OXFORD LIBRARY
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Everyone Is Welcome at

Oxford Library

48 S 2nd Street
Oxford, PA 19363

610-932-9625 / www.oxfordpubliclibrary.org

Open Hours*

Mon: 1-5 PM
Tues: 1-8 PM
Wed: 1-5 PM
Thurs: 1-8 PM
Fri: 10 AM - 2 PM
Sat: 9 AM - 1 PM

*Check out our website for our current hours. Hours are subject to change due to Covid-19 safety procedures.

FAQ

Who can get a library card?

Anyone can get a library card, even babies! If you're under 18, then your parents/guardians can sign you up for a card. All they'll need is some sort of identification with a current address on it (like a license, mail, passport, ID, etc.)

Can we sign up for a library card as a family?

Library cards can only be made for individuals. Anyone can use your library card as long as they have the actual card with them when they check out library materials. However, you're still responsible for all the materials checked out to you. So don't let just anyone use your card! Sometimes it's best for your parent/guardian to make a library card in their name and everyone in the family uses that instead.

Do I need to pay to get a library card?

Libraries cards are free!

What can I borrow from the library?

We have books, audio books, e-books, music CDs, magazines, video games, and even movies! (Movies cost a dollar to rent though!) We also have tons of services you can use and Children/Teen programs you can participate in, even if you don't have a library card! Check our website for more information on services and programs.

What if I have a library card from another library?

If you have a library card from another Chester County Library, that's great! All Chester County library cards are good to use at any library in Chester County. We even share books and materials! So that means if we don't have the book you want at Oxford, we can place a "hold" on it and have it sent here from another library that does have it.

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What if I had a library card but I lost it?

That's okay! Just have your parent/guardian bring in some sort of identification and we'll check if your library card account is still active.

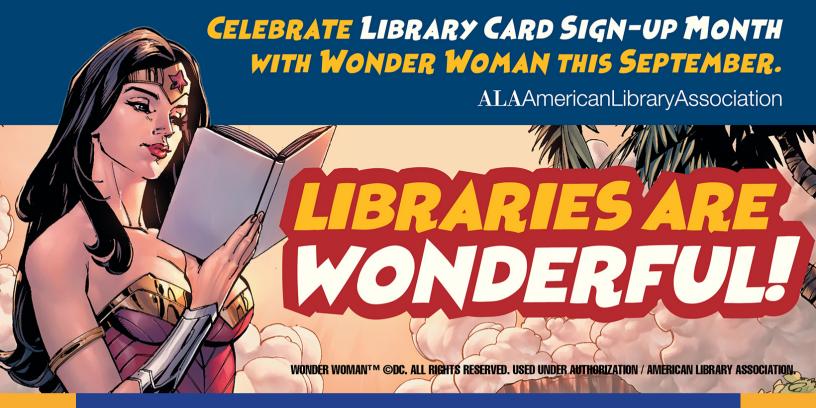**What if I don't want to come inside the library?**

No problem! You can apply for a library card online on our website. You can pick up your materials with our Curbside Pick-up Service, where we bring out your materials to you outside of the building during hours we're not open to the public. You can learn more about how to do that by calling the library or visiting our website.

What does it mean when I have a fine?

Fines happen when items are returned after the due date. At Oxford Library, when children/teen materials are brought back late, you'll be fined $0.15 a day until it's returned. Young Adult/Adult items are fined $0.25 a day until returned. But you can avoid fines by renewing your materials before the due date by asking us in person, giving us a call, or even doing it yourself online!

How many materials can I borrow from the library at once?

You borrow up to 100 items from the library at one time! However, you're responsible for making sure that every item you borrow is returned to the library by the due date and in the same condition that you borrowed it in. So it's always best to only borrow the right amount for you and your family.

Still have a question? Give us a call at 610-932-9625!

LIBRARIES ARE WONDERFUL!

LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP MONTH

Download an audiobook	Get a library card	Stream a movie	Read a magazine	Learn a new language
Give your library a social media shoutout	Participate in a DIY activity	Follow your library on social media	Check out a banned book	Put up a lawn sign supporting your library
Read the Libraries Transform Book Pick	Get 2 people to sign up for a library card	BONUS	Join a book club	Send your librarian a thank you note
Post a selfie with your library card	Take an online class	Ask a reference question via email/phone	Borrow a graphic novel	Share your library love on social media
Join your library's Friends group	Play a video game	Visit your library's website	Access a database	Ask for a book recommendation

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