



**Stanislaus County Library**

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## **Thanksgiving-themed crafts offered at the Newman Library**

*Children encouraged to gobble up the holiday fun with an afternoon of crafts*

The Newman Library will help children get into the Thanksgiving spirit with crafts on Tuesday, Nov. 6 from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Crafters will make thankful wreaths and turkey-shaped snack bags.

Library staff will guide participants through the process of making wreaths with personal descriptions of what participants are thankful for this year using a variety of leaf cutouts. Crafters will also have an opportunity to create stuffed “turkeys” out of plastic filled with goldfish crackers and popcorn.

“The thankful wreath craft encourages children to think about what they are thankful for, and promotes the importance of articulating emotions,” said Sophia Petrakis, Newman Library supervisor. “And, since children get to make their own tasty turkey-shaped treats, the craft program becomes like a mini Thanksgiving celebration at the library!”

The Newman Library is located at 1305 Kern St. For more information about Newman Library programs, please contact Sophia Petrakis at 209-862-2010. Information on regularly occurring library programs can be found at [www.stanislauslibrary.org](http://www.stanislauslibrary.org), under the “Events and Classes” tab.

### **About the Stanislaus County Library**

The Stanislaus County Library engages all members of the community and offers access to information, knowledge, and the tools for innovation and personal development. With 13 locations throughout the county, the Library offers free access to a diverse collection of materials, computers and Wi-Fi, Story Times, programming for all ages, and more. To learn more about the Library’s wide array of programs and services, visit [www.stanislauslibrary.org](http://www.stanislauslibrary.org).

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