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Managing CPS Elementary & High School Libraries

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**Grab & Go Inside Service
Curb Service
Available By Appointment**
Call: 622-8623
eMail: sdlcircdesk@yahoo.com

Grab & Go Appointments

- Grab & Go service is intended for quick browsing.
- Appointments are required and limited to SDL residents.
- Please arrive on time. If you arrive early, please wait in your vehicle. If you are late, your appointment time will not be extended.
- Appointments are limited to thirty minutes. Appointments are being scheduled to minimize exposure to others.
- One appointment per household per day.
- One public access computer is available for a thirty-minute time slot.
- WiFi is available outside of the building from the comfort of your vehicle between 8 a.m. and 10 p.m.
- The Children's Room is open to one family at a time. Children must be accompanied by an adult.
- Library cards may be issued to SDL residents with picture I.D. and proof of current address.
- Please follow all SDL policies for the safety of yourself, other patrons and library staff.

Sanilac District Library
7130 Main Street
PO Box 525
Port Sanilac, MI 48469
810.622.8623

Visit SDL's website at
sanilacdistrictlibrary.lib.mi.us

Library Hours

Monday: 11-5
Tuesday 11-5
Wednesday 11-5:30
Thursday 11-5
Friday 11-5
Saturday CLOSED

SDL Health & Safety Precautions

Huron, Sanilac, St. Clair & Tuscola Counties are experiencing increased cases of COVID.

- As a government entity, SDL is required to follow MDHHS and MiOSHA restrictions.
- **Please, do NOT visit SDL if you or someone in your household is ill or has been exposed to anyone with COVID-19 within the last two weeks.**
- **A mask covering your nose and mouth is required for entry and during your entire visit.**
- **Social distancing is required.**
- The number of patrons allowed inside the building at the same time is limited. Appointments are being scheduled to minimize exposure to others.
- All returning library materials are quarantined for one week before being checked out to another patron or re-shelved.
- Computer workstations are cleaned after every use.
- Public seating is not available.
- A protective acrylic barrier has been installed at the Circulation Desk.
- High touch areas are sanitized several times a day.
- SDL may close at any time without notice to allow cleaning between users.

New Fiction

- *13 Days To Die*—Matt Miksa. Posing as a journalist, Olen, an American intelligence officer joins Chinese epidemiologists to research a viral hot zone in Tibet and discover that Patient Zero was a spy who deliberately infected himself. But why?
- *A Court of Wings and Ruin: prequel to the Court of Thorns and Roses*—Sarah Maas
- *Act Your Age, Eve Brown*—Talia Hibbert
- *The Beirut Protocol: a Marcus Ryker novel*—Joel Rosenberg. Special Agent Marcus Ryker is leading an advance trip along the Israeli-Lebanon border, ahead of the Secretary of State's arrival to seal a peace treaty between Israel and the Saudis. Ryker and his team are ambushed by Hezbollah forces. As U.S. and Israeli forces search for the hostages, Ryker knows that no amount of ransom will save them. They'll be transferred to Tehran to be executed on live television.
- *Beneath the Keep: prequel to the Tearling series*—Erika Johansen
- *The Bounty: A Fox & O'Hare Novel*—Janet Evanovich
- *Call Me Elizabeth Lark*—Melissa Colasanti. On the run and needing a place to hide, Elizabeth pretends to be the long-lost daughter of Myra Barkley. As she becomes intertwined with the family, she must find a way to confess the truth, especially when someone wants her to disappear again.
- *Castaway in Cornwall*—Julie Klassen
- *Christmas Table*—Donna VanLiere
- *The Consequences of Fear: A Maisie Dobbs Novel*—Jacqueline Winspear
- *Danger in Numbers*—Heather Graham
- *Double Jeopardy: Stone Barrington novel*—Stuart Woods
- *Eternal*—Lisa Scottoline. Elisabetta, Marco, and Sandro grow up as best friends. In 1937, Mussolini aligns with Hitler altering the laws that govern Rome. Everything that the three hold dear, families, homes and their friendship is tested in unimaginable ways.
- *Fast Ice: a novel from the NUMA Files*—Clive Cussler
- *Float Plan*—Trish Doller
- *Good Eggs*—Rebecca Hardiman. When Kevin's 83-year-old mother shoplifts he hires an upbeat caregiver whose initial support catapults the family into the worst crisis they have ever faced.
- *Her Dark Lies*—J. T. Ellison
- *In Times of Rain and War*—Camron Wright. Audrey, a German-born Jew, hides in 1940 London, hoping someday to reunite with her family while pretending to be a British citizen.

