Library Rules

- Return books on time.
- Leave date due cards in pockets.
- Do not lose or damage library books.
- Do not bring food or drink into the library.
- Be considerate about noise in the library.
- Be careful of library furniture and equipment.
- Inform the library if you change your address, phone number, school, etc.
- Promptly pay for lost or damaged materials and lost date due cards.
- No cell phone usage in the library
- Abide by Internet usage rules

Gift policy

We welcome donated books and materials from the public provided they are in excellent condition and contain no names and writing. Donations will be accepted and included in the library collection at the discretion of the librarian.

Volunteers

We encourage parents and the public to assist with library programmes. Volunteer Application Forms can be obtained from the library staff.

Can't find what you're looking for? Ask our friendly, trained staff for help or advice.

BOOKS, THE PERFECT GIFT

Quiet

Portable

No batteries required

Bermuda National Library Mission Statement

The Bermuda National Library guarantees patron satisfaction through the organization and dissemination of information in a professional, courteous and enthusiastic manner.

We will provide for the current and potential educational and recreational needs of our diverse community.

We pledge to do this in a nurturing environment, promoting mutual respect, and ensuring positive growth, enjoyment, and success for all.

HOURS OF OPERATION

Monday-Thursday 9:00 am-5:00 pm Friday 10:00 am-5:00 pm Saturday 9:00 am-5:00 pm Sunday Closed

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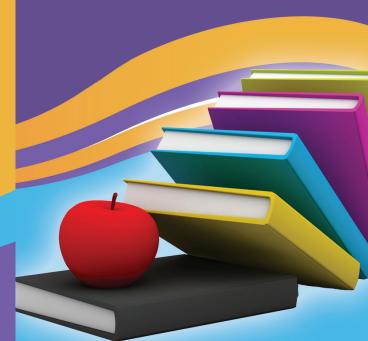
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Welcome to: The Bermuda National Library Youth Services Department

We have over 15,000 books, magazines and audiobooks you can borrow. We have materials for all ages from picture books, books for beginning and early readers, books for teenagers and a parent/teacher resource collection.

Whether you like to read for enjoyment, or whether you need help with your homework, you are welcome to drop in and see us.

The Bermuda National Library Youth Services Department moved to its present location at 74 Church Street, Hamilton in July 1982. We have over 7,000 members.



How do I join?

Parents or legal guardians complete a membership form and present a photo identification and proof of residency in Bermuda to the library staff. Our services are available to all children from birth to age 18. Registration takes only five minutes and you can check out books immediately afterwards. We only charge for lost or damaged library books, date-due cards or library cards. You may borrow up to four books for three weeks at a time. You must present your Library card in order to check out library materials.

What We Offer

- Free unlimited Wi-fi (wireless internet access)
- 30 minutes free computer usage to ALL registered library members (include internet access, Microsoft Word, black and white printing and photocopying)
- Check out of books, magazines, etc. to ALL registered library members (excluding reference)
- Children's activities (storytime, movie day, craft time, etc.)
- Parent-Teacher resource collection
- School and group visits
- Summer Reading Programme
- Newspapers (kept up to a week) and magazines (monthly)
- Audio and e-books

- Foreign language books
- Booklists and bookmarks
- Children's award books
- Dial-A-Story line
- Help Yourself box (free books)
- Teen Advisory Board (T.A.B.)
- Via our website: Tutor.com Online Homework Help, online access to library catalogue, reference databases, e-books, foreign language learning software, and much more.

