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Tech Week

May 11–18, 2024

Build skills · Explore technology · Connect with expert help

Semana de la Tecnología
mayo 11–18, 2024

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Conectate con ayuda experta

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Take your next step with technology during Tech Week. Explore, connect and level up your skills. All programs are free.

Tech Week is produced by a coalition of Bay Area organizations.
Learn more about the help they provide at sfpl.org/techweek.

Attendees at some events will have a chance to win a refurbished Chromebook courtesy of **Tech Exchange!**

SATURDAY, MAY 11

Introduction to 3D Printing Using Tinkercad

12:30–1 P.M.

Create a Tinkercad account and spend some time going through Tinkercad's introductory tutorials.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

3D Print a Totoro Figurine using Tinkercad

1–2:30 P.M.

Create a Totoro figurine using 3D printing technology.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

MONDAY, MAY 13

Digital Passport Bingo

Community Living Campaign

10–11:30 A.M.

Find information, make connections and have fun with our Passport to the Digital World.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Detecting AI-Generated Content

Community Tech Network

1–2:30 P.M.

Explore the realm of AI-generated content, including video, sound, images and text, along with key indicators to identify them in this rapidly evolving field.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

在金門公園「隨街隨拍」(中英文) / Photowalk in Golden Gate Park in Cantonese & Mandarin

Community Living Campaign

2–4 P.M.

學習如何使用你的手機攝影以及發送美圖。活動地點：三藩市植物園正門口。屆時活動將以粵語和國語進行。獲取更多資訊，請聯絡Wanda Liu。簡訊發送至415-371-8119

[San Francisco Botanical Gardens, 1199 9th Ave.](#)

介紹ChatGPT和Copilot (粵語) / Intro to ChatGPT and Copilot in Cantonese

社區科技網絡 (Community Tech Network)

2:30 – 3:30 P.M.

學習ChatGPT和Copilot，這兩個不同的AI(人工智能)應用程式以及他們可以如何被使用，包括探索如何識別AI生成的文本。以粵語授課。報名參加Zoom線上課程。

如果你是新手入門使用Zoom，課前可預先觀看此視頻以及網站：bit.ly/sfplzoominfo 獲取更多有關如何使用Zoom平台的資訊。

Zoom Basics

4–5:30 P.M.

Enhance your Zoom proficiency in this interactive session. Presented by Sylvia Bargellini, a senior user experience researcher in the technology sector.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

TUESDAY, MAY 14

Escanea y conserva tus fotografías / Scan and Preserve Your Photographs in Spanish & English

Community Living Campaign

9 A.M. – 12 P.M.

Utiliza un escáner digital para convertir algunas de tus apreciadas fotos, cartas, recetas o objetos, en imágenes digitales. Espacio limitado. Reserva obligatoria: (415) 821-1003 ext 140.

Use a digital scanner to turn a few of your cherished photos, letters, recipes or even 3-dimensional objects into digital images. Space limited. Reservations required: (415) 821-1003 ext 140.

[Community Living Campaign Office, 1663 Mission St. #525](#)

Tech Tools to Make Your Life More Accessible

Community Living Campaign

11 A.M. – 12 P.M.

Jennifer Walsh shares how to use smartphones and gadgets in unique ways to accomplish daily tasks and help make life easier & more accessible.

[Register to join on Zoom: on.sfpl.org/TW24techtools](#)

Information about Lifeline Service and Low-Cost Internet Providers

Tech Exchange

11 A.M. – 12 P.M.

California Lifeline service can help you get phone and internet service at a rate you can afford.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

SF Connected計劃提供專為長者而設的電腦技能班，粵語授課 / Computer Skills for Seniors by SF Connected in Cantonese

安老自助處 (Self Help for the Elderly)

1–2:30 P.M.

長者及殘障成人可以學習電腦和互聯網技能。探索如何使用寬頻科技例如：社交媒體以及視頻通訊。本次Zoom線上輔導班將以粵語授課。

如果你是新手入門使用Zoom，課前可預先觀看此視頻以及網站：on.sfpl.org/TW24SFConnected 獲取更多有關如何使用Zoom平台的資訊。

Curso básico de correo electrónico / Email Basics in Spanish

Tech Exchange

2–4 P.M.

Aprenda como se consigue una cuenta de correo electrónico y como navegar su cuenta, lo que incluye: como escribir y mandar mensajes, como ver cuando hay nuevos mensajes y como responder. En español. Espacio limitado. Regístrate: (415) 355-2868.

