USE OF LIBRARY SERVICES

The facilities of the library are open to the public regardless of a person's place of residence. The same assistance and reference materials are available to resident and nonresident patrons. A library card is not required if materials are not taken from the building. The library reserves the right to withhold library services and privileges from anyone who constantly refuses to abide by given rules or who conspicuously misbehaves in the library.

A. LIBRARY CARD REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Library services and cards are free to all property owners, residents and tax-paying merchants in Mooresville or Brown Township and to nonresident teachers during their contract period with the Mooresville School Corporation.
- 2. Proof of residence or other qualifying status must be provided at the time of application for a library card. (Adopted in April 1990)
- 3. Each patron must show his/her Mooresville Public Library card to check out materials. After January 1, 1999 staff will not check books out to patrons who fail to show a card.
- 4. Lost patron cards may be replaced at a cost to the patron of \$2.00. (Revised 2008)
- 5. Application for a library card by a resident student still in school and under the age of 18 must be signed by a parent or guardian who will be responsible for books and other materials loaned to the student.
- 6. A Student Guest card will be issued to all students attending school within the Mooresville Consolidated School Corp. district and all students attending the Mooresville Christian School. Students are eligible for these cards during the summer preceding the student's entry into kindergarten and must be signed by a parent or guardian. (Revised 4-14-03)
- 7. The Public Library Access Card (PLAC) is available at an annual fee set by the State of Indiana for those not meeting the criteria in Paragraph A-1 of Section I. To obtain a card for the Mooresville Public Library, those nonresident borrowers must first purchase the PLAC at any public library in Indiana, and present it and their home library card as well as identification with a permanent address. Nonresident borrowers will be allowed to check out all kinds of library materials. Those who live in Mooresville and Brown Township and want to borrow materials from other public libraries in the state must first purchase a PLAC card and have a current home library card. According to a state law effective July 1, 1996, a nonresident fee must be established for each library. A nonresident is anyone not living in an Indiana public library taxing district. A nonresident fee of \$75.00 has been set by the library board. This fee is based on the operating fund expenditure per capita for 2010. (Adopted March 4, 1997, revised August 4, 2003, updated annually)