- *The Incredible Winston Browne*—Sean Dietrich. A small 1950s town takes in a mysterious visitor whom they believe needs saving—but she might be the one who saves them.
- *Later*—Stephen King
- *Libertie*—Kaitlyn Greenidge
- *A Little French Bridal Shop*—Jennifer Dupee
- *The Long Sone*—Andrea Levy. Read the book watch the PBS series on DVD.
- *The Lost Village*—Camilla Sten. Alice is obsessed with the stories of people vanishing from a remote mining town, including her grandmother's family. After setting up camp to film a documentary, mysterious things begin to happen. They are not alone. They're looking for the truth... But what if it finds them first?
- *Make Up Break Up*—Lily Menon
- *A Matter of Life And Death: a Robin Lockwood novel*—Phillip Margolin
- *Meant To Be*—Jude Deveraux
- *A Million Reasons Why*—Jessica Strawser. Two strangers are linked by a DNA test. An answer to prayer for one. For the other, it dismantles everything she knows to be true.
- *Mrs. Wiggins*—Mary Monroe
- *Murder At Wedgefield Manor*—Erica Ruth Neubauer
- *Murder In An Irish Bookshop: an Irish Village mystery*—Carlene O'Connor
- *No Way Out*—Fern Michaels
- *The Northern Reach*—W. Winslow
- *Off the Wild Coast of Brittany*—Juliet Blackwell
- *One Bright Christmas: Cape Light # 21*—Thomas Kinkade
- *One Step To You*—Federico Moccia. Inspiration for the Netflix series *Summertime*.
- *The Other Emily*—Dean Koontz
- *The Palm Beach Murders*—James Patterson
- *The Path to Sunshine Cove*—RaeAnne Thayne
- *The Postscript Murders*—Elly Griffiths
- *Raft of Stars*—Andrew J. Graff. When two hardscrabble boys think they've committed a crime, they flee into the woods of Wisconsin. Will the adults trying to find and protect them reach them before it's too late?
- *The Red Book*—James Patterson
- *Red Island*—Andrea Lee

- *The Rose Code*—Kate Quinn. Joining the elite Bletchley Park codebreaking team during WW II, three women uncover a spy's dangerous agenda years later against the backdrop of the royal wedding of Elizabeth and Philip.
- *Smoke: An IQ Novel*—Joe Ide
- *Sunflower Sisters*—Martha Kelly. Union nurse Georgeanna Woolsey travels with her sister to Gettysburg, where they cross paths with a slave-turned-army conscript and her cruel plantation mistress.
- *Surviving Savannah*—Patti Callahan. When a Savannah history professor curates a museum collection focused on artifacts recovered from the steamship Pulaski, which sank after a boiler explosion in 1838, he can't resist the opportunity to try to solve some of the mysteries and myths surrounding the devastating night it sank. The wreckage was just discovered, 180 years later.
- *Till Death: A Have Brides will Travel series*—William Johnstone
- *Too Good To Be True*—Carola Lovering
- *We Begin At The End*—Chris Whitaker. 30 years ago, a teenage Vincent went to prison for killing his girlfriend Star's sister. He returns home where his best friend is now the chief of police. When Duchess, Star's daughter, exacts vigilante revenge, she sets into motion a series of events that threatens everyone she loves.
- *Who Is Maud Dixon*—Alexandra Andrews. Working for a mysterious novelist known as Maud Dixon, Florence Darrow accompanies her to Morocco where her new novel is set and where she, after a terrible accident and no sign of Maud, decides to become Maud, claiming the life she's always wanted.
- *Win*—Harlan Coben
- *The Women of Chateau Lafayette*—Stephanie Dray. Based on the true story of an extraordinary castle in France and the women bound by its legacy in some of humanity's darkest hours.
- *Zorrie*—Laird Hunt. Cast adrift in the Depression-era West after the last of her relatives pass away, Zorrie survives by working at a radium processing plant before finding love, community and unexpected loss upon returning to her small Indiana hometown.

Romance Paperbacks

- *The Heiress Hunt*—Joanna Shupe
- *Ten Things I Hate About the Duke: A Difficult Dukes Novel*—Loretta Chase

FREE Online Classes

For Seniors By Seniors

Over 150 classes offered

See information and register on
SDL's website.

