



April 2024 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! Ives Squared will even provide the supplies (within reason).

If you are interested in joining, you can ask for an application at the Switchboard desk or contact Jennifer Gargiulo at 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.

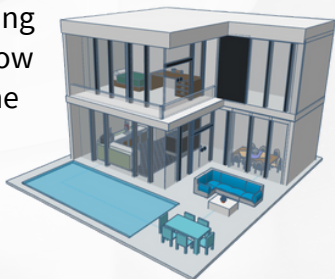
Creative Programs

Ives Squared Mobile Switchboard: 3D Design with TinkerCAD

Wednesday, April 3, 4-5:30 pm | Fair Haven

Thursday, April 18, 3-4:30 pm | Stetson

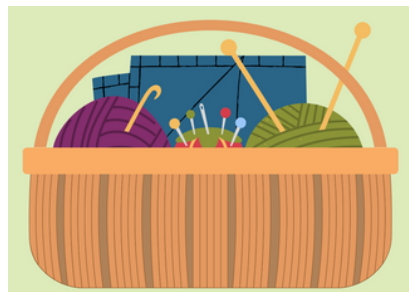
Are you interested in prototyping and/or 3D Design but don't know where to start? TinkerCAD is the software for you. A limited number of laptops will be available to practice on.



The Stitch Niche: A Fiber Arts Meetup

Tuesday, April 9, 6-7:30 pm

Bring your current knitting, sewing, crocheting, or other fiber arts projects and meet with other crafters in a casual and friendly setting! No experience is necessary. A small amount of supplies will be available for beginners.



New Haven Makes

Friday, April 19, 12-4 pm

New Haven has resources for creatives of all kinds, whether you want to make music, enjoy painting, explore woodworking, or more. Come meet some New Haven arts organizations and see how they can help creatives of all ages. Demonstrations and activities will be available for all ages.



Register for all Tinker Lab programs and office hours online at
nhfpl.org/ives-squared

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 during office hours.

Business Librarian

Alexandria Robison received her MLIS 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

By Appointment

Tuesdays 3-5 pm

Email arobison@nhfpl.org or [book an appointment](#).

Great Grant Guidance: A NHE3 Sign Up Event

Thursday, April 4, 5:30-6:30 pm

Come join staff from KNOWN Coworking and Ives Squared to learn more about the NHE3 grant and how to apply. We will be assisting individuals with registering for the application portal and understanding the grant application process.



Ives Squared Mobile Switchboard: Self-Publishing - The Next Chapter

Wednesday, April 10, 4-5:30 pm | Mitchell

Wednesday, April 24, 4:5:30 pm | Wilson

Are you interested in self-publishing but don't know where to start? This is the program for you! Come learn more about different popular self-publishing options Amazon Kindle Direct Publishing, IngramSpark, and Barnes & Noble Press, as well as how they compare to each other.

