

Renewing Items

Items that are not on hold may be renewed in the following ways:

- In person at any Consortium library.
- Via telephone: 888-4451.
- Via Internet: www.mld.org.
- Via TeleCirc (Boise Public Library's automated phone system): 384-4450.

Please be aware that each library has a unique renewal policy, and it is the patron's responsibility to be aware of and abide by the policy of the library from which items have been borrowed.

Placing Items on Hold

Most items from the Consortium libraries may be placed on hold for pickup at the library location most convenient for the patron. Holds may be placed online at www.mld.org and/or by using the computers in the library. Once items on hold become available, patrons will be notified via automated phone call or email. Items on hold will be held for pickup for one week.

Interlibrary Loans

Items that are not available through the Treasure Valley group of Consortium libraries may be requested through our interlibrary loan service. Current year materials and items on bestseller lists are not available for interlibrary loan request. Please be aware that it may take several weeks to receive an item and the interlibrary loans may not be renewable. To defray shipping costs, a fee of \$2.00 will be assessed for items that are not picked up.

Treasure Valley Open Access Agreement

The Meridian Library belongs to the LYNX! Consortium, which is a group of libraries in the Treasure Valley that offer reciprocal services. If you are a resident of a library listed below, your library card can be used at any of the listed library locations. Patrons are responsible for knowing and abiding by the library's policies from which items are borrowed or services requested.

Ada Community Library
Phone: 362-0181
10664 W Victory Road
Boise, ID 83709
www.adalib.org

Boise Public Library
Phone: 384-4076
715 S Capitol Boulevard
Boise, ID 83702
www.boisepubliclibrary.org

Collister Library
(Boise Public Library Branch)
Phone: 562-4995
4724 W State Street
Boise, ID 83703

Boise West Library
Phone: 570-6900
7557 W. Ustick Road
Boise, ID 83704

Eagle Public Library
Phone: 939-6814
100 N Stierman Way
Eagle, ID 83616
www.eaglepubliclibrary.org

Caldwell Public Library
Phone: 459-3242
1010 Dearborn Street
Caldwell, ID 83605
[Http://caldwell.lili.org](http://caldwell.lili.org)

Garden City Public Library
Phone: 472-2940
6015 Glenwood Street
Garden City, ID 83714
<http://gardencity.lili.org>

Hidden Springs Library
(Ada Community Branch)
Phone: 229-2665
5849 Hidden Springs Drive
Hidden Springs, ID 83703

Hillcrest Library
(Boise Public Library Branch)
Phone: 562-4996
5246 W Overland Road
Boise, ID 83705

Nampa Public Library
Phone: 468-5800
101 11th Avenue South
Nampa, ID 83651
www.nampalibrary.org

Star Branch Library
(Ada Community Branch)
Phone: 286-9755
10706 W State Street
Star, ID 83669

Meridian Library District
Silverstone Branch
Phone: 884-2616
3531 E Overland
Meridian, ID 83642



Read, Wonder, Grow



1326 W. Cherry Lane
Meridian, Idaho 83642
Phone: (208) 888-4451
www.mld.org

Hours:
Monday-Thursday:
9:00 AM to 8:00 PM
Friday:
9:00 AM to 6:00 PM
Saturday:
10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Obtaining a Library Card

Meridian Library District residents may obtain a free library card by providing photo ID, proof of address, and a fully completed application.

Those who live within the boundaries of the Boise, Eagle, Garden City, or Ada Community libraries may obtain their cards at the Meridian Library. Nonresidents may obtain a library card for \$45 a year plus tax (seniors \$21 a year).

Computer Usage

Meridian residents may obtain a library card that also allows access to the public computers at the Meridian Library and its branches.

Applicants under 18 years of age must have a consent form signed by a parent or legal guardian before using the Internet. Parents must sign to acknowledge that minors may have access to filtered internet service at the Meridian library.

Other Consortium library cardholders may use their library card to access the computers at the Meridian Library. Printing monies for use at Meridian Library and its branches may be added to the card at any time.

Borrower Responsibilities

Responsibility for all borrowed items as well as the use of the Internet rests with the library card holder and/or the parent or guardian.

Maximum fines or items overdue block the usage of a library card, and delinquent accounts may be sent to collections. Chronic overdue materials and/or maximum fines on a card may restrict other family members from using their cards.

Circulation Policies

Item	Check-out Length	Limit Per Card	Renewals*
Adult Books	28 Days	50	2
New Adult Books	14 Days		
Teen Books	28 Days	50	2
Children's Books	28 Days	15	2
New Children's Books	14 Days	5	1
Magazines	7 Days	3	2
Encyclopedia	7 Days	2	0
Adult Audio Books	28 Days	8 Tapes & 4 CDs	2
Teen Audio Books	28 Days	10 Tapes & 10 CDs	2
Children's Audio Books	28 Days	4 Tapes & 4 CDs	2
Kid Packs	14 Days	2	2
VHS/DVD Feature Films	7 Days	5 VHS & 5 DVD	1
VHS/DVD Nonfiction	14 Days		
Complete Season DVDs	14 Days	1	1
ASL VHS	28 Days	3	1
Adult Music CDs	28 Days	10	2
Children's Music CDs	28 Days	5	2
Children's Music Tapes	28 Days	5	2

*If not on hold; Items on hold cannot be renewed.

Fines

VHS and DVDs	\$1.00 Per Day
All Other Items	\$.20 Per Day
Items Returned in the Incorrect Outside Drop	\$1.00 Per Item

The maximum overdue charge per item is \$10.00. Fines may be paid via cash, check, credit or debit card. Nonperishable food items are accepted for fines of \$5.00 or less on each overdue item.

Lost or Damaged Items

If an item is lost or damaged, the full replacement cost of the item will be charged, plus a \$5.00 processing fee per item.

Lost or Stolen Library Card

Lost or stolen cards need to be reported to the library immediately. Library replacement cards cost \$2.00.

Where to Return Items

Items may be returned to the circulation desk at the Meridian Library during regular business hours. Items may also be returned to the outside drops located both at the front and west entrances of the building. Please note that DVDs may only be returned to the DVD drop at the west entrance. Additionally, items may be returned to any library participating in the Treasure Valley Open Access Agreement. The participating libraries are listed on the back of this brochure.