

## LIBRARY CARDS

Who can get a Fargo Public Library Card?

A free Fargo Public Library card is available to:

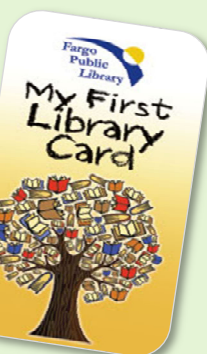
- All Fargo residents
- All Fargo property taxpayers with proof of identification and address.
- K-12 students in Fargo public and private schools whose residences may be outside the city limits.

You can also qualify for a free Fargo Public Library card if you live in the following areas:

- The West Fargo Public Library service area. (*Some restrictions may apply.*)
- The 7-county area served by the Lake Agassiz Regional Library (LARL). (*Some restrictions may apply.*)

Library cards are valid for five years. Your library card or an acceptable photo ID must be presented at checkout.

You are responsible for all items checked out on your card. If you lose your card, you can bring in your photo ID and get a replacement card for \$1.



### My First Library Card

is a special card design available to all children 7 years old and younger who have never had a Fargo Public Library card.

### Computer Access Cards

are issued for individuals who choose to use only internet/public computer services. This card has no borrowing privileges. Computer

Access cards are valid for one year and provide up to four hours of computer access per day. Individuals sixteen years of age and older are eligible to register for a Computer Access card.

## HOURS

### FARGO PUBLIC LIBRARY

#### MAIN LIBRARY

101 4TH ST. N. • FARGO  
(701) 241-1472

Monday – Thursday	10–8
Friday	11–6
Saturday	9–6
Sunday	Closed

**Three Hours of FREE Parking** are available in the Main Library's west parking lot, as well as in the City Hall/Library parking lot located along 3rd St. North to the east of the library.

### DR. JAMES CARLSON LIBRARY

2801 32ND AVE. S. • FARGO  
(701) 476-4040

Monday – Thursday	10–8
Friday	11–6
Saturday	9–6
Sunday	Closed

### NORTHPORT LIBRARY

2714 N. BROADWAY • FARGO  
(701) 476-4026

Monday – Tuesday	10–8
Wednesday – Thursday	10–6
Friday	11–6
Saturday	9–6
Sunday	Closed

## QUESTIONS?

Call us at (701) 241-1492

Email us at [askreference@fargolibrary.org](mailto:askreference@fargolibrary.org)



**WELCOME**  
to the  
**Fargo Public Library**

05.2025



[www.fargolibrary.org](http://www.fargolibrary.org)

## YOUR FARGO PUBLIC LIBRARY

provides effective and efficient library services to meet our community's personal, professional, and lifelong learning needs.

### DISCOVER

- Audiobooks and eAudiobooks
- Books and eBooks
- DVDs, Blu-Rays, and Streaming Videos
- Board Games and Video Games
- Magazines and Digital Magazines
- Music CDs and Streaming Music
- Wi-Fi Hotspots, Park Passes, and more!

### YOUR FPL PRIVILEGES

- Your library provides thousands of books, magazines, DVDs, graphic novels, online resources, games, historical documents, and more, all for free! Browse the collection at <https://catalog.fargolibrary.org>.
- Check out items at any Fargo Public Library location and return them to any FPL location. Each library location has a 24-hour return box.
- Check out 50 items at a time, including up to 20 DVDs and 2 video games.
- You can access online resources, services, eBooks, digital magazines, and eAudio-books 24/7 at [www.fargolibrary.org](http://www.fargolibrary.org).
- You can access the internet via the library's free Wi-Fi on your own laptop or mobile device, or with the library's public computers at any Fargo Public Library location. Wireless printing is also available.

## LOAN PERIODS

Audiobooks & Read-Alongs (limit 20) ..	3 Weeks
Board Games (limit 1).....	3 Weeks
Books .....	3 Weeks
Book Club in a Bag (limit 2, <i>no renewals</i> )....	6 Weeks
Children's Kits (limit 1) .....	3 Weeks
DVDs and Blu-Rays (Limit 20).....	1 Week
Equipment Kits (limit 1).....	3 Weeks
Interlibrary Loan (limit 4, <i>no renewals</i> ) ...	4 Weeks
Lucky Day (limit 2, <i>no renewals</i> ).....	1 Week
Magazines .....	3 Weeks
Music CDs (limit 20).....	3 Weeks
State Park Pass (limit 1).....	1 Week
Video Games (limit 2) .....	3 Weeks

**TOTAL LIMIT: 50 items**

### YOUR FPL RESPONSIBILITIES

In order to provide equitable access to collections, services, and resources, the Fargo Public Library does not charge late fines\* for overdue items. Fees are charged for lost or damaged items per the library's policy.

Excessive outstanding fees can affect access to public computers.

*\*Note: Any item that is **more than 30 days overdue** is considered long overdue, and the cost of the item is automatically charged to the borrowing account. Lost item fees are automatically removed from the patron account upon return of the item(s) in good condition.*

Borrowers who have more than \$30 in outstanding fees on their account may not check out materials. Borrowing may resume when fees are reduced below the \$30 maximum by return of the item(s) or by payment of fees.

## RENEWALS

Most items may be renewed up to two times (unless there is a waiting list); renewals can be done in person, by phone, or online. To renew by phone, call **(701) 241-1472**.

To renew online, go to [www.fargolibrary.org](http://www.fargolibrary.org) and click on "My Account." On the next page, enter your entire library card number (no spaces). Until you change it, your password defaults to your last name in ALL UPPER CASE letters.



### EVENTS

The Fargo Public Library offers free activities and classes for adults, teens, kids, and families at all three library locations. Events are posted in our libraries and in the library's online calendar at [www.fargolibrary.org](http://www.fargolibrary.org).

Receive the library's monthly online *Title Page* newsletter by signing up on the library's website.

### BOOK RETURNS

Outside book returns are available at all three library locations.