



Welcome to the Mid-Mississippi Regional Library System



Thank you for joining our library system! Your library card gives you access to millions of books, movies, audiobooks, eBooks, and e-resources, as well as public access computers, Wi-Fi, and more. Below you will find some important information about how to use your new library card. Full policies are available to view on our website at: www.mmrls.lib.ms.us/policies

Borrowing Information

- For the first month as a patron, you may borrow up to 4 items at a time on your card. After that, you'll be able to borrow up to 15 items at a time
- Holds may be placed on up to 10 items at a time. Items placed on hold will be held for seven days
- Items can be checked out and returned at any one of our thirteen library branches
- DVDs and audiobooks cannot be returned in a book drop
- Renewals are permitted on most items, unless another patron has a hold on that item
- User groups are created that include minor children and those signing responsibility for them
- The fee to replace a lost library card is \$2.00
- For extended borrowing information for our most popular items, see below:

Material	Loan Period	Maximum Item Type Checkout	Renewals	Overdue Fines
Books	14 days	15	3 (1 on New Books)	.25¢ per day
DVD/VHS	3 days	2 (adult patrons only)	1 (0 on new DVDs)	\$2.00 per day
Audiobooks	14 days	4	3 (1 on New Audiobooks)	.25¢ per day

Library Website www.mmrls.lib.ms.us

- Visit our website for branch location and contact information, and hours of operation
- Check out our Events page for upcoming library programs for patrons of all ages. Highlights include National Library Week (April), the Summer Library Program (June – August) and Library Card Sign-up Month (September)
- Visit our online catalog where you can search and browse for library materials at all 13 of our library branches, and throughout the Mississippi Library Partnership. For more information on the partnership, visit: <http://lib.msstate.edu/mlp/>
- Using your library card and PIN numbers on our online catalog, you can also:
 - View the items you have checked out
 - View and place holds
 - View account information
 - Renew items

Technological Services

Computers

- All 13 MMRLS branch locations have public access computers with Internet access and word processing software
- To log in, just use your library card and PIN number, and agree to the MMRLS “Computer and Internet Safety Policy.”
- Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult while using the computer

Printing Services

- Black and White Print/Copy: .20¢ per page
- Color Print/Copy: \$1.00 per page
- Incoming/Outgoing Fax: \$1.00 per page

E-Books and More

- Use your library card and PIN number to access thousands of bestselling eBook and eAudiobook titles with **Axis 360**
 - Visit our website and click the Axis 360 logo, or visit <http://mmrls.axis360.baker-taylor.com/>
 - Click “login” and use your library card and PIN number
 - You may check out up to two items at a time for up to 10 days
- Instantly borrow digital movies, music, eBooks and more using **Hoopla**
 - Visit our website and click the Hoopla logo, or visit <https://www.hoopladigital.com/>
 - Click on “get started today” to create an account using your library card and PIN number
 - You may check out 5 items per month, check out periods are as follows:
 - eBooks, eAudio, and eComics: 21 days
 - Music: 7 days
 - Movies and TV: 3 days
- Access our selection of free online databases by visiting our website at www.mmrls.lib.ms.us
 - Magnolia Databases
 - MAGNOLIA is a statewide consortium funded by the Mississippi Legislature which provides access to 50 online research databases, journals, & thousands of articles
 - Learn-A-Test
 - An online eLearning solution that provides support to students & professionals for academic skill-building, standardized test prep, career certification test prep & more
 - Ancestry.com Library Edition (must be at an MMRLS Branch Location)
 - Access billions of records in census data, vital records, directories, photos, and more
 - Infobase Databases
 - Health Reference Center
 - Writer’s Reference Center
 - World Geography and Culture
 - African-American History
 - Issues and Controversies
 - Science Online
 - World Almanac for Kids
 - American History Online