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Story City Hours:	
Monday	10 am—8 pm
Tuesday	10 am—8 pm
Wednesday	10 am—5 pm
Thursday	10 am—8 pm
Friday	10 am—5 pm
Saturday	10 am—5 pm
Sunday	1 pm—5pm
Gilbert Hours:	
Tuesdays	3—7:30 pm
Wednesdays	10 am—2 pm
Thursday	3—7:30 pm
Saturday	10—12 pm



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#### We put the "story" in Story City! D

re you working on a research project, but having It trouble with coming up with a specific topic or keywords you can use to look for research sources? If so, Credo Reference is a database that can help you get a better idea of a certain subject and what sources are out there on similar subjects. It will also give a good idea of what keywords to use when starting to search for more sources.

Credo Reference provides Topic Pages, which offer background information on a particular topic that can give you an easy starting point and pathways for further research; Access to hundreds of in-depth subject encyclopedias and handbooks covering every major subject from Accounting to Art History and Shakespeare to Einstein; and Mind Maps that visually show relationships between topics and keywords.

Unlike Wikipedia, the information found on Credo Reference are credible and citable so it is a good place to

go to if you want more information on a topic or you need ideas to narrow down your topic.

https://www.storycity.lib.ia.us/ do-research/galelinkspage



please silence your cell phone while in the library. We ask that patrons conduct conversations in the courtyard, foyer or side rooms. If you need to be on a computer and your cell phone, please use the small computer room. Thank You!

Our Summer Reading Program for 2019 kicks off on June 1! The reading portion of program is open from June 1 to August 20. All ages are invited to read and collect prizes throughout the summer. Special programs start with Tween Team and Bertha B's Teens on June 12. Watch for details!

## Fast Facts from Bertha B

Monthly Statistics from March 2019 Items Checked Out ......4,404 Downloadable Audio ......279 Reference Questions ......134 New Library Cards ......4

THE BERTHA BARTLETT PUBLIC LIBRARY IS <u>CLOSED ON MAY 27</u> IN **OBSERVANCE OF MEMORIAL DAY.** 

Find us on Facebook and Instagram or view upcoming events on our website: www.storycity.lib.ia.us



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# KOOL Makers Club

Happenings

Weekly After-School Fun for K-4th Grades Tuesdays, 3:45-4:30

KOOL Maker's Club is an after-school program for kids in kindergarten through 4th grades. We'll explore STEM and makerspace activities and learn more about the library.

## HOMESCHOOL HOUR @ THE LIBRARY:

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A program specifically for our community's homeschool families. Join us!

May 17 1-2 pm *"HOW TO USE THE LIBRARY"* 







Early-Out Fun for K-4th Grades May 15, 2 pm



Iowa AmeriCorps 4-H Outreach

## Garden Pollinators

Learn all about the bees and butterflies you will see in the garden this summer!

### TWEEN TEAM

Grades 5 to 7 are invited to join Ms. Shelly for an afternoon of fun and treats!

<u>May 15, 2-3 pm:</u>

## ROCKEE INFO SUMMER!



BERTHA BARTLETT PUBLIC

Help Ms. Shelly build a rocket and make a banner for the library's Scandinavian Days parade float.

Storytime meets weekly in both Story City and Gilbert. Preschool Storytime in Story City on Fridays, 10:30 am Preschool Storytime in Gilbert on Thursdays, 10:30 am



## Bartlett Book Club

Tuesday, May 28, 2-3 pm Kinne Wing *This Blessed Earth* By Ted Genoways



## Timberland Book Club

1st Thursday, 2 pm Timberland Village Conference Room

### **KNIT PICKERS**

Fridays, 10 am, BBPL Kinne Wing An open stitch/chat session!

