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LitBit 6.1: Public Library Youth Program

ORIGAMI JEDI LESSONS: JUNE 12, 2014 FROM 5-7 PM

Star Wars has become a huge hit with kids again. The new Origami Yoda series and Disney's purchase of the Lucas film have drawn in a whole new crowd. My hope is to foster this newfound interest/obsession. Designed for children from ages 8-14, this summer program will allow kids to create origami, drawings, and other crafts on the theme of Star Wars. The nonfiction collection consists of Star Wars craft books and also includes the Origami Yoda series.

PREPARATION TIMELINE

DATE	ACTION
March	Meet with program committee Discuss ideas and jobs Create supply list Create budget Create volunteer list Get budget approved
April	Reserve library area Contact schools about program Create promotional materials
May 1-10	Set up displays Send out/post promotional materials
May 11-17	Confirm volunteers Do promo talks in library and at schools
May 18-31	Post event on social media Buy supplies
June 1-10	Practice with supplies Rehearse timing

EVENT TIMELINE

Date	TIME	ACTION
June 12	12-5	Set up tables and decorations Set out supplies and directions at each table Prepare and display samples
	5:00-5:10	Play Star Wars music Welcome kids and parents Seat them at appropriate origami station Try to distribute them evenly among the tables
	5:10-5:20	Stop music Explain rotating stations They will complete 3 different origami creations Last part will show other craft options and book resources
	5:20-5:45	First origami station One volunteer at each station to demonstrate

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	Librarians float where needed and control time Play music and stop for rotation
5:45-6:10	Second origami station Same as above
6:10-6:35	Third origami station Same as above
6:35-6:45	Show other craft options Show book displays
6:45-7:00	Snacks Pass out program survey
7:00-9:00	Collect surveys Clean up supplies Put away tables Give out thank you gifts to volunteers
June 13	Take down promotional materials
June 14-21	Meet with committee Go over survey data Prepare report
June 23	Present to Public Library Board

SUPPLIES

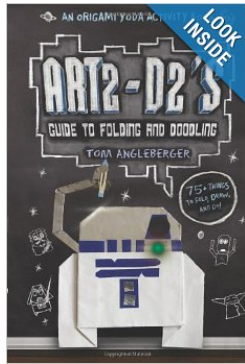
ITEM	STORE	PRICE
Origami paper	Wal-Mart	\$35.60
Cookies	Susie's Bakery	\$35.00
Punch	Wal-Mart	\$15.35
Plates/Cups/Napkins	Wal-Mart	\$18.44
Thank You Gifts	Wal-Mart	\$20.00
Decorations	Party Supplies	\$38.74
Scissors	Library Supply	----
Pencils	Library Supply	----
TOTAL		\$163.13

PRESS RELEASE (EMAIL, WEBSITE, and NEWSPAPER)

Learn origami, you will. Have you always wanted to learn origami? Do you love Star Wars? Do you consider yourself a Jedi Master? Well, learn to be an Origami Jedi Master at our official training. Come to the Public Library on June 12, 2014 from 5-7 to learn more about what it takes to be an Origami Jedi Master and other secrets of the Star Wars world. The program is intended for children 8-14, but all Jedi Masters are welcome. Parents, be prepared to help younger Jedi Masters with the more difficult folds. Costumes and accessories are welcome! Contact the Youth Program Committee at publiclibrary@library.org or call 555-1234 with any questions or concerns. May the folding force be with you!