[Biblioteca Excelsior, 4400 Mission St.](#)

Ayuda De Computación / Computer Help in Spanish

5–6:30 P.M.

Aprendizaje de conceptos básicos de computación. Reúnase todos los martes para aprender sobre tecnología.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

訪谷區圖書分館電郵基礎教學以及中文技術交流活動 / Email Basics at Visitacion Valley Branch Library in Cantonese

Tech Exchange

5:30–7:30 P.M.

學習如何設置以及如何訪問個人電郵帳戶，包括：如何撰寫及發送電郵訊息、管理接收電郵訊息的收件箱以及回覆電郵。以中文授課。名額有限。報名請致電：(415) 355-2848 聯絡訪谷區圖書分館。

[Visitacion Valley Branch, 201 Leland Ave.](#)

The Unintended Consequences of Technology with Author Chris Ategeka and Scott Mauvais

6–7:30 P.M.

Writer and TED speaker Chris Ategeka and former Microsoft executive Scott Mauvais discuss how rapid change in technology is affecting society, its positive and negative impacts and what we can do to harness the benefits of AI and mitigate the unintended consequences.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

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Self Help for the Elderly

10 A.M. – 11:30 A.M.

長者及殘障成人可以學習電腦和互聯網技能。探索如何使用寬頻科技例如：社交媒體以及視頻通訊。提供粵語輔助。名額有限。

[Lady Shaw Senior Center, 1483 Mason St.](#)

Free Tech Training in the Bay Area

TechSF

10:30 A.M. – 12 P.M.

This virtual informational session introduces a collaboration of non-profits and government agencies committed to free tech training, resources and workforce development. Training providers are available to help you determine which program would be right for you.

[Register to join on Zoom: \[on.sfpl.org/TW24TechSF\]\(https://on.sfpl.org/TW24TechSF\)](#)

什麼是「谷歌翻譯」(Google Translate) 以及如何使用 (粵語授課的面授班) / What Is Google Translate and How to Use Google Translate in Cantonese

Felton Institute

11 A.M. – 12 P.M.

學習如何使用「谷歌翻譯」(Google Translate，這是一項於2006年4月由谷歌(Google)推出的網頁翻譯服務。

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

如何創建一個Gmail帳戶(粵語) / How to Create a Gmail Account in Cantonese

Felton Institute

12-1 P.M.

探索設置Gmail帳戶(由Google推出的免費電子郵件服務)的流程

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Digital Learn—Stay Safe Online

AT&T

1-2 P.M.

Enhance online safety with account/password management and learn about account passwords with an overview of frauds/scams.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Online Safety Tips—Password Managers and VPNs

Curry Senior Center

1-2 P.M.

Learn how to use password managers and VPNs to enhance your digital security.

[Register to join on Zoom: \[on.sfpl.org/\]\(https://on.sfpl.org/\)](#)

[TW24CurryOnlineSafety](#)

Connecting to Low-Cost Internet Offers

EveryoneOn

2-3 P.M.

Learn how to understand and access low-cost internet offers in your area. EveryoneON will provide an overview of resources for low-cost internet.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Digital Lab Music Production

SF JAZZ

3:30-6:30 P.M.

Gain insight into the cutting-edge world of recording equipment, microphones, and home studio setup. Includes a hands-on introduction to audio and MIDI editing, as well as the fundamentals of mixing and utilizing audio effects.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

THURSDAY, MAY 16

Is Your Smartphone or Tablet Ready to Help in an Emergency?

Community Living Campaign

10-11 A.M.

Learn how your smartphone or tablet can help you in the case of an emergency.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Prepara tu dispositivo móvil para una emergencia / Is Your Smartphone or Tablet Ready to Help in an Emergency? in Spanish

Community Living Campaign

11 A.M. – 12 P.M.

Descubre cómo tus dispositivos móviles como un teléfono móvil o tableta son útiles en caso de una emergencia.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Learn to Use Canva

Community Living Campaign

11 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Learn how to use Canva, an online application that help you design flyers, presentations, teaching materials and more.

[Register to join on Zoom: \[on.sfpl.org/TW24canva\]\(https://on.sfpl.org/TW24canva\)](#)

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安老自助處 (Self Help for the Elderly)

1–2:30 P.M.

