

GO WILD AT A PARK

- Go down five different slides at five different Burnaby parks
- Jump off a swing (carefully!)
- Swim at a Burnaby outdoor pool
- Visit the **Burnaby Lake Nature House** and find a butterfly
- Find the **Kwekwecnewtxw: Coast Salish Watch House** in Forest Grove Park

DISCOVER BURNABY PAST AND PRESENT

- Visit **Burnaby Village Museum** and look for:
 - The Indigenous Learning House
 - The Chinese Market Garden
 - The Interurban 1223 tram car
 - Wagner's Blacksmith Shop
 - Way Sang Yuen Wat Kee & Co. Herbalist shop and more.

Admission is free! Book your reservation online.

- Look for **Eco-sculptures**. It's a bird, it's a sheep... it's a Burnaby ECO-SCULPTURE! Each summer these unique nature sculptures are displayed throughout Burnaby. See how many you can find!

BE CURIOUS

Try these activities with items you can borrow from the library:

- Go birding with a **birding backpack** (binoculars and local bird guides included!)
- Create a coding project using a **Sphero SPRK+**
- Create a banana piano using the **Makey Makey** kit.
- Create a coding project that shows your initials with a **Micro:bit** kit
- Go online while you're outside with a **Wi-fi Hotspot**.




Ask about the Curiosity Collection at the library.

NEW AT THE LIBRARY

Wonderbooks are coming this summer! They are picture books and beginner readers that come with a pre-loaded audio recording of the story.

Kanopy Kids has a wide range of streaming videos for kids. Available to Burnaby families with your BPL card.

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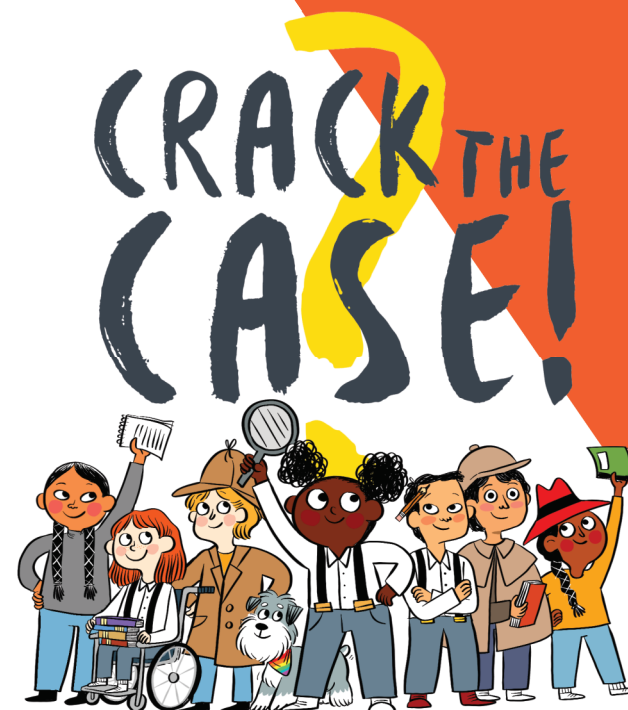
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BURNABY PUBLIC LIBRARY

Summer Challenge

Explore your community!



BC Summer Reading Club 2021

LOOK FOR BIRDS (but don't feed them!)

Can you spot a:

- Robin
- Crow
- Wood duck
- Red-winged blackbird
- Great blue heron
- Bald eagle
- SPECIAL CHALLENGE: Spot Trevor, the mandarin duck, at Burnaby Lake

EXPLORE NATURE

Can you find:

- A maple leaf
- Five rocks that are different colours
- A feather
- A tree with flowers growing on it
- A deer fern

LOOK FOR CREEPY CRAWLIES

Can you find:

- A spider's web
- An anthill
- A roly poly (pill bug)
- A baby on all fours



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BE STILL

- Find and listen to the sound of water running outside
- Look for a cloud that looks like an animal
- Make footprints in the sand
- Find and smell a nice wildflower



SHOCK YOUR FAMILY

- Don't fight with your sibling or other family member today
- Offer to do the dishes
- Help someone in your home tidy their room
- Don't play Roblox, Minecraft, or your favourite video game **for an entire day!**

BE KIND TO OTHERS

- Let someone else go ahead of you in a line-up
- Find something in your room that you no longer need and donate it to a charity
- Write a letter to a friend or family member you haven't seen for a while
- Thank a bus driver
- Sing a song to a baby

GET DIRTY

- Plant a flower, plant, vegetable or herb
- Create a painted rock display and leave it in the park for others to find
- Roll down a grassy hill (safely)
- Make something out of sand, dirt, twigs or rocks

USE YOUR WORDS

- Write a short story or play
- Draw your own comic
- Invent a new language with a friend or sibling
- Learn to say "thank you" in three languages
- Learn to fingerspell your name in American Sign Language

PLAY I SPY

- Spot a pink car
- Look for a horse sculpture
- Find a merry-go-round
- See how many signs you can find in languages other than English

