

Pick up a Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt at any Louisville Free Public Library Branch
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Ready for K Alliance

If your child turns 5 on or before Aug. 1, 2017, it's time for



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Feb. 11, 2017	11:00 - 3:00	Ali Center & Global Game Changers 144 N. 6th St.	Come join the Muhammad Ali Center & Global Game Changers for a word scavenger hunt and book reading! Free to rising Kindergarten and one adult chaperone.
Feb. 16, 2016	8:30 - 9:30 am	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.
Feb. 16, 2017	6:30 - 7:30	Louisville Free Public Library @ Iroquois Library 601 W. Woodlawn Ave., 574-1720	A free family storytime focusing on kindergarten readiness skills
Feb. 18, 2017	11:00 - 11:45 and 1:30 - 2:15	Speed Art Museum 2035 S. 3rd St., 634-2987	Join Speed Art Museum educators for a free literary adventure around the museum! This tour will link favorite children's books with works in the museum's collection to encourage language development and spark lively conversations.
March 16, 2017	8:30 - 9:30 am	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.

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March 25, 2017	10:00 - 3:00	Louisville Water Tower Park 3005 River Road	Learn more about the importance of water to everyone. Family education, time in the WaterWorks Museum and a guided walking tour are included. Free to rising Kindergarten and one adult chaperone.
April 1, 2017	10:00 - 5:00	Speed Art Museum 2035 S. 3rd St., 634-2987	Explore the Speed Art Museum with a self-guided scavenger hunt! Get to know the museum's collection as you search for different shapes
April 1, 2017	3:30 - 6:00	Louisville Free Public Library 301 York Street	Super-Silly Saturday event that will feature costume book characters Elephant and Piggie and a musical performance by Jim Gill. Each child that attends will receive a free book!
April 8, 2017	11:00 - 3:00	Frazier History Museum 829 W. Main St., 753-5663	Join us for a day of hands-on fun and learning at our music-themed Second Saturday Family Day. Crafts, activities, live shows and more! Families will also enjoy access to the new <i>Stewart Toy Soldier gallery</i> , including thousands of historic miniatures & multiple play tables.
April 20, 2017	6:30 -7:30	Louisville Free Public Library @ Iroquois Library 601 W. Woodlawn Ave., 574-1720	A free family storytime focusing on kindergarten readiness skills
April 27, 2017	5:00 - 7:00 am	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 & under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, & share.
May 18, 2017	5:00 - 7:00 am	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.
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June 15, 2017	5:00 - 7:00	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.
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June 24, 2017	9:00 – 12:00	Kentucky Derby Museum 704 Central Avenue, 637-1111	Activities focus on the importance of responsibilities in home pet care . We use Thoroughbreds as an example in an interactive program.
July 7, 2017	10:00 – 5:00	Louisville Zoo 1100 Trevilian Way, 459-2181	Free admission for 1 adult and child, when the child wears a Kindergarten Countdown t-shirt. Special games & activities around the zoo focusing on Kindergarten readiness.
July 20, 2017	5:00 - 7:00	Kentucky Science Center 727 W. Main St., 561-6100	Free Playdate for children 4 and under with an adult caregiver. Preschoolers are free to investigate, build, experience, and share.
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MORE WAYS TO GET READY FOR KINDERGARTEN

LFPL 1000 Books before Kindergarten - www.lfpl.org/1000Books/

JCPS Ready4K activities - www.jefferson.kyschools.us/learning/ready4k



About the Ready for K Alliance

Our Goal: 77% of children ready for kindergarten by 2020.

The Ready for K Alliance is focused on organizing, aligning, improving and standardizing resources and practices that will dramatically improve kindergarten-readiness for Louisville-area children age 0-5. Using only evidence-based best practices and a collective impact approach, we help parents, families and neighborhoods understand that we really do have the ability to affect the success of our children. Because when our children succeed, we all do.