



Checking Out Books for Community Members

Step 1:

Go to https://www.librarycat.org/lib/The_Center_LB

This site works on desktops and mobile devices. There is no need to download an app to use Librarycat.

Step 2:

Type the title, author, or genre of book you are looking for in the search bar. For a more detailed search click the **Advanced Search** bar.

Step 3:

Once you have chosen a title click the **New and Existing Patron Check Out** button. A pop-up will ask for your full name, phone number and email. Please leave all your information so one of our volunteers can get back to you with your new account login and password.

Step 4:

You will receive an email or phone call from one of our volunteers letting you know your barcode number as well as your password to check out items (this may take a day or two).

Step 5:

Once you receive a barcode and password you are free to check out books.

Once we have pulled your item(s) we will let you know when your books are ready for pickup by either email or phone.

Pickup & Return times:

Monday-Friday (Excluding Holidays)

3 p.m. – 7 p.m.

When you arrive at the center for your books or returns give us a call at [\(562\) 434-4455](tel:5624344455).

One of our team members will meet you for your pickup or returns.

Policies:

- The Center LGBTQ+ Library is a free lending library.
- Books can be checked out for 14 days.
- Overdue items must be returned before more items can be checked out.
- Limit of three books per patron.

Late Fees and Overdue Books:

If books are lost, damaged, or stolen, you will be required to replace the materials or donate a book from The Center's wish list of equal or greater value.