The Michigan Department of Health and Human Services are partnering with GetSetup-Michigan to offer older adults free, live interactive online classes.

The classes focus on the use of digital devices such as computers, smartphones and tablets as well as services such as Zoom, social media and more. Digital literacy is a need in the senior community. During the pandemic there are virtual services available but some people don't know how to use them. These classes teach the skills and knowledge necessary for technology use as well as help create social connections for many that may feel isolated at this time.

Classes focus on supporting the use of digital devices such as:

- Computers
- Smartphones: Androids & iPhones
- Tablets
- And more!

AND online services

- Email
- iCloud
- Social Media: FaceBook, Instagram
- Zoom with family & friends
- And more!

AND classes for special interests:

- Cooking
- Dancing
- Genealogy
- Health
- Music
- Travel
- And more!

Examples of classes:

- Use Zoom to connect with others
- Take fitness classes to stay healthy
- Join a social hour to talk about your interests & hobbies
- Getting to know your device
- Stay independent by learning about Apps
- And more!

New Nonfiction

- *Anxiety Reset: a life-changing approach to overcoming fear, stress, worry, panic attacks, OCD and more*—Gregory Jantz, PhD.
- *The Backyard Homesteader: how to save water, keep bees, eat from your garden and live a more sustainable life*—Alison Candlin
- *Getting to the Heart of the Matter: my 36 years in the Senate*—Carl Levin
- *Living With Kidney Stones: complete guide to risk factors, symptoms treatment options*—Samantha Bowick, MPH
- *Make Your Own Sunshine: inspiring stories of people who find light in dark times*—Janice Dean
- *The New Naturalism: designing and planting a resilient, ecologically vibrant home garden*—Kelly Norris
- *The Note Through The Wire: the incredible true story of a prisoner of war and a Resistance heroine*—Doug Gold
- *Race to the Bottom of the Earth: Surviving Antarctica*—Rebecca E. F. Barone
- *Return of the God Hypothesis: compelling scientific evidence for the existence of God*—Stephen C. Meyer
- *Troubleshooting & Maintaining PCs For Dummies*
- *The Women of the Bible Speak: the wisdom of 16 women and their lessons for today*—Shannon Bream
- *We Must Not Forget: Holocaust Stories of Survival and Resistance*—Deborah Hopkinson

New DVDs

- *Fatale*
- *News of the World*
- *Our Friend*
- *Pinocchio*
- *Promising Young Woman*
- *Songbird*
- *Wonder Woman 1984*

New Audio Books

- *Fast Ice*—Clive Cussler
- *A Matter of Life and Death*—Phillip Margolin

Libby by OverDrive
eBooks eMagazines Audio Books

eMagazines

The RBDigital company was purchased by OverDrive and now offers over 3,000 titles. Use the OverDrive link on SDL's website or your Libby app to access eMagazines.

Grab Bag Sale \$5

6 hardcover or 10 paperback books by the same author or genre are packed in new cloth book bags.

See list on
SDL's
website.



Book Sale + CD Book Sale + DVD Sale

- Items are sold by donation
- No Contact Shopping & Curb Pick Up
- Check out the lists on SDL's website
- Books have been quarantined.
- Books are in good or excellent condition
- Call 622-8623 or email sdlcircdesk@yahoo.com

Stock up and keep an extra pile of books in your house—just in case you can't make it to the library.

New Books For Kids

Picture Books

- *The Bear Went Over the Mountain*—Jane Cabrera
- *It's So Quiet*—Sherri Duskey Rinker

