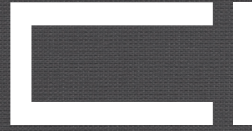




Clár Éire Ildánach
Creative Ireland
Programme
2017–2022



FAMILY DAY dlr Lexicon

Saturday
24 June 2017

Don't forget to sign up for the Summer Stars Reading Programme at the Family Day. Lots of fantastic fun and plenty of activities, tips and prizes at all dlr Libraries throughout the holidays!

Bring your suncream and your raincoats – to be ready for whatever weather we have on the day!

FAMILY DAY PROGRAMME

dlr Lexlcon, Saturday 24 June 2017

No booking required for any events, but come early, as first come first served. Children must be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

10.00am, 12.00pm
& 2.00pm.
Children's Library,
Level 4.
Max 8 families
per session.
Ages: 3-8. Sessions
75 minutes.

Who Stole My Goose

with Helen Barry

New and fun ways for young families to create characters and adventures using the alphabet, rhyming, storytelling and games.

10.30am, 11.30,
12.30, 1.30, 2.30,
3.30pm
Lexlcon Garden
Max 15 per session.
Ages: 5+. Sessions
60 minutes.

The Big Dig

with The School of Irish Archaeology

Join us for The Big Dig, a replica 'Viking House' and excavation site where children can explore the Viking world through a simulated archaeology dig. As they dig through the site, children will unearth Viking treasures and artefacts dating back 1,000 years.

Runs every
30 mins from
10.30am-4.00pm
Lexlcon Garden
Max 12 per session.
Ages: 6+

Medieval Draw-String Pouch Workshop

with The School of Irish Archaeology

Children learn the gory process of leather working from the removal of the hide and the preparation of the leather in the tanners' yard. Children will bring home their own pouch using imitation leather.

Runs every
30 mins from
10.30am-4.00pm
Lexlcon Garden
Max 12 per session.
Ages: 6+

Viking Coin Striking Workshop

with The School of Irish Archaeology

Hear about the history of coins and the minting process and see a demo of the first coin ever to be minted in Ireland by the Vikings, as well as the Hiberno Norse Silver Penny.

10.30am-4.30pm.
Drop in, drop out
sessions.
Lexlcon Lab, Level 3
Ages: 2-12
Lego: Ages 2-12 and
Robotics: Ages 7-11.

Lego free play and Robotics workshops

with Learn IT

Children and families of all ages will get stuck in with over 50,000 LEGO bricks and pieces available.

Check out the family-friendly Robotics workshops also throughout the day, where young and old can learn the basics of robot making.

10.30am-11.15am
and 11.30-12.15
Lexlcon Garden, or
Children's Library,
Level 4 (if raining)
Ages: 10 months-
3 years

Parent and Toddler Yoga

with Magda Dzieciuchowicz

Bend and bond with your toddler and enjoy songs, games, nursery rhymes and stories with Magda of Yo Yo Yoga.

11.00am-3.00pm
Various locations

The Tallest Stiltwalker

Spot our fabulous stiltwalker from afar. Catch up with them if you can but watch out – they move fast!

11.00am-1.00pm
and 2-4.00pm
Lexlcon Garden and
Children's Library,
Level 4

Cheekychops facepainting

Cheeky chops will be on hand to create wonderful creative designs for anyone who would like their face painted at family day!

12.00-12.45pm
and 3.00-3.45pm
Lexlcon Garden
Ages: 3-8. All
welcome. Sessions
45 minutes.

Your Man's Puppet Variety Show

A unique blend of puppetry and storytelling, combining a variety of puppets with a great mix of visual comedy and slapstick plus a brilliant story and sing-along!

12.00 noon -
4.00pm
Various Locations

Marcel So What

Say hello to Marcel So What, Mime Artist, as he wanders about. Don't listen to a word he says!

12.00pm, 2.00pm
and 3.30pm
Children's Library,
Level 4
Ages: 5+

Steve Lally Storytelling

We're delighted to welcome renowned storyteller Steve Lally, to dlr Lexlcon for the first time. Enjoy Steve's repertoire of tales from ancient Celtic epics and comic tales of adventure and romance.

12.30pm-1.15pm
2.45pm-3.30pm
4.00pm Toby
Walker will attempt
to break a juggling
world record!
Studio Theatre,
dlr Lexlcon
Ages: 8+ with parents

The Incredible Children's Circus Cabaret

with Street Theatre Ireland

Back due to popular demand and with a brand new show, The Circus Cabaret will feature the amazing balancing feats of Hilario Spillaci and the superhuman juggling skills of Cirque Du Soleil star Toby Walker.

1.30pm-2.00pm
2.00pm-2.30pm
Studio Theatre,
dlr Lexlcon
Ages: 8+.
All welcome

Let's Create! Prize-giving

with dlr Writer in Residence Sarah Webb

Sarah will award prizes to young writers from the Lexlcon Writing Club from 1.30-2.00pm. This will be followed by an Open Reading from 2.00-2.30pm.

2.00pm-3.15pm
and 3.30-4.15pm
Lexlcon Garden, or
Children's Library,
Level 4 (if raining)
Ages: 3-8.

Storytelling Yoga

with Nicola Foxe of Yo Yo Yoga

Is sitting in a chair always the best way to read a story? Of course not! What better way to experience a story than acting it out with yoga poses? Nicola brings stories to life through energizing yoga poses before curling up to relax.