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Senate District 5 Library Resource Guide

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Need a Library Card?

Many Libraries in our area are offering digital library cards for residents during the COVID-19 Library closures.

Below, please find a list of the Libraries within our District, along with information on how to obtain a digital card. This page will be continually updated with information as it becomes available, and we'll list the last update.

If you see incorrect information, or have information that is not on this list, please email ferone@nysenate.gov

Nassau County

(ALL Public Library Buildings in Nassau County are currently CLOSED.)

In an effort to provide improved access to digital resources, certain Nassau public libraries have enabled the following digital card application. Upon approval, these cards will last until June 30th. Please note that this card is for digital services only, and cannot be used to borrow physical materials from any of our member libraries, or place requests for physical items from any library.

In addition, these applications are not automated. We expect there may be high demand for these cards, so please be patient as we do the best we can to get your digital card to you quickly. Staff will create your online library card as soon as possible and transmit this information to you by email.

The Following Libraries utilize the same digital library card application

- [Bayville Library](#)
- [Bethpage Library](#)
- [Glen Cove Library](#)
- [Gold Coast Library](#)
- [Hicksville Library](#)
- [Locust Valley Library](#)
- [Plainview Old Bethpage Library](#)

Application: <https://www.nassaulibrary.org/coronavirus-information/digital-card-application/>

- [Jericho Library](#)

Get a digital library card to use our services from home. Jericho residents can apply for a new card here

Application: <https://www.jericholibrary.org/form/library-card-application#no-back>

- [Syosset Library](#)

All residents of the Syosset Central School District are entitled to a Syosset Public Library card. While the library is closed due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we have created an online application for a limited use card that allows users access to our digital resources including online research databases, streaming services, eBooks and downloadable audiobooks. This card will expire on June 30, 2020.

Once the Syosset Library reopens to the public, we ask that you come in with two proofs of residency and we will issue you a library card with full access to all of our resources.

Apply For A Library Card - <https://www.syossetlibrary.org/component/rsform/form/37-digital-library-card-registration-form>

Suffolk County

(ALL Public Library Buildings in Suffolk County are currently CLOSED.

The public libraries of Suffolk County are committed to serving our communities and are closely monitoring the news and recommendations of health officials about the coronavirus (COVID-19). Please note that our digital services are always available at LIVEBRARY.com and at your local library's website. Suffolk County residents can pre-Register for a library card to gain immediate access to livebrary.com online services.

The Following Libraries utilize the same digital library card application. Pre-Register for a Library Card

- [Cold Spring Harbor Library](#)

- [Commack Library](#)
- [Elwood Library](#)
- [Huntington Library](#)
- [Half Hollow Hills Library](#)
- [Northport East-Northport Library](#)
- [South Huntington Library](#)

Application: <https://search.livebrary.com/selfreg>

Additional Resources

Our friends at the Suffolk Cooperative Library System have created an amazing resource guide with over 100 different resources for residents of all ages!

Keep busy at home with these links and resources for learners of all ages. Check back often - they will be updating this page all the time!

Suffolk County Libraries at Home Link: [Resource Guide](#)

[New York City Public Library Card](#)

All New York State residents can apply for a New York Public Library card through SimplyE to gain access to an array of digital resources, including ebooks and audiobooks, as well as databases available from home during our period of closure.

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