專為長者及成人而設的學習電腦以及互聯網技能的課程，包括寬頻科技，例如：社交媒體以及視頻通訊。該科技課程將由SF Connected的導師以國語授課。無需登記。接受親自到訪，直到課室容納超逾最高限額30人為止。

[Lady Shaw Senior Center, 1483 Mason Street](#)

Learn Languages with Rosetta Stone

1:30–2:30 P.M.

Find out more about learning languages for free using Rosetta Stone, including Asian and Pacific Island languages. Space is limited. Reservations required: (415) 355-2888

[Chinatown/Him Mark Lai Branch, 1135 Powell St.](#)

Internet Safety

Community Living Campaign

2–2:45 P.M.

Learn tips for staying safe online, including how to use private browsing, identify phishing scams, safely download software, keep your connection safe with antivirus software and more. Reservations required: (415) 557-4388.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Seguridad por Internet / Internet Safety in Spanish

Community Living Campaign

3–4 P.M.

Aprende consejos para mantener la seguridad por internet, incluso como navegar en privado, identificar estafas de identificación, descargar programas, mantener conexiones seguras con programas antivirus y más. Para registrarte, llama (415) 557-4388.

[Main Library, Learning Studio, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Teen Refurbathon

Tech Exchange

3:30–6:30 P.M.

Discover and skill-build at this Teen Refurbathon! Teens jump into the exciting world of laptop refurbishment, guided through the entire process from diagnosing issues to dismantling and reassembling laptops to restore them to working condition. For ages 12–18. Reservations required: (415) 557-4388.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

FRIDAY, MAY 17

Caminata de Fotos en La Misión / Photowalk in the Mission in Spanish & English

Community Living Campaign

10 A.M. – 12 P.M.

Conozca los fotógrafos, Harvey Castro y Sarah Lewington, y aprenda a utilizar tu teléfono móvil para tomar fotos y compartirlas. Los participantes se reunirán en Ruth's Table, en el vecindario Misión. Presentado en español y en inglés.

Meet photographers Harvey Castro and Sarah Lewington and learn how to use your phone to take pictures and share them with others. Participants will meet at Ruth's Table in the Mission.

[Ruth's Table, 3160 21st St.](#)

Computer Skills for Seniors by SF Connected

Self Help for the Elderly

1–4 P.M.

Gain computer and Internet proficiency tailored for seniors and adults, covering topics such as social media and video communication. Mandarin, Cantonese, English, Vietnamese and Russian-language support by appointment. Reservations required: (415) 781-9919.

[Lady Shaw Senior Center, 1483 Mason St.](#)

Tablet/Smartphone Class for Older Adults 60+

Self Help for the Elderly

1–2:30 P.M.

A training program for those seeking to enhance their ability to use their smartphones and tablets. Bring your device. Reservations required: (415) 355-2808.

[Sunset Branch Library, 1305 18th Ave.](#)

Protect Yourself from AI Scams and be Cautious with Crypto

California Department of Financial Protection and Innovation (DFPI)

3–4:30 P.M.

Learn how to detect red flags and protect yourself from scammers using the newest technologies to target consumers and enhance their schemes.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

SATURDAY, MAY 18

為日落區長者提供免預約的技術支援 /

Tech Support Popup for Seniors in Chinese and English

SF Tech Council

10:30 A.M. – 12 P.M.

Are you an older adult with questions about your smartphone, tablet or laptop? Volunteers work with you to solve your tech issues.

您是否年長者？您是否對智能手機、平板電腦或手提電腦有疑問？如果這聽起來像您，我們可以為您解答。

4 [Sunset Branch Library, 1305 18th Ave.](#)

Learn to Program a Robot Arm

Scaleup Robotics AB

10:30–11:30 A.M.

& 11:30 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Operate and program a robot arm hosted remotely. Both sessions are the same. Due to limited capacity, participants will share computers. Reservations required, (415) 557-4388.

[Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Virtual Reality Happy Hour

11 A.M. – 12:30 P.M.

Learn about Virtual Reality—take a turn and safely try on a VR headset to experience a new world. For ages 13 and older.

[Main Library, 5th floor, Learning Studio, 100 Larkin St.](#)

AI and AI Robotics

SuperTech FT

1–2 P.M.

Get a multimedia introduction to artificial intelligence (AI), including AI's applications in robotics.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

AI Robots—A Hands-On Introduction

SuperTech FT

2:30–4 P.M.

