

Welcome to the Mid-Mississippi Regional Library System

Thank you for joining our library system! Your MMRLS library card gives you access to millions of books, movies, audiobooks, and e-books, as well as e-resources, 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 <u>midmisslib.com/policies</u>.

Borrowing Information

Your library card allows you to check out up to 50 items at a time. See below for borrowing information on our most popular items. For complete borrowing information, visit <u>midmisslib.com/borrowing</u>.

Material	Loan Period	Maximum Item Type Checkout	Renewals Allowed
Books	2 weeks	50 (10 on new books)	3 (1 on new books)
DVD	1 week	15 (10 on new DVDs)	3 (0 on new DVDs)
Audiobooks	2 weeks	15 (10 on new audiobooks)	3 (1 on new audiobooks)

- If you can't bring your item back on the due date, don't worry! There are no late fees charged for items owned by MMRLS (items owned by other library systems may still be subject to late fees). You'll just need to return your items before checking out more items or using other library services.
- Holds may be placed on up to ten items at a time. Items placed on hold will be held for seven days.
- Items can be checked out and returned at any of our thirteen library branches.
- DVDs and audiobooks cannot be returned in a book drop, though several branch locations have outdoor media return drops.
- Renewals are permitted on most items, unless another patron has a hold on that item. Your items will renew automatically until the renewal limit is reached.
- 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.

Library Website midmisslib.com

- Visit our website for branch locations, contact information, and hours of operation.
- Visit our online catalog, where you can search and browse for library materials at all thirteen of our library branches and throughout the Mississippi Library Partnership.
 - Using your library card and PIN on our online catalog, you can also:
 - View the items you have checked out
 - View and place holds
 - View account information
 - Renew items
- Access our digital library
- View our library events calendar
- Learn more about our genealogy resources and the library's history and administration.

Connect with MMRLS

- To download the MMRLS App for Apple or Android, visit <u>midmisslib.com/app</u>.
- Follow the library system @midmisslib on Facebook and Instagram.
- Each of our branch locations also has a Facebook page! Visit <u>midmisslib.com</u> and select your branch location for a link to your library's page.

Technological Services

Computers

- All thirteen MMRLS branch locations have public access computers with Internet access and word processing software.
- You'll use your library card and PIN to log in.
- Children under ten 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

Digital Library

- Use your library card and PIN to access thousands of e-books and e-audiobooks with cloudLibrary
 - Visit our website and click the cloudLibrary logo, download the cloudLibrary app on your mobile device, or visit <u>ebook.yourcloudlibrary.com/library/Mid-MississippiRegional</u>
 - Click "login" and use your library card and PIN.
 - \circ $\,$ You may check out up to two items at a time for up to 14 days.
- Instantly borrow digital movies, music, e-books, and more using Hoopla
 - Visit our website and click the Hoopla logo, download the Hoopla app to your mobile device, or visit <u>hoopladigital.com</u>.
 - o Click on "Get started today" to create an account using your library card and PIN
 - You may check out eight items per month. Checkout periods are as follows:
 - E-books, e-audio, and e-comics: 21 days
 - Music: 7 days
 - Movies and TV: 3 days
- Access our selection of free online databases by visiting our website at midmisslib.com
 - o <u>Magnolia Databases</u>
 - MAGNOLIA is a statewide consortium funded by the Mississippi Legislature that provides access to 50 online research databases, journals, & thousands of articles.
 - Visit the circulation desk or contact your branch for the MAGNOLIA access code.
 - EBSCO Learning Express
 - Learning Express is an online solution that supports students & professionals in academic skill-building, standardized test prep, career certification test prep & more.

Programming and Dial-A-Story

- Check out our events page at <u>midmisslib.com/events</u> for a schedule of upcoming fun and educational library programs for patrons of all ages. Highlights include National Library Week (April), the Summer Library Program (June), and Library Card Sign-up Month (September).
- Call our "Dial-A-Story" line at 662-290-READ (7323) for a new story each week!







