



### Back to School

School is fully underway this September, and your local library is here for you no matter what your needs may be. Do you need [help with your homework](#)? You can access [free online tutoring](#) with Brainfuse, [research Durham history](#) in our North Carolina Collection, or [check out school reading books](#) from our catalog! If you homeschool, be sure to get our [events for homeschoolers](#) on your calendar. All Durham Public School students have access to the library's physical and digital resources with through [Bull City SLAM](#).

After all that hard work, make sure you stop by one of our [six open locations](#) throughout Durham County and attend a [program](#), use your library card to [stream a movie](#), or [get creative with Maker + STEAM](#) services. Durham County Libraries have something for everyone!



### Bookmobile Public Schedule

The bookmobile is getting out on the road this fall! As our mobile branch, the bookmobile has titles for children, teens, and adults in both English and Spanish. You can also sign up for a library card and pick up holds you requested for the bookmobile. Please see below for [the bookmobile's public schedule](#) through the end of this calendar year. You can also [request a bookmobile visit](#) for your event and learn more about the services available on [the bookmobile website](#).

**Tuesdays: September 10, 24; October 8, 22; November 19; December 3, 17**

*Boyard RTP: 12:30 - 1:30 p.m.  
900 Park Offices Drive, Research Triangle Park 27709*

*Central Park Pavilion: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.  
501 Foster Street, Durham 27701*

*The Can Opener Food Truck Park: 6 - 7 p.m.  
205 South Gregson Street, Durham 27701*

**Thursdays: September 12, 26; October 10, 24; November 7, 21; December 5; 19**

*Community Family Life & Recreation Center at Lyon Park: 2:30 - 3:30 p.m.  
1309 Halley Street, Durham 27707*

*Durham Co-op Market: 4 - 5 p.m.  
1111 West Chapel Hill Street, Durham 27701*



### Fiesta de la Cultura 2024

September 15 - October 15

Celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month at Durham County Library with our vibrant event series, "Fiesta de la Cultura!" Join us for a festive celebration of Hispanic culture through a variety of activities, including live music, dance performances, delicious food from local vendors, and interactive games like Lotería. The events will take place throughout September and October at various library locations. All events are free and open to the public. Come experience the rich cultural heritage and traditions of the Hispanic community with family and friends. Don't miss out on this exciting celebration!

Mark your calendar on Saturday, October 12, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for the grand finale of Fiesta de la Cultura at Main Library! Enjoy live mariachi music, delicious food, games, and opportunities to connect with our community partners for a day of celebration and fun. Plus, don't miss a panel discussion at 3 p.m., [Trayectorias Latinas: Sharing Our Story](#).

This event is made possible by a grant from the [Durham Library Foundation](#).

For a full listing of Fiesta de la Cultura events throughout the Durham County Library system, please [view our events calendar](#).



### Books by Mail

Did you know you can get your Durham County Library books through the mail? If you are physically unable to come to one of [our library locations](#) due to a medical condition, then we are happy to send books and other library materials to your home address. Eligibility requirements can be found on our [homebound services page](#). Fill out the [Books by Mail request form](#) or call our outreach team at 919-560-0152.



### Brainfuse HelpNow

Durham County Library is proud to offer a [wide array of resources](#) that help young learners with their homework. One of these services, [Brainfuse](#), offers live tutoring, writing feedback and assistance, practice tests, and other learning aids. Like all of our resources, Brainfuse is free with your library card.



### Upcoming Friends of the Durham Library Events

The Friends of the Durham Library is a 501(c)(3) organization that supports Durham County Library through staff scholarships, programming grants, and more. The Friends sell gently used books, CDs, DVDs, and games donated by the community. For upcoming events, membership information, donation instructions, and more, please [visit the Friends' website](#). You can shop for books any time at the [Friends' online storefront](#).

#### History Among Friends Presents Miguel Chirinos

Books Among Friends  
3825 South Roxboro Street, Durham, NC 27713  
Friday, September 6, 7 - 9 p.m.

The [Museum of Durham History](#) and the [Friends of the Durham Library](#) proudly present a free author talk featuring Miguel Chirinos discussing his book [Simon Bolivar in the United States of America](#). This event is the fifth in a collaborative series between The Friends of the Durham Library and the Museum of Durham History as part of the Museum's tenth anniversary programming. Events in this series are presented with support from Acme Plumbing. Please register on [the event's Eventbrite page](#).

#### In-Person Sale at Books Among Friends

Books Among Friends  
3825 South Roxboro Street, Durham, NC 27713  
Members Only: Friday, September 13, 3 - 7 p.m.  
General Public: Saturday, September 14, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

The [Friends of the Durham Library](#) will hold an in-person book sale at their brick-and-mortar location, Books Among Friends, on Friday, September 13 and Saturday, September 14. The Friday sale is for members only, and all items will be 25% off. Memberships are available to purchase both on the [Friends of the Durham Library website](#) and at the door. The Saturday sale will be open to the general public. Choose from thousands of fine used books and an assortment of pre-owned puzzles and games.



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