

School Holiday Activities

1. Hire a bike + discover our beautiful region via cycle
2. Be amazed by the southern skies + stargaze at the [Mudgee Observatory](#) – (02) 6373 3431
3. Travel back in time at one of our specialty museums, the [Colonial Inn Museum](#), [Pioneers Museum](#), [Kandos Museum](#)
4. Taste some honey + play a round of Putt Putt Golf at [Mudgee Honey Haven](#)
5. Grab your swimmers or tennis racquets and take advantage of the local sporting facilities + classes
6. Feed the resident ducks at Lawson Park + take a walk along the Sculpture Walk on the river
7. Pack a picnic full of local produce and head out to [‘The Drip’](#) – explore the riverbed with its mystical overhanging sandstone cliffs. Check out Hands on Rock whilst there.
8. [Roar + Snore](#) – take a day trip or have a sleepover at Taronga Western Plains Zoo in Dubbo
9. Enjoy horse riding at the beautiful [Turon Gates](#) on your way back to Sydney – (02) 9969 3818
10. Learn about the history of the Gulgong Gold Rush and the art of gold panning at [Gulgong Gold Experience](#): Open 1pm - 3pm daily - 0418 372 815
11. Gold pan + gem fossick at Windeyer – hire a gold panner or gold detector with [Bushlands Tourist Park](#) - (02) 6373 8252
12. Take a drive through Hill End + immerse yourself in Gold Rush History at [History Hill](#) – (02) 6337 8222
13. Enjoy a Guided Kayak Tour at Dunns Swamp (Ganguddy) with [Southern Cross Kayaking](#) or just enjoy an unguided walk through the wilderness – 0439 936 480 or [Book Online](#)
14. Have a picnic + BBQ at a beautiful local park
15. Follow the farm trail at [Lowe Wines](#). See the chooks, pat the donkey and horse + enjoy a picnic.
16. Get comfortable and enjoy story time or get your hands dirty at arts/crafts at the [Mudgee Library](#) - This School Holidays the theme is Creepy Crawlies – (02) 6378 2740
17. Take part in an art course at [The Mud Factory](#) – 0401 175 148
18. Play a game of Laser Tag, Indoor Soccer or Archery at Mudgee PCYC – (02) 6372 1367
19. Grab your skateboard + take a stroll down to the Mudgee Skate Park
20. Ride your bike or take a stroll around the [Putta Bucca Wetlands](#)
21. Enjoy pub grub + kids play equipment at [The Oriental Hotel](#), [The Lawson Park Hotel](#), or the ‘Kids Room’ at [Club Mudgee](#)
22. Check out the playgrounds in a local park
 - Bellevue Park – White Circle
 - Blackman Park – Park Avenue
 - Dewhurst Reserve – 16 Oporto Rd
 - Matilda Park – 3 Eleanor Dark Court
 - Lawson Park – Cnr Church + Short Streets
 - Norm King Park - Doug Gudgeon Drive
 - Robertson Park – 105 Market Street
 - Lawson Park – Cnr Church + Short Streets

For more information on events + activities in the Mudgee Region please call 02 6372 1020 or visitmudgeeregion.com.au

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Mudgee Library Activities

ACTIVITIES FOR 3-5 YR OLDS

A Parent/Carer must stay for all activities for this age group

Tuesday 15 January
10am—11am
Bug Activity Stations
Choose from four different activity stations all centred around different creepy crawlies and bugs



Friday 18 January
10am—11am
The Very Hungry Caterpillar Activities
Choose from a range of activities about the Very Hungry Caterpillar



Tuesday 22 January
10am—11am
Digging for Worms
Go digging for slippery worms and other fun wormy activity stations



Thursday 24 January
10am—11am
Bugs, Bugs Everywhere!
Choose from a variety of different bug crafts at our bug activity stations



Friday 25 January
10am—11am
Headbands and Spider Webs
Make yourself into a bug by making a bug headband, and make a spider web