New for Elementary

- *Dory FanTasMaGory* series by Abby Hanlon. Dory's older brother & sister think she's a baby. They won't play with her. But that's OK. Dory has other things to do and LOTS of friends who think she's FANTASTIC
 1. *Dory FanTasMaGory*
 2. *The Real True Friend*
 3. *Dory Dory Black Sheep*
 4. *Head In The Clouds*
 5. *Tiny Tough*
- *EllRay Jakes Is Not a Chicken*—Sally Warner. EllRay's father has promised a family trip to Disneyland if EllRay can stay out of trouble for a week, but not defending himself against Jared, the class bully, proves to be a real challenge.
- *Ivy + Bean Get To Work: #12*—Annie Barrows. It's Career Day at school. Students have to choose what they want to be when they grow up. That's no problem until Herman The Treasure Hunter turns up. Ivy & Bean need to get out their shovels and turn up some treasure.
- *Jasmine Toguchi Mochi Queen*—Debbie Florence. Jasmin is a flamingo fan, tree climber and champion mess maker!
- *Nikki & Deja*—Karen English. Antonia, a new girl, is not very nice. Nikki & Deja decide to get back at her but instead are mean to each other. How did that happen? Will they remain best friends?
- *Ruby Lu, Brave & True*—Lenore Look. Ruby Lu spends time with her baby brother, goes to Chinese school, performs magic tricks, learns to drive and has lots of adventures.
- *Sydney & Taylor Explore the Whole Wide World*—Jacqueline Davies. Taylor, a hedgehog and his friend Sydney, a skunk, live in a comfortable burrow under a potting shed and set out on an expedition to see more of the whole wide world.

New Nonfiction

- National Geographic Kids
- *Fetch! How to Speak Dog Training Guide*
 - *Pounce! How to Speak Cat Training Guide*

Tweens

- *Ellie Makes Her Move: The Spyglass Sisterhood*—Marilyn Kaye. Ellie moves to a new town, makes unexpected friends, and discovers a magical spyglass.
- *The Lion of Mars*—Jennifer L. Holm. Bell has spent his whole life on Mars. But he's still just a regular kid. He loves cats, cake and is curious about the secrets in the US colony. Like, why they don't have contact with anyone else on Mars? When a virus breaks out and the grown-ups all fall ill, Bell and the other children are the only ones who can help. It's up to Bell to uncover the truth and save his family and possibly unite an entire planet.
- *A Place to Hang the Moon*—Kate Albus. In World War II England, orphaned siblings William, Edmund and Anna are evacuated from London to the countryside, where they bounce from home to home in search of someone willing to adopt them permanently.
- *Violet and the Pie of Life*—Debra Green. When Violet's dad walks out, she faces the aftermath the only way she knows how: with pie and math. But family and friendship have more variables than she thought.

New Graphic Novels

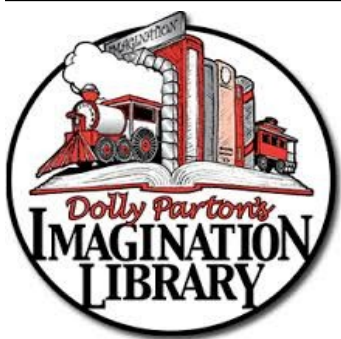
- *Cat Kid Comic Club*—Dav Pilkey
- *Dog Man: Mothering Heights*—Dav Pilkey

Middle School

- *City of the Plague God*—Sarwat Chadda (Rick Riordan Presents series) Sikander team ups with the hero Gilgamesh in order to stop Nergal, the ancient god of plagues, from wiping out the population of Manhattan in this adventure based on Mesopotamian mythology.
- *Ground Zero: A Novel of 9/11*—Alan Gratz. Brandon is visiting his dad on the 107th floor of the World Trade Center on September 11, 2001 when the attack comes. Reshmina is a girl in Afghanistan who has grown up in the aftermath of that attack but dreams of peace, becoming a teacher and escaping her village and the role that the Taliban believes is appropriate for women. Both are struggling to survive. Both are changed forever by the events of 9/11.
- *Unplugged*—Gordon Korman. The adventures of a group of youngsters at an electronics-free wellness camp where wealthy, spoiled Jett, leads other campers in trying to stop a criminal.

Teens

- *Lost In the Never Woods*—Aiden Thomas. When children start to go missing in the local woods, eighteen-year-old Wendy Darling must face her fears and a past she cannot remember to rescue them in this novel based on Peter Pan.



FREE Books To Kids Birth To 5

Every child in Sanilac County, from birth to 5 years old, may receive a FREE age-appropriate book mailed directly to their home every month. This FREE GIFT is sponsored by the Sanilac County Community Foundation. There is no cost. Parents may fill out the registration form available on SDL's website. The child must be a resident of Sanilac County. The first book should

be received 8 - 10 weeks after registration. Books will continue to be mailed until the child turns five or moves out of Sanilac County.

Spark imagination through a love of reading!

