

Video Department Services

610-278-5100 EXT. 4

- Over 7,000 entertainment and educational DVDs available including *new releases!*
- Over 100 video games for Wii, Playstation 3, and Xbox 360.
- Search the online catalog for titles.

Computer Lab

610-278-5100 EXT. 141

The Library Computer Lab offers free internet access to the public as well as educational and productivity software for children and adults. Hands-on computer classes are offered covering the basics of computer usage, internet, e-mail, MS Word and Excel.

Branches

Conshohocken Free Library • 610-825-1656

Perkiomen Valley Library at Schwenksville • 610-287-8360

Royersford Free Public Library • 610-948-7277

Upper Perkiomen Valley Library • 215-679-2020

Loan Periods and Limits

Most library materials may be returned to any public library in Pennsylvania.

The standard loan period is 28 days with the following exceptions:

Item	Loan Period	Item Limit
New fiction	2 weeks	No limit
Rental/Bestseller - \$1.00	1 week	No limit
Magazines	1 week	7 per patron (4 per title)
DVD Entertainment (new titles)	2 nights	5 titles per patron
DVD Entertainment (old titles)	1 week	5 titles per patron
DVD Educational	1 week	5 titles per patron
Video Game	1 week	1 per platform

Rental Charges

Rental Fees

DVDs/Video games \$1.00 per loan period (Multidisc DVD sets are \$2.00)
Educational DVDs No fee

Overdue Fines

Adult materials - 15¢ per day
Maximum per item \$8.00

Children's materials - 10¢ per day
Maximum per item \$6.00

Video games & DVDs - \$2.00 per day
Maximum per item \$30.00

LIBRARY SERVICES INFORMATION



Providing excellent service to Montgomery County for over 200 years

MONTGOMERY COUNTY- NORRISTOWN PUBLIC LIBRARY

1001 Powell Street

Norristown, PA 19401

610-278-5100 ~ www.mc-npl.org

Monday-Thursday: 9 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Friday: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Saturday: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Saturdays from 07/02-09/03: 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Closed Sunday



Visit our website and
sign up for our monthly
e-mail newsletter!

Your Library Card

- If you reside in Montgomery County, a library card can be obtained upon proof of residency without any charge.
- Cardholders are responsible for all materials charged to their cards, including overdue fines and fees for lost or damaged material.
- Please alert the library immediately if your card is lost or stolen.
- The replacement costs for lost or stolen cards are \$3.00 for adults, \$1.00 for children's first replacement card, and \$3.00 thereafter.

Youth Services

610-278-5100 EXT. 3

Children and families may browse our large collection of picture books, I Can Read books, fiction, and non-fiction materials. Children under the age of eight must be accompanied by an adult for their safety. Call or visit the second floor for book suggestions or homework help. A calendar of events is available in the Youth Services Department and on the library's website. Visit often for new materials and flyers of events.



Activities

September-December and January - May

Mondays - Infant Storytimes (ages birth - 3 years) 9:30 & 10:30 a.m.

Thursdays - Preschool Storytimes (ages 3 and up) 10:30 a.m.

June, July, August

- Science in the Summer
- Summer Reading Club
- Preschool Fun Days

Outreach Services

610-278-5100 EXT. 5

Bookmobile: A free, traveling, full-service library for Montgomery County residents. Books, magazines, DVDs, music, and audio are accessible at 25 locations. Schedules are available at Montgomery County libraries, township buildings, and at www.mc-npl.org.

Books-Go-Round: A children's bookmobile that provides storytime and picture book selection/checkout to preschoolers at day care facilities and Headstart programs throughout Montgomery County.

Words-On-Wheels: Bookmobile for older adults that visits retirement and assisted living facilities in Montgomery County. The bookmobile is accessible to persons with disabilities and is available to senior communities in Montgomery County.

Books-By-Mail: A free delivery service for Montgomery County residents who qualify for long-term, short-term, and convalescent status. A large selection of regular, large print, and books on CD is available.

Contact this Department about adding your facility or location to our service.

Search @ Home!

If you have access to the Internet, point your web browser to: www.mc-npl.org. You can search the catalog and other online resources without visiting the library. You can also view your account online and renew and reserve materials. The MC-NPL is part of the Montgomery County Library Information Network Consortium (MCLINC) which means you have access to over 2 million items in the combined catalogs of 31 public libraries.

Online Resources



Downloadable Audiobooks & eBooks

The library's digital collection provides 24/7 access to audiobooks and e-books. Check out and download popular and award-winning digital books from the convenience of your home. Those books can be transferred to many compatible devices.



Power Library connects you to thousands of online full-text magazine and newspaper articles. You can print and email these articles from home or office using your library card barcode.

- **Mango Languages** Learn a new language, or English as a Second language (ESL).
- **TumbleBook Library** Children's collection of talking and animated story books and audiobooks, educational puzzles and games.
- The **Philadelphia Inquirer Historical Archive**
- **ReferenceUSA** Business and residential information for market research and job hunting.
- **Ancestry.com** 4 billion historical records including: census records, military services, immigration, land ownership, and photographs. Available in-library only.
- **Ask Here PA** Online answers to questions (available 24/7).
- **World Book Online Reference Center** a collection of World Book databases offering videos, images, articles, and much more.
- **Booklist ONLINE** contains over 120,000 reviews of books and electronic media. Book reviews date back to 1992.

Special Services

- Outreach to community and special events
- Community room rentals
- Programs for children, teens, and adults
- Ask a question—we'll find the answer
- Federal Depository Library
- Wi-Fi access
- Internet computers
- Early Literacy Computers
- Photocopying