

METROPOLITAN LIBRARY SYSTEM

This Week's Craft:



READ

Fingerprint Dandelion

- <u>Let's Look at Dandelions by Katie Peters</u> From tiny seeds to yellow flowers to fluffy seed heads, follow every stage of the dandelion life cycle. Pairs with the fiction title Dandelions to Eat.
- <u>Crafting with Flowers by Katie Meadow</u> Everyone could add a bit of brightness to their daily life. This book will teach you how to make a wide range of floral crafts, and help you truly connect to nature and the magical woodlands.
- <u>Mouse Paint by Ellen Stoll</u> One day three white mice discover three jars of paint--red, blue, and yellow. Both parents and children alike will appreciate this lighthearted presentation of a lesson in color.

WATCH

<u>This Beautiful Fantastic (2016, PG)</u> Bella Brown (Jessica Brown Findlay) is a beautifully quirky young woman who dreams of writing and illustrating a successful children's book. When she is forced by her landlord to deal with her neglected garden or face eviction, she meets her nemesis, match and mentor in Alfie Stephenson (Oscarnominated actor, Tom Wilkinson), a grumpy, loveless, rich old man who lives next door and happens to be an amazing horticulturalist.

KEEP LEARNING

<u>1-2-3 Play with Me at Home!</u> Looking for fun and engaging ways to play with your little one at home? Our skilled Children's Librarians have developed a special take home kit just for you! Our 123! Play with Me at Home! take home kits include 4 fun and engaging activities that focus on dramatic play, art exploration, gross motor skill development and music exploration. A free book and handouts are also included. These take home kits are intended for children ages 0 - 4 and a caregiver. Kits are available at participating libraries in March, April and May.