

Auburn Public Library



Welcome to the Butterfly Program!





Q: How do I enter the program?

Your password will be emailed to you approximately one hour before the start of the program. Simply log back into this page and click into the link at the top of the page at the program start time. The page will redirect you to a page that will ask for a password – just enter it and you are in!

Q: What if my computer freezes or I have other technical problems?





These days technology is simultaneously our best friend and one of our biggest frustrations!

We took that into consideration:

-  The program is pre-recorded so that we can offer it more than once and present the program at opportune time frames for family viewing.
-  The program lasts for 30 minutes but will be available for 90 minutes in case you encounter buffering or other technical issues. If you do encounter buffering, please just be patient. It will adjust. The entire world is online these days and bandwidth may be restricted or streaming may be interrupted.
-  You will be able to return to the beginning, watch it more than once, or pause during any part of the program, for an hour and a half from the start of the program.
-  We are limiting the number of log-ins per session, as we do not want to risk crashing the site. As this is a new venture for us, we will be assessing all elements, including site capacity. If we are comfortable with additional log-ins in the future, we will accommodate more patrons. *Please do not share the password!*

Information about the butterfly kits and program packets

The butterflies will be inside a see-through container, still in the chrysalis stage, when you receive them. We hope you will respect the spirit of the program and log in, even though you already have your kit. It is important that your child learn about the butterflies and how to care for them. We hope you can create a shared family experience with everyone at your location participating in the program!

-  Please be certain your child can patiently wait the two weeks (or more, or less – the butterflies are in charge!) until they emerge.
-  While waiting, everyone can observe the chrysalis and how it changes; feed it sugar water, keep a journal (supplied in the program packet), perhaps take photos to document the changes.
-  Do not disturb the chrysalis! Please keep all kits in a safe place: away from extreme temperatures; away from pets; away from younger children; do not shake or otherwise interrupt the safety of their environment.
-  Program packets will be picked up at the same time as the kits. That information is included on the registration form. We encourage your child to engage with the materials in the packet prior to the program! Remember, one kit per household, but *each child* can have a packet.

****If you are on a wait list for a butterfly kit or cannot attend the program, you may still pick up a packet! Call the Library M-F between 8-4 @ 508.832.7790. We will be happy to put a program packet aside for you.**

We miss all of our patrons! Until we can hold face-to-face programs again, however, we are working hard to transition to a hybrid library, providing resources, services, and programs to you in a virtual environment.

Be sure to register for [Constant Contact](#) for notification of new programs and information.

Enjoy the program!