Have fun learning about modern autonomous robots using mBots, an educational tool for ages 8 and older. Participants will be divided into small groups.

[Main Library, Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level, 100 Larkin St.](#)

Internet Safety and Security

Tenderloin Technology Lab at St. Anthony's

2–2:45 P.M.

Dive into a range of tools and discover how to be safe online during this engaging interactive session. Reservations required: e-mail ttlfrontdesk@stanthonysf.org, call (415) 592-2766 or visit.

[Tenderloin Tech Lab at St. Anthony's, 150 Golden Gate Ave.](#)

Navigating AI—An Intro to AI Tools

Tenderloin Technology Lab at St. Anthony's

3–3:45 P.M.

An introduction and workshop to AI tools and their practical use. Reservations required: e-mail ttlfrontdesk@stanthonysf.org, call (415) 592-2766 or visit.

[Tenderloin Tech Lab at St. Anthony's, 150 Golden Gate Ave.](#)

FREE TECH SUPPORT DURING TECH WEEK

Dev/Mission

Monday-Friday, by appointment

Dev/Mission's Community Technology Program provides low-income residents in San Francisco with free tech support. Appointment required, (415) 874-9815 or email cta@devmission.org

Tenderloin Technology Lab at St. Anthony's

Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m., closed Tuesday afternoons at 1 p.m.

Tenderloin Technology Lab provides access to 1:1 tutoring by appointment, basic and intermediate computer classes and access to a Wi-Fi lounge from 12–4 p.m. For required orientation and information, (415) 592-2766

Tech Support Opportunities at a Library Near You:

Tech Drop-In:

Bayview (5075 Third St.) Every Tuesday, 1–3 p.m.

Eureka Valley (1 José Sarroa Ct.) Wednesday, May 8 & Tuesday, May 28, 3–4 p.m.

Mission Bay (960 Fourth St.) Every Monday, 2–3 p.m. (eBook help)

Noe Valley (451 Jersey St.) Monday, May 13, 2–3 p.m.

Ortega (3223 Ortega St.) Friday, May 17, 1:30–3 p.m.

Richmond (351 9th Ave.) Friday, May 3, 1:30–3 p.m.

Sunset (1305 18th Ave.) Every Sunday, 1–4 p.m.

West Portal (190 Lenox Way) Saturday, May 4, 12–4 p.m.

Main Library, Computer Training Center, 5th Floor (100 Larkin St.) Every Tuesday, 1–2:30 p.m.

Book a Librarian:

Chinatown (1135 Powell St.) Every Tuesday, 10:30 a.m.–12 p.m.

Excelsior (4400 Mission St.) Every Wednesday & Thursday, 4–5 p.m.

Golden Gate Valley (1801 Green St.) Thursday, May 16, 1–2 p.m.

Ingliside (1298 Ocean Ave.) Every Wednesday, 3–4 p.m.

Parkside (1200 Taraval St.) Thursday, May 2, 16 & 30, 3–4 p.m.

For questions about the programs or help registering, contact bridgeevent@sfpl.org. All SFPL locations are wheelchair accessible. For accommodations (such as ASL interpretation or captioning), call (415) 557-4400 or contact accessibility@sfpl.org. Requesting at least 3 business days in advance will help ensure availability.

Participating Library Locations (Wheelchair accessible)

MAIN LIBRARY

100 Larkin St.

- Computer Training Center, 5th Floor
- Latino/Hispanic Room, Lower Level
- Learning Studio, 5th Floor

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1135 Powell St.

EXCELSIOR BRANCH LIBRARY

4400 Mission St.

SUNSET BRANCH LIBRARY

1305 18th Ave.

VISITACION BRANCH LIBRARY

201 Leland Ave.

Partner Locations

COMMUNITY LIVING CAMPAIGN OFFICE

1663 Mission St., 5th Floor

DEV/MISSION STEAM HUB

6271 3rd St.

GENEVA COMMUNITY CENTER

5050 Mission St., Suite C

GOODWILL CAREER CENTER

750 Post St.

LADY SHAW SENIOR CENTER

1483 Mason St.

RUTH'S TABLE

3160 21st St.

TENDERLOIN TECH LAB AT ST. ANTHONY FOUNDATION

150 Golden Gate Ave.

SAN FRANCISCO BOTANICAL GARDEN

1199 9th Ave.

THE WOMEN'S BUILDING

3543 18th St. #8

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