PLDL will be closed on January 2nd for the holiday.

Preschool Story Time
Wednesdays @ 10:30am

Japanese Club for Teens
Thursdays @ 6pm

Health Benefits of Honey Bees
Tues, Jan 3 @ 5:30pm

Lego Club
Thurs, Jan 11 @ 1pm

Cricut Craft: Mug Press
Thurs, Jan 12 @ 6pm

MI-HOPE Application Session
Wed, Jan 11 @ 5pm

Crafty Does It: Pour Paint Canvas
Thurs, Jan 19 @ 6pm

BASIC: Building Adult Skills in Computing
Sat, Jan 21 @ 10am

LinkedIn Learning
With more than 16,000 courses in 7 languages, LinkedIn Learning courses can help you develop new skills.

Chromebooks Available for Checkout
Our new chromebooks now checkout for up to 14 days. Great for homework and other web-based projects.

Library Redesign coming May 2023!
For 16 yr, the library has been a dynamic crossroads for our community. It's now time for an interior redesign to meet our community's future needs.
Try it at Home Series: How Do Penguins Stay Dry?

What you'll need:

- White Card Stock
- Crayons (black, white, and orange)
- Spray Bottle
- Water
- Blue Food Coloring (optional)

Directions:

- Draw a penguin or print off a penguin coloring page and color it in.
- For the experiment to work, color it in completely and using a thick coating. Try to color it at least twice to make sure all spot are covered, especially with the white crayon.
- Fill the spray bottle with water. Dye the water blue if you're using food coloring.
- Now, spray the water onto the colored penguin. Use only two or three squirts of water so that the paper doesn’t become over saturated.
- Now observe the water repelling off the penguin.
- Discuss how the wax from the crayon prevents the water from absorbing into the paper.

Penguin Facts:

- Penguins have a lot of feathers that are densely packed together that cover their entire body.
- These feathers have an oil-producing gland that makes their feathers waxy.
- The wax on the feathers repel the cold water and help keep them dry.
**Book Recommendations**

**Penguins Don't Wear Sweaters**
- Marikka Tamura & Daniel Rieley
- Pre-K - 3rd Grade

**The Emperor's Egg**
- Martin Jenkins & Steve Chapman
- Pre-K - 1st Grade

**The Curse of the Werepenguin**
- Allan Woodrow
- 3rd - 7th Grade

**The Thing With Feathers**
- Noah Strycker
- Adult
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