



Library of the Future

Whether our children are attending from home or in person, back-to-school is overwhelming this year. The library has compiled a list of our resources for students, parents and teachers. We're in this together!

FOR STUDENTS

Online Resources

To visit these resources, use the search box on the Library's website, or simply click the title if viewing online.



Britannica School

K-5 research for people, countries, science, animals, current events and biographies; includes video and games.



WorldBook Early Learning

Stories, activities & games for young learners, PreK-5.



PebbleGo

Information on animals and social studies, K -3.



Bookflix

Classic video storybooks from Weston Woods paired with reader help and learning games. Pre-K-3.



Brainfuse

Homework help with live tutors, skill building, a 24-hour writing lab and test prep. Adult learning center too.



Mango Languages

Over 72 Languages! Practice conversation, learn English as a Second Language (ESL), watch foreign language films, use translator tool.



Brain HQ

Exercises to improve your memory, attention, people skills, intelligence and navigation abilities.



Learning Express Library

Practice exams for multiple careers, college entrance, military, GED and more.



MeL eResources for School

Multiple educational resources, K-12.

Material Resources

Story Kits

Check out a backpack with a beloved story, plush toy and activity sheet. Kids can make their own storytime.

Talking Book Kits

Backpack with picture book and audiobook. Great for beginning readers and ESL readers.

Steam Kits

Portable learning experiments centered around science, tech, engineering, art & math. Check out a robot. Learn about astronomy. Animation. Construction.

Documentary Film Collection

A vast collection of films outlining historical events, nature and natural life, the arts, biographies and more.

Coping with back-to-school during a pandemic

How to Support Your Child for a Very Difficult School Year

<https://www.pbs.org/parents/thrive/how-to-support-your-child-this-back-to-school-time>

Supporting Your Child's Mental Health as They Return to School

<https://www.unicef.org/coronavirus/supporting-your-childs-mental-health-during-covid-19-school-return>

How to Ease Back-to-School Stress

<https://www.childrenscolorado.org/conditions-and-advice/parenting/parenting-articles/back-to-school-stress/>

Calming Students' Back-to-School Anxieties

<https://www.ucdavis.edu/news/calming-childrens-back-school-anxieties/>

"We have all known the long loneliness and we have learned that the only solution is love and that love comes with community."

– Dorothy Day



Back-to-School resources for parents and students

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FOR PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Helping You Work

To visit these resources, use the search box on the Library's website, or simply click the title if viewing online.



Job Now from Brainfuse

Resume help, Job interview tips, Job search help.



Reference USA

Information on businesses, executives, employee size, sales volume and more.



Learning Express Library through MeLCat

Test and Career Prep, Resume builder.



Job and Career Accelerator through MeLCat:

Job Search, Career Prep & e-Books.



Consumer Reports

Get unbiased ratings and reviews for 9000+ products and services, plus trusted advice and in-depth reporting.



Auto Repair Resource

Vehicle information library.



GCF Learn Free

Tutorials for those new to computers.



Lynda

Quick video courses in business, software & tech.

Wi-fi Hotspots

We have 20 available and have ordered more. There is often a wait, so get on the list early. Adults only.

Printing

When the library moves into Level 3 (we are currently at Level 4), patrons will be able to print from home and pick-up at the library.

Relax & Restore



Kanopy

After a long day, sit back and enjoy one of Kanopy's 26,000 movies, including Criterion Collection films, indie award winners and PBS collections.



Hoopla

Checkout movies, shows, graphic novels, audiobooks, e-Books & music. Even has exercise videos. 12 items per month. No returns.



RBDigital

Browse hundreds of magazines on RBDigital (also great for book reports), downloaded right to your device.

Tool and seed collection

Over 150 Tools & Counting. Tools for yardwork, plumbing and moving. Special collections include:

- SAD Lights
- Telescopes
- Yard games
- Over 100 seed varieties
- Binoculars
- Record Player
- Movie Projector

Yard games

- Bocce Ball
- Corn Hole
- Giant Jenga
- Giant Checkers
- Croquet
- Rollors



Bedtime stories

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