



**THINK IT**  
**MAKE IT**  
**SHARE IT**

### **Why make stuff?**

Encourage creativity and problem solving, expose people to new tools and materials, make personal connections.

### **What kind of stuff can you make?**

Stomp rockets, Thai string dolls, bleach t-shirts, bubble wands, flashlights, quilling tool..

### **Who can make stuff?**

Our programs are generally open to ages 5-99.

### **Where do you make stuff?**

Our guided programs are usually held in the meeting room, but occasionally we create outside. Some non-guided activities are scattered throughout the library.

### **When do you make stuff?**

We make things every Wednesday afternoon and occasionally on weekends. Additional programs for teens are held during the summer.

### **How do you get supplies to make stuff?**

Programming budget, Friends of the Library, Junior Woman's Club, grants, & donations.

### **Still not sure? Find inspiration and tips here:**

<http://www.pinterest.com/lleonard/maker-space/>

<http://www.pinterest.com/lleonard/>

<http://www.pinterest.com/hillsdalelib/potential-makerspace-activities/>

<http://makeitatyourlibrary.org/>      <http://www.instructables.com/>

<http://makezine.com/>      <http://makerfaire.com/>

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