



# July 2023 Programming

Ives Main Library | 133 Elm Street, New Haven, CT 06510 | (203) 946-8130 x140

**Open Hours 3D Printer - 3D Carving Machine - Laser Cutter - Vinyl Cutter**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
10 - 7:30pm	10 - 7:30pm	10 - 7:30pm	10 - 7:30pm	10 - 4:30pm	10 - 4:30pm

## Equipment Certifications

Sign up for training [here](#) or ask at the Switchboard! Can't make a class? No worries! You can watch the training videos on our website!

## Looking for new Skill Share Participants!

Skill Share is a volunteer program where participants share their neat skills with others! If you are interested in joining, you can ask for an application at the Switchboard desk or contact Jennifer Gargiulo at [jgargiulo@nhfpl.org](mailto:jgargiulo@nhfpl.org) for more information.

## Are you a teacher who wants to bring a class for a tour or to work on a project?

We are happy to provide this opportunity to students! We offer tours in the mornings from 10am-12pm by **appointment only**. Please call us at 203-946-8130 x 140 to discuss scheduling.

## Creative Programs

### Introduction to Web Development

**Thursday, July 13, 11 am-12:30 pm**

Learn the fundamentals of web development. Basic computer skills are required for this class, but no previous coding experience is required. Computers are available for use. This class is being taught in the *Lower Level Computer Classroom* by [District Arts & Education](#).



## Heat Transfer Vinyl Mosaics

**Saturday, July 15, 1-2 pm**

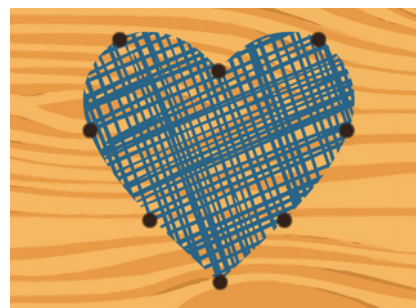
Using vinyl scraps, you can create a colorful masterpiece on a shirt or bag that is reminiscent of mosaic tiles. Bring your own shirts or decorate bags we provide. Parental supervision is required for children under 13 due to hot materials. Registration is required. This program will be held IN PERSON.



## Become a String Artist

**Saturday, July 29, 2-4 pm**

Using small nails and colored thread, you can create intricate designs with physical depth. No experience is required. This program is limited to teens and adults due to hammers and nails. Registration is required. This program will be held IN PERSON.



The Exchange is entrepreneurial hub and coworking space offering small businesses, nonprofits, and community groups a place in which they can meet, utilize our book collections, computers, and database resources, as well as access personal assistance from our librarians or the EIR during office hours.

## Business Librarian

**Alexandria Robison** received her MLIS in 2022 from the University of Rhode Island, with a focus in Library Administration and Transforming Communities. She is passionate about building relationships with Connecticut small business owners and using her communications background to identify and provide the support businesses and nonprofits need to grow and thrive. You may have crossed paths with Alexandria in her past roles with the New Haven Free Public Library and NHFPL Foundation.



Alexandria is available to help answer many of your business and nonprofit related questions, help you get started and/or grow your business, and put you in touch with other appropriate resources within the Greater New Haven entrepreneurial ecosystem!

## Office Hours

### Appointment Only

Email Alexandria at [arobison@nhfpl.org](mailto:arobison@nhfpl.org) to schedule an appointment.

## ADA Essentials for Small Businesses

### Thursday, July 13, 6-7 pm

Join Gretchen Knauff, Director of the Department of Services for Persons with Disabilities for the City of New Haven, for this virtual session to learn best practices in ADA compliance. Learn how your business can create an open and accessible environment for everyone. This program will be held VIRTUALLY.



## Creating Effective Email Communications

### Tuesday, July 25, 1-2 pm

Email marketing is one of the most effective tools used in online marketing. In this session, we will look at ways to grow your contact list and create engaging email marketing and communications for your business or non-profit. This program will be held IN PERSON.



Have a business question? Email [ivessquared@nhfpl.org](mailto:ivessquared@nhfpl.org) and a Business Librarian reach out to assist you.