KENTON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY

KINDERGARTEN–HIGH SCHOOL

2024-2025

Children & Student Programs, Resources & Services

The Kenton County Public Library has resources for every student

Explore and learn more at kentonlibrary.org or see a staff member for assistance.

How to get a Library Card

Apply online at **kentonlibrary.org/library-card-application** or at one of the library branches.

- Minors must have guardian permission with a signature to obtain a library card.
- Adults need a photo ID and proof of current address.

RESEARCH & REVIEW

Access this information online with your library card or during your next visit.

Online Learning & Tutoring

BookFlix - Paired fiction and non-fiction eBook Library for PreK-3 kids.

BrainFuse - Homework help and live tutoring available online.

CreativeBug - Learn how to paint, knit, crochet, sew, screen print and more.

Gale Courses - More than 365 engaging, online, instructor-led courses.

Languages

Mango Languages - An online language-learning system that can help you learn languages like English, French, German, Italian, Japanese and many more!

Libby & Hoopla - Language e-books and audiobooks available now.

Kanopy - ESL Videos, Muzzy & Little Pim videos for children, and Great Courses Languages.

Learning Express

A comprehensive resource that provides test preparation, computer skills help, skill building courses and much more. Prepare for important exams like the ACT®, SAT®, AP® tests, and more.

Centro de recursos para hispanohablantes - Gramaticales, Matematicas, Ciudadano Estadounidense, GED.

College Center - Math, reading, grammar, writing and science skills review.

College Preparation Center - ACT®, SAT®, AP®, PSAT/NMSQT® test prep.

Computer Skills Center - Video tutorials designed to help you learn how to use Microsoft Office, and Windows 10, 8, and 7.

Job & Career Accelerator - Assists in creating resumes, discovering careers and job searching with Resume Builder, Occupation Matcher, Job Search.

School Center - Skill-building resources for classroom and homework success.

Apps

Libby, Kanopy, Hoopla: download these apps for e-books, audiobooks, magazines, comics and videos.

RESEARCH

CultureGrams

CultureGrams Kids - social studies learning for elementary grades.

Culture Grams United States - social studies learning focused on the United States.

Driving-Tests.org

Free Kentucky permit practice tests and driver's handbook including practice tests, reference manual, e-book.

Encyclopedia Britannica

Articles, multimedia, primary sources, games and other learning resources.

EBSCO Academic Search Complete and Explora

Access popular magazine articles for entertainment or research including *Time, People,* etc.

Opposing Viewpoints

More than 14,000 pro/con viewpoint essays to help with essays, position papers or giving a persuasive speech.

Local Historic Photos

Faces & Places Northern Kentucky Photographic Archive - Over 100,000 photographs of the people and places of Northern Kentucky.

Greater Cincinnati Memory Project - A collection of photos from around Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky.

Novelist & Novelist K-8
(Fiction & Non-Fiction)

Find the next great book. Search for similar authors, themes and series information.

PebbleGo and PebbleGoNext

Helps students in grades 3-5 learn about famous people, animals, science, Native Americans and United States history.

TrueFlix

Science and social studies learning for grades 3-7. Pairs a book with a video on each topic, includes lesson plans and activities.

WorldCat

Find libraries that own items you need and borrow them using Interlibrary Loan.

OTHER SERVICES

Copying & Printing

Printing and copying available at all locations.
Cost: .05 for Black & White and .25 for Color.

Mobile Printing - Print from home or your mobile device to one of the library branches.

Poster Printer - Print large format signs and images. Prices vary based on paper used.

Scanning & Faxing

Scanning stations are available at all locations. Staff can assist with free faxing.

Computers

Computers are available to use at all libraries. Software available includes:

- o Microsoft Office
- o Google Chrome
- o Edge Browser
- o Adobe Acrobat Reader

Library App

Download the library's app to check out your books, look at holds or see if a book is available.

Programs

Hundreds of free programs are available at the library monthly. See schedule at kentonlibrary.org/events.

STREAM Center Technology & Covington Makerspace

The library offers a variety of items to assist in personal, professional, or educational projects. Items include but are not limited to 3D printers, button maker, oversized/poster printing, laptops, Cricut Maker and more. Learn more at kentonlibrary.org/stream

Meeting Rooms/Study Spaces

Meeting and study rooms are available at all locations. Reserve online at kentonlibrary.org/meeting-rooms/ or call 859.962.4000.

Wi-Fi & Wi-Fi Hotspots

All locations have free Wi-Fi access, no password required. The library has 4G hotspots available for checkout. Place holds online at kentonlibrary.org.

FOR EDUCATORS
kentonlibrary.org/educators

The library has an abundance of resources available for educators in Kenton County, including homeschool educators. Field trips, special classroom book collections, classroom visits and creating student library cards are a few examples of available options for educators.

Student Library Cards

Students in Kenton County are eligible for a student card. These are only issued through the schools. Teachers can request student cards for their classes.

Specific Educator Database

Teachables - a resource for teachers with printable activities for any subject: math, science, reading comprehension, STEM, writing and beyond.

For more information about services available to educators, or to request classroom library cards, contact the School Services Coordinator
schoolservices@kentonlibrary.org
859.962.4147

Branch Locations

Covington Branch
502 Scott Blvd. Covington, KY 41011

Erlanger Branch
401 Kenton Lands Rd. Erlanger, KY 41018

Independence Branch
1992 Walton-Nicholson Rd. Independence, KY 41051

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