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PROGRAM RESOURCES

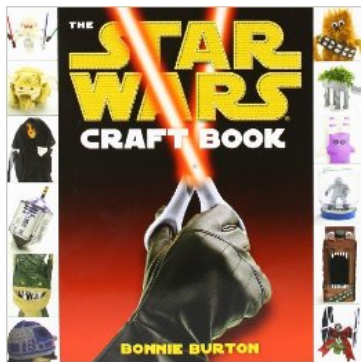


Art2-D2's Guide to Folding and Doodling: An Origami Yoda Activity Book
written by Tom Angleberger
Harry N. Abrams, 2013

from Amazon.com:

Stick figures to the dark side only lead! To doodle like a Jedi you must learn! With this companion to the blockbuster bestselling Origami Yoda series, beloved author Tom Angleberger—with the help of the kids from McQuarrie Middle School—presents young Padawans with dozens of activities from the Star Wars universe. Padawans can learn how to fold R2-D2 and C-3PO, draw Jabba, and even build a fully functioning ChapStick rocket! Other Force-mastering activities include: “Kellen’s Guide to Cool Letters,” “Mike’s Complete Rules and Tips for Pencil Pod-Racing,” “Rhondella’s Tips for Photographing Origami,” and much more!

With Tom Angleberger’s goofy sense of humor and accessible art style, *Art2-D2's Guide to Folding and Doodling* is sure to satisfy and inspire the millions of Origami Yoda and *Star Wars* fans. May the doodles be with you!

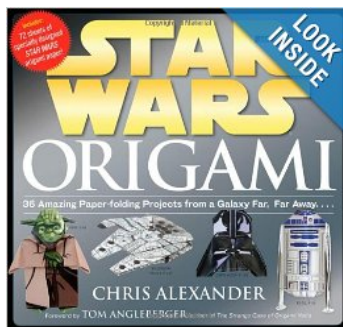


The Star Wars Craft Book
written by Bonnie Burton
LucasBooks, 2011

from Amazon.com:

GIVE IN TO THE POWER OF THE CRAFTY SIDE

Chewbacca Sock Puppets. Ewok Flower Vases. AT-AT Herb Gardens. With *The Star Wars Craft Book*, fans of all ages and skill levels can bring the best of the galaxy far, far away right into their own homes. Fully illustrated, this guide features a variety of fun and original projects. With easy step-by-step instructions, *The Star Wars Craft Book* is a joyful and entertaining way for you and your friends to bring many beloved elements of *Star Wars* to life! (No midi-chlorians required!)



Star Wars Origami: 36 Amazing Paper-Folding Projects from a Galaxy Far, Far Away

written by Chris Alexander
Workman Publishing Company, 2012

from Amazon.com:

Kids love origami—and what could be cooler than transforming a piece of paper into Boba Fett, Princess Leia, Yoda, or R2-D2? And not just any paper, but custom-designed paper illustrated with art from the movies. *Star Wars® Origami* marries the fun of paper folding with the obsession of *Star Wars*. Like *The Joy of Origami* and *Origami on the Go*, this book puts an original spin on an

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ancient art. And like *Star Wars*® *Scanimation*® and *Star Wars*® *Fandex*®, it's a fresh take on *Star Wars* mania.

Chris Alexander is a master folder and founder of the popular website StarWarsOrigami.com, and here are 36 models, clearly explained, that range in difficulty from Youngling (easy) to Padawan (medium), Jedi Knight (difficult), and Jedi Master (tricky!). A front section introduces origami definitions and basic folds. Bound in the back is the book's unique folding paper, two sheets for each figure. Illustrated with original art, it makes each creation—the essential lightsabers, the Death Star, and much more—true to the movies.

Star Wars Origami includes a foreword by Tom Angleberger, author of the *New York Times* bestsellers *The Strange Case of Origami Yoda* and *Darth Paper Strikes Back*, and is scheduled to be published at the same time as Angleberger's upcoming book, *The Secret of the Fortune Wookiee*.



The Origami Yoda Files: Boxed Set
written by Tom Angleberger
Amulet Books, 2013

From Amazon.com:

All four books in the bestselling Origami Yoda series are now available together for the first time in a collectible boxed set. Included are *The Strange Case of Origami Yoda*, *Darth Paper Strikes Back*, *The Secret of the Fortune Wookiee*, and *The Surprise Attack of Jabba the Puppet*.