Earlham Public Library

Why Homebound Service

This program lets us fulfill our mission to serve the community better by offering services to residents who, for various reasons, are unable to visit the library.



Do I need to be an Earlham resident to receive Homebound Delivery Services?

Yes. Due to limited resources, we cannot offer homebound services to anyone who lives outside of the Earlham city limits.

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Hours

Monday 10 a.m.— 7 p.m.
Tuesday 10 a.m.— 7 p.m.
Wednesday 9 a.m.— 7 p.m.
Thursday 10 a.m.— 7 p.m.
Friday 10 a.m.— 5 p.m.
Saturday 9 a.m.— noon
Sunday Closed

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Reading gives us a place to go when we have to stay where we are.

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We Bring the Library to You

We Bring the Library Home to You

The Earlham Public Library is pleased to offer its Homebound Delivery Service.

This program provides adult services to those who are unable to get to the library because of:

- Temporary hardship due to a major illness
- An ongoing need due to physical handicap
 - · Long-term illness
 - Homebound seniors

Benefits of Homebound Delivery Service

- Personalized visits
- No overdue fines
- To your front door

What Materials Can I Check Out?

We can deliver books, movies, magazines and audiobooks right to your home. Here are just a few examples you can choose from:

New Fiction	New Non Fiction	Mysteries
Biographies	Classics	Poetry
Inspirational	History	Humor
Romance	Large Print	Westerns
Cookbooks	Adventure	Science Fiction

How Do I Know I Will Get Materials That I Enjoy?

Before bringing materials to your home a member of the library staff will call you to go over your application form.

We will discuss areas of interest which will help us better understand what types of authors, and books you prefer or any other information that may be helpful.

When Will You Be Visiting?

Once we have established what you would like we will schedule a time to come to your home to drop off the materials on the first and/or third Friday morning of the month. Please call the Library before 5:00p.m on the Wednesday before to let the library know what new materials you would like.

How Long May I Borrow the Items I Take Out?

The loan period for books through the program is for 4 weeks. You can renew materials if no other patrons are waiting for them.



Call us today at 515-758-2121 if you or someone you know would like us to bring the library home.