



In addition to *outdoor contact free curbside service*, which began on June 22, Northvale Public Library is pleased to announce the continuation of our gradual reopening with *limited indoor service* beginning July 14. We look forward to continue serving you!

**LIBRARY HOURS** of operation for both curbside pickup AND limited indoor selection and borrowing are as follows and subject to change according to circumstances:

**Mondays-Thursdays: 10:30-5:30 and Fridays: 10:30-4:30**

**What to expect when visiting the library:**

Due to state and local restrictions regarding public health, the following procedures and precautions are in effect:

- Maximum occupancy of 6 individual patrons will be permitted inside the library at any given time to select and borrow library materials.
- For the safety of all, masks fully covering the nose and mouth are required to be worn while in the building and while waiting in line to enter the building.
- Library returns are accepted in the **outside book drop only**, located at the library's front entrance. Items are quarantined for 72 hours before they're checked in.
- Northvale Library items are fine free through at least August 31<sup>st</sup>.
- Maintain physical distance of at least 6 feet from other patrons and staff at all times.
- Library visits are to be brief – up to 20 minutes -- to select, pick up and check out.
- Children under age 10 must be with an adult caregiver over the age of 18.
- Hand sanitizer is available near the front entrance, rear exit and throughout the library.
- Chairs and tables are not available for public use at this time.
- Studying, lingering, and congregating are not permitted in the library.
- The library's restroom is **CLOSED** to the public at this time.
- Currently, Northvale Library items are available. Loans via BCCLS have not yet resumed.
- All library programs continue remotely/virtually. Visit [northvalelibrary.org](http://northvalelibrary.org)
- There will be limited use of 2 public computers, in separate rooms. Public computer sessions are up to 30 minutes per day. **We will not grant extensions at this time.** A valid BCCLS library card is required to access the computer. Stop at circulation desk prior to beginning a session.
- The continued use of the library's curbside pickup service is ongoing and encouraged.

Respectfully,

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