ACTIVITIES FOR 6-8 YR OLDS

Wednesday 16 January
10am—11am
Curious Litter Bug Creatures
Use your imagination to create your very own curious creature from different materials



Tuesday 22 January
11:30am—12:30pm
Build a Bug Hotel
Build a simple bug hotel to place in your garden at home to encourage beneficial insects to your garden



Wednesday 23 January
10am—11am
Bumblebees and Butterflies
Make some different bumblebee and butterfly crafts from a variety of different materials



Thursday 24 January
2pm—3pm
Butterfly Magnets and Ladybird Sun Catchers
Make ladybirds to catch the sun and butterflies to stick on your fridge



ACTIVITIES FOR 9-12 YR OLDS


Tuesday 15 January
11:30am—12:30pm
Sew a Minibeast
Use material and felt to sew your own snuggly minibeast



Wednesday 16 January
2pm—3pm
Painted Ladybug Rocks and Fingerprint Flowerpots
Use paint to make a ladybug rock and decorate a flowerpot



Friday 18 January
2pm—3pm
Curious Creatures Corner Book Marks
Create a curious creature book mark to hold your place in your favourite stories



Wednesday 23 January
2pm—3pm
Library Bags and Pencil Cases
Decorate your own library bag and pencil case ready for 2019



Friday 25 January
2pm—3pm
Curious Creatures Beaded Key Rings and Bag Tags
Use pony beads to create key rings and bag tags



JOIN US FOR CREEPY CRAWLY SCHOOL HOLIDAY FUN AT THE MUDGEE LIBRARY
To book, follow the link:
mwrclibrary.eventbrite.com



Gulgong Library Activities

ACTIVITIES FOR 3-5 YR OLDS

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Friday 18 January
10am—11am
Love a Minibeast Hunt!
Go exploring in the garden to see what minibeasts you can find and then create your own Love Bug



Friday 25 January
10am—11am
Be a Bug!
Make your own bug headband to become a bug



ACTIVITIES FOR 6-8 YR OLDS

Friday 18 January
11:30am—12:30pm
Insect Hand Puppets
Create your own insect hand puppets to make your own minibeast puppet show



ACTIVITIES FOR 9-12 YR OLDS

Friday 25 January
11:30am—12:30pm
Noodle Minibeasts
Use pool noodles to create your own minibeast



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Gulgong Library Activities

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Monday 21 January

10am—11am

Butterfly Peg Magnets

Use pegs to make a beautiful butterfly magnet



Friday 25 January

10am—11am

Water Diffusing Insect Shapes

Use water to decorate different insect shapes



ACTIVITIES FOR 6-8 YR OLDS

Friday 25 January

11:30am—12:30pm

Minibeast Scratch Board Art

Use scratch boards to make different minibeasts



ACTIVITIES FOR 9-12 YR OLDS

Monday 21 January

11:30am—12:30pm

Woven Insect Magnets

Use weaving techniques to make an insect magnet



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KANDOS LIBRARY
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Summer Reading Program; 3 December — 30 January 2019

SUMMER READING PROGRAM 2018—2019

CURIOUS CREATURES

Preschool & Infants Prizes
Gruffalo Book & Toy Pack ** A Bugs Life Book & DVD set ** Build a Beetle Game ** The Lorax Book & DVD set ** Barrel of Monkeys Game

Primary Prizes
Paul Jennings Book Pack set ** Bug Out Capture and Study Kit ** Goosebumps Book and DVD set ** Backyard Explorer Science Kit ** Lego Mythical Creatures

High School Prizes
Robo-Alive Spider ** Miss Peregrine's Book & DVD set ** Aqua Dragons Aquarium ** Fantastic Beasts Book & DVD set ** Five Nights at Freddy's Book Pack

Parent's Prize
\$50 Mudgee Money Gift Card

Major Prizes
Three Family Passes to Taronga Western Plains Zoo Dubbo