



Winter 2026 Newsletter

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And upcoming family literacy
events in 100 Mile House

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Free Family Skate: February 1

We will celebrate physical literacy with a free skate at the South Cariboo Recreation Centre in 100 Mile House on February 1, 3-4:30 pm. Families can read a story while skating on the ice or walking around the rink. There are activities set for families, including winter story colouring, letter blocks, and a puppet theatre. Every child can choose a free book to take home.



Family Literacy Week, Jan 25-Feb 1

Family Literacy Week celebrates how parents, children, and families use literacy naturally every day at home and in the community.

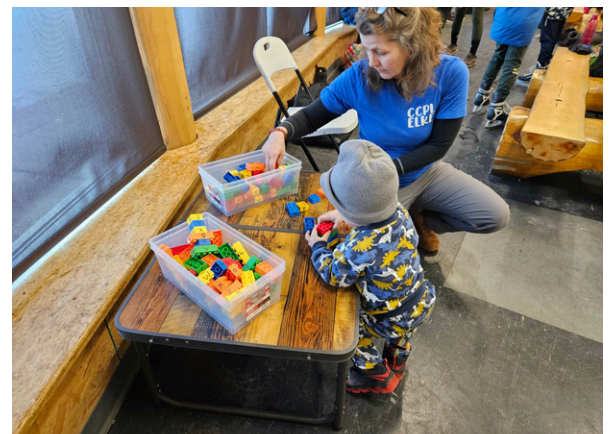
StoryWalk: new every Friday

Our StoryWalk is an outdoor, page-by-page experience where laminated pages from a children's book are posted along a walking path by Parkside Art Gallery (401 Cedar Avenue). It is an opportunity for families to read a story together, combining literacy, physical activity, and nature.



Block Builders: Thursdays, Feb-April

Block Builders is a free family literacy program that uses building blocks in learning activities that can be duplicated at home. The event is for families with children entering Kindergarten in September 2026. Children at Block Builders practice transitions, sitting at story time, sharing their ideas, building Lego projects with a group, and following instructions. The program includes a free snack and a free book. Register with Elke: 250-706-2481.



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Lory joined CCPL 100 Mile House in 2011. She is the Adult Literacy Coordinator for the PAL Program (Partner Assisted Learning), and the Indigenous Literacy programs (Reaching Learners), funded through the BC Ministry of Post-Secondary Education and Future Skills.

Lory was drawn to work for CCPL because of CCPL's connection to and belief in Lifelong Learning for All.

As a lifelong learner herself, Lory knows first-hand the importance of staying informed and keeping her own skills relevant during constantly changing times. Lory has continuously participated in formal online learning throughout her adult life. Lory enjoys both helping others work towards their learning goals and celebrating their successes.

When not at work, Lory enjoys fishing and gardening; as well as making repairs around the home or building new projects in her "she shed."

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If you have questions, Lory can be reached at 250-395-0655 or lory@caibooliteracy.com

CONVERSATION CIRCLE

English class participants share their thoughts

CCPL 100 Mile House hosts an English Conversation Circle for newcomers to Canada who want to practice English. Here is what participants have to say:

"I enjoy baking together, doing crafts, and playing games."

"I like the games that need some knowledge."

"I liked having the Christmas celebration!"

"I like that Pamela put a lot of effort into preparing the lessons."

"I enjoy the class every time I come."

CCPL's Conversation Circle is open to many newcomers to Canada who want to practice English.



If you are interested in joining the Conversation Circle, contact Pamela at 250-320-1845 or pamela@caribooliteracy.com

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