

SURPRISE PUBLIC LIBRARY 101

Arts, Culture, & Library Department

How to get a Surprise Public Library card
What you get with your library card

Get your library card

- WALK IN: Asante Library, Hollyhock Library or The Surprise Regional Library
- CALL US: 623-222-2900
- APPLY ONLINE: https://www.surprisepubliclibrary.gov
- BOOK A LIBRARIAN:
- https://www.surprisepubliclibrary.gov/resources/libraryresources

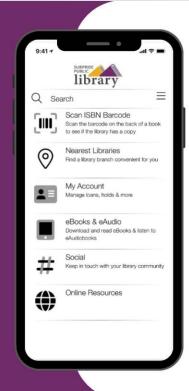
Library Services

- Free resources (books, movies, music, e-resources)
- Wi-fi (available from 6 a.m to 11 p.m.)
- Study & Meeting Rooms
- Library of Things
- Words on Wheels Homebound Delivery Service
- Curbside Pick up
- Book a Librarian
- Programming and much more!

Free Resources

- Over 100,000 physical materials
 - Automatic renewals up to 5 times for most items, up to 2 times for new materials, as long as nobody else is waiting
- E-resources
 - Surprise Public Library App
 - Digital Resources
 - Digital Collections
 - Book Resources
 - Hobby & Craft Resources
 - Academic Databases

Surprise Public Library App



Carry the library in your pocket!

Use the Surprise Public Library app to manage your account, browse the catalogue, place holds and more!

Search 'Surprise Public Library' in the app store or scan the QR code here:



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Library of Things

- Hotspots & Chromebooks
- Early Literacy Toys (9 different kits)
- Culture Passes (20 different locations)
- Citizen Science Kits (6 different kits)
- Telescopes
- Video Games (PS5, XBox, Ninentendo Switch)
- Binge Boxes
- Book Club Kits (each kit has10 books & a discussion guide) coming soon

Binge Boxes

- Binge Boxes offer multiple, pre-selected, themed collections of 4-6 movies packaged together for Surprise Public Library patrons to maximize their loans and movie experience.
- Patrons can pick a themed movie collection, including grouped sets of Disney, Pixar, Star Wars, or Indiana Jones films.
- One convenient DVD Case One checkout.
- Popcorn and Candy included per family.

Words on Wheels

Words on Wheels is a free direct-delivery outreach program, serving people where they live, learn, work and play. The overall objective of the service is to promote equity of service and enhance the opportunity of access to library amenities.

Surprise residents of all ages who are homebound may request up to **5** items at a time for delivery to their residence once a month. Delivered items will be picked up four weeks later.

Words on Wheels Cont.

To be eligible for direct-delivery, patrons must:

- Have an active Surprise Public Library card
- Live within Surprise city limits
- Be unable to visit a library on their own because of temporary or long-term illness, injury, impairment, medical condition or disability
- Be able to manage an online account, search and select items, place holds, etc.
- Read and sign the online Service Patron Agreement



QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS?

Thank You