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SPL launching online programming during closures

Though trips to Saskatoon Public Library (SPL) have been temporarily suspended, there will soon be ways to enjoy everything from storytimes to local history slideshows from the comfort of home.

SPL is preparing to offer [online programming](#) beginning next Monday, March 30. There will be a total of eight programs launched, with something for all ages and ability levels. Programs will take place on SPL's social media channels.

"While these are unprecedented times for SPL and our community, we know how important library programs can be for keeping imaginations active and helping alleviate social isolation," explained Carol Cooley, CEO of SPL. "While we hope to reopen libraries as soon as possible, we're confident people will find these online programs fun and engaging in the interim."

In addition to online programming, SPL cardholders can also access an array of digital resources in lieu of being able to borrow physical library items. The [Digital Library](#) section of SPL's website allows users to borrow eBooks, eAudiobooks, learn a new language, watch business tutorials, stream movies and music, and more.

SPL also has a webpage with frequently asked questions and information regarding the current closure. Media and the public are encouraged to check this page, along with our social media channels, for all SPL-related updates during the COVID-19 pandemic.

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