



Library Card Application

Library cards are issued free to residents of the Des Moines metropolitan area. The Public Library of Des Moines participates in the State of Iowa Open Access Program, which may allow free cards to residents of other communities. Call us at 515-283-4152 for more information.

To obtain a card, fill in the form below (you can type the information on a computer and print out the form) and bring into one of our library locations. Children must be at least 5 years old and children under age 12 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. **To safeguard patron privacy, we require proof of current name and address and a photo I.D.**

Please Print

Last Name:			
First Name:		Initial:	
Street Address:		Apt.	
		Lot:	
City:		State:	Zip:
Birth Date:		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Contact Phone:		Other Phone:	
Parent/Guardian (if under 18)			
Applicant's Social Security or Driver's License Number:			
When we need to contact you for holds or overdues, how do you prefer to be contacted? (Check One)			
<input type="checkbox"/> By Email (fastest)		<input type="checkbox"/> By phone (next day)	
Email Address:			
Would you like to receive information on library programs and services? (Check One)			
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes, by email		<input type="checkbox"/> No	

The person whose signature appears below or his/her parent/guardian is responsible for all materials borrowed on this card.			
I agree to:	Pay all fines or fees	Report loss or theft of my card promptly	
	Abide by the policies of the library	Report change of name or address promptly	
Signature			
I authorize and assume responsibility for			
my child under age 18 to borrow any library videos/DVDs	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
my child under age 12 to borrow more than five items	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> No	
Signature, Parent/Guardian			