

FALL 2025

PLAY ALONG AT THE Children's Museum of South Dakota

Play Dates

**Fridays & Saturdays // 9-10 am // Ages 0-36 months
Family Style // Free // Registration Required**

Play Dates is a free program designed for children ages 0-36 months and their grown-ups to connect, discover, play, and explore through hands-on experiences.

Story Time

**Tuesdays & Fridays 10:30-11 am // All Ages // Family Style
Free with Paid Admission**

With every story, an adventure awaits! Dive into new worlds and exciting experiences with every turn of the page.

Spark Studio

**Tuesdays 10:30-11:30 am & Sundays 1-2 pm // All Ages
Family Style // Free with Paid Admission // Come-and-Go**

Spark Studio is designed to ignite creativity and imagination through hands-on exploration. Join us in the Art Studio for a facilitated, creative experience.

Messy Studio

**Wednesdays 10:30-11:30 am & 3-4 pm // All Ages
Family Style // Free with Paid Admission // Come-and-Go**

Messy Studio is a sensory-rich space where children and their grown-ups can squish, splash, and explore through interactive, joyful play.

Make-n-Take

**Tuesdays 5-6:30 pm & Saturdays 10-11:30 am // All Ages
Family Style // Come-and-Go // Museum Admission Required
Small Fee**

Get creative with a welcoming space for families to explore hands-on projects together. Drop in, enjoy the experience, and leave with something uniquely yours.

Playful Preschoolers

**Fridays 8:30-11:30 am // Ages 3-5 // Drop Off Optional
Registration Required // Snack Provided
\$32 (\$25.60 members)**

Playful Preschoolers offers children a chance to discover, imagine, and play their way through hands-on, child-led experiences. Each class invites curiosity, encourages creativity, and supports growing friendships—all within the inspiring environment of the Museum.



LET'S PLAY!

Verify activities and
register on our calendar at
prairieplay.org/calendar

**Events subject to change

Downtown Brookings
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After School Maker Studio

Visit prairieplay.org/calendar for class days and times
Tuesday-Friday 3-5:30 pm // Ages 5-12 // Drop Off
Registration Required // Snack Provided
\$8.50 each session (\$6.80 members)

The Maker Studio is a dynamic space where creativity takes the lead. From robotics and hot glue to painting and dramatic play, this ever-evolving environment invites young makers to explore and express themselves. Along the way, they'll build friendships, share ideas, and bring big ideas to life.

School Break Camps

Ages 6-12 // 9 am-5 pm // Drop Off // Registration Required
Bring a Sack Lunch // \$72 (\$57.60 members)

Friday, Oct. 10 – Bugs & Birds

Monday, Oct. 13 – Mad Science Lab

Wednesday, Nov. 26 – Hot Glue Creations

Friday, Dec. 19 – Holiday Creations *Ages 5-12 // 1-5 pm // \$40 (\$32 members)*

Monday, Dec. 22 – Slime & Sculpt

Tuesday, Dec. 23 – Theater Camp

Tuesday, Dec. 30 – Culinary Creations

Wednesday, Dec. 31 – New Years Creations

Friday, Jan. 2 – Glow Lab

Kids Night In + Parents Night Out

Ages 5-12 // Drop Off // Registration Required
Bring a Sack Supper // \$38 (\$30.40 members)

It's a win-win! Grown-ups get a well-deserved night out while kids enjoy a playful evening of hands-on fun at the Museum. Think robotics, circuits, hot glue, sculpture, painting, and more. With games to play, stories to read, and space to explore their own interests, kids can settle in and make the night their own. This program is a perfect blend of freedom, creativity, and connection - all after hours.

Friday, Sept. 5 // 5:30-8:30 pm

Friday, Nov. 7 // 5:30-8:30 pm

Friday, Oct. 24 // 5:30-8:30 pm

Sensory Friendly Play

Play in all of the exhibits during this event designed for families who will benefit from expanded accessibility and sensory accommodations.

Friday, Sept. 12 // 5-8 pm

Friday, Nov. 14 // 5-8 pm

Friday, Oct. 10 // 5-8 pm

Friday, Dec. 12 // 5-8 pm

Trick-or-Treat on KidStreet

Sensory Friendly Santa

Special Monday Opening

School may be out, but we are OPEN for a special Monday of PLAY!

Monday, Oct. 13 // 10 am-5 pm

Monday, Dec. 22 // 10 am-5 pm

Café Coteau \$5 Community Meal

Tuesdays 4-6:30 pm

Find menu information on Facebook or
prairieplay.org/calendar

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prairieplay.org
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