

HPL Reopens for Curbside Pickup

The Governor has announced that libraries can open June 15th for curbside pickup only. The building will not be open. Resuming public service will be gradual and phased in per regulations, guidelines, and best practices.

Curbside to Go! This week!

Reopening will begin with the contactless pickup of requested items. You place your order and put them on hold with your library card account. Staff will pull your order and contact you for pickup. Your experience will be much like picking up dinner at your local restaurant.

How it works.

- 1. Go to your HPL library account here https://catalog.redlibrary.org pick your books and materials and put them on hold. (Check our website https://www.redlibrary.org for newest arrivals.)
- 2. Staff will be coming in every day to pull orders. We will call you for a pickup date when your order is ready.
- 3. Pickup days will be Tuesdays and Saturdays from 12 noon to 2 pm.
- 4. If driving, pull up out front and call us at 609-466-1625 and open your trunk. We will come out and deliver your books to the trunk. NOTE: Do NOT park in the striped safety area, pull up to designated curbside pickup area for road safety.
- 5. If walking, call us and let us know you will be coming by. We will leave your order on the side porch with your name on it for personal pickup.

If you need help in placing your order, please call us at 609-466-1625

Library patrons who need to take extra precautions as defined by the Center for Disease Control (have a severe illness, are immunocompromised etc.), may call and arrange for library materials for in-borough delivery.

Pre-closure books and materials will be required to be returned, with an additional grace period of 30 days. Start date will begin on June 15, final grace period will be July 15.) Regular fee schedule will apply for all materials picked up starting July 15th.

Inter library loan books are not available for ordering at this time. We hope this will resume sometime soon.

Books will be aired for 72 hours upon return for safety precautions against coronavirus. Please be patient if some books are not ready for pickup due to this precaution.