will be offered at BCPL's Ridgway Memorial and Lebanon Junction locations and is targeted to incoming kindergarteners for the 2022–2023 school year.

Registration is required for guaranteed admission. For more information or to register a child, call Jillian Tipping-Rogers at 502-543-7675 ext. 2557 or visit www.bcplib.org/kindercamp.

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