



## Summer Reading Preregistration!



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[Preregister Here!](#)

## Upcoming Summer Reading Program

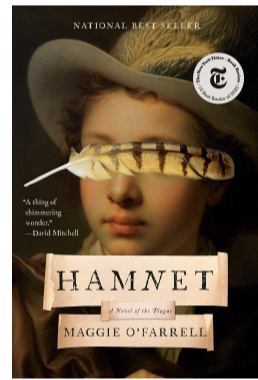


June 1- August 13, 2022

Kids of ALL ages, make sure to come in and register for the Summer Reading Program at your library! Read books, come to fun library programs, & win prizes!

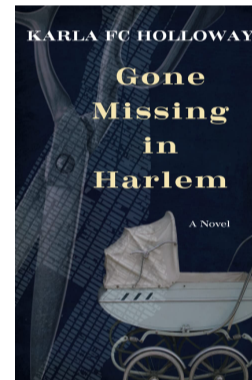
- Ages 0-5: Read 30 books
- Ages 6-12: Read 6 books
- Ages 13-18: Read 4 books

## Book Clubs



**Dinwiddie Library**  
 May 19 at 7 pm  
 Hamnet by Maggie O'Farrell

**Hopewell Group**  
 May 24 at 6:30 pm via Zoom  
 Gone Missing in Harlem by Karla Holloway  
 email [etrop@arls.org](mailto:etrop@arls.org) to register



**Guncotton Coffee**  
 May 14th from 9 am to 12 pm

Look for us at Guncotton's Coffee & Books, used book sale & swap!




## Tea with Downton



**Hopewell Library**  
 Saturday, June 4 at 2 pm

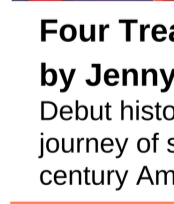
Join us for afternoon tea and a viewing of the first Downton Abbey film. Scones and other delicacies will be served. Fascinators and other hats are encouraged, but not required.



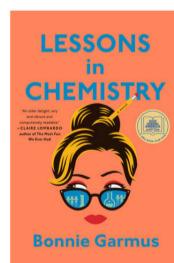
**Fresh on the Shelves**  
 New and Suggested Reads May 2022



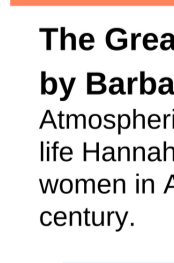
**Under Lock & Skeleton Key**  
 by Gigi Pandian  
 An engaging cozy mystery featuring a stage magician filled with hope and heart. The first in a series.



**Four Treasures of the Sky**  
 by Jenny Tinghui Zhang  
 Debut historical fiction about one girl's journey of self-acceptance in late 19th century America.



**Lessons in Chemistry**  
 by Bonnie Garmus  
 A witty debut novel set in the 1950s featuring Elizabeth Zott who becomes the unlikely host of a cooking TV show with a scientific twist.



**The Great Mrs. Elias**  
 by Barbara Chase-Riboud  
 Atmospheric historical fiction about the real-life Hannah Elias, one of the richest black women in America at the turn of the 20th century.