How To Access Your Account In SDL's Online Catalog (updated)

1. Go to SDL's website at: www.sanilacdistrictlibrary.lib.mi.us or sanilac.ploud.net
2. Click on the CATALOG icon.
3. Click **Please Login** in the upper right corner. A new window will appear.
4. Type in your 14 digit barcode number found on your library card. Do not type in the * asterisks.
5. The default password is *userpass*. The system requires you to make a new password the first time you login. Remember your password! Library staff *do not* have access to it but are able to reset the password to *userpass* if you forget it. You must create a new password.
6. Click ☒ Remember Me if you are using Your Account from home.
7. The right side of the blue title bar will now display "Hello, *Your Name* (Log Out)".

Your Account Navigation Pane

Your Items

- **Items Out** will display the details of materials currently checked out to you: Title, Author, Call Number, Date checked out, Due date, Fines (if any) and Status. You may renew items one time using My Account. The new due date will be listed and any items not renewed. Movies and items on reserve may not be renewed.
- **Items on Hold** lists titles that you have placed on Reserve/Hold. You may also cancel a Reserve/Hold here.
- **Lost Items:** list of titles that have been lost that were checked out to you.
- **Checkout History** displays a list of items you have borrowed in the past. You may Download and Save or Print the list. *Please*, do **NOT** click Deactivate History.
- **Active Alerts:** choose which day of the week to receive a system generated email reminder with titles and due dates.
- **Fine and Lost Item Payment:** a history of transactions.

Your Settings

- **Your Profile:** Information from your library record is protected by the MI Right To Privacy Act.
 - Enter or edit your email address
 - Choose the day of the week to receive system generated reminders from SDL that list items currently checked out to you with due dates and fines (if owed).
 - Enter a question to remind you of your password.
 - Click the **SAVE** button.
- **Your Preferences:** Use library defaults.
- **Your Favorite Resources:** Use library defaults.

Create A List and Add Items

Your Lists: Create your own lists, such as "What To Read Next" or "My Favorites", using the blue box on the left side. Enter the Name and SAVE. Items may be moved from list to list or deleted. You may Reserve/Hold items using Your List.

- **Add items to your list:** While logged into your account, search for an item in the catalog by typing in the title or author. Press Enter.
 - The Results Screen will appear with matches to your search.
 - Click on the desired item. The next page displays details.
 - On the left side of the screen, click on **Add To Your List**.
 - A message will appear at the top of the screen confirming the addition.

How To Reserve / Hold Items

- While logged into My Account, search for the item in the catalog.
- Review the titles in the Results Pane. Click on the picture of the item. The next screen displays more information. Use the icons beneath the item picture to: 1) Place Hold 2) Save to a list 3) View details.
- Click on the **Place Hold** button on the left side of the screen.
- In the next window, Enter a date to Cancel if not filled by.
- Click **Place Hold** button at the bottom of the window. A confirmation message will appear.
- Library staff will notify you when the item is available for pick-up.



Curb Service Plus Continues

- Order & Pick Up Books, Magazines & Movies
- Copy / Fax / Print Service
- **WiFi is available outside of the library building from the comfort of your vehicle from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.**

SDL's no contact 'book valet' service is a safe and convenient option during this national health emergency.

How To Place Your Order

- Call 622-8623 during open hours
- Email slcircdesk@yahoo.com
- Identify yourself by name, address & library card number.

Request Materials

- Request titles & authors or ask SDL staff to choose items for you
- Library staff will gather your items and notify you when your order is ready.
- Library staff will schedule an appointment for you to pick up your order.
- Your items will be placed in a *new* shopping bag.

No Contact Pick-Up Instructions

By car: please remain inside your vehicle

- Call SDL when you arrive at the parking lot or in front of the building.
- Inform library staff where to deposit your items. And open the window or trunk
- If renting a movie, please have the exact amount: \$1 per movie.

By bike, motorcycle or walking: please, do NOT approach library staff.

Library staff will place your order on the sidewalk six feet away from you. Collect your order after library staff retreat.

Returning Items

Please put returning items in a bag and place outside your vehicle for staff to pick up. Or return items to the drop box at any time.

Search For New Books Using SDL's Website

1. **SDL's Online Catalog:** Check the home page to see a showcase of new books. Click on a jacket cover image for more information. Scroll down the details page to see GoodReads Reviews. Click the book picture on the details page to see information about the book on Amazon.
2. **Book Talk Newsletter:** Click on the Book Talk icon to see back issues for list of books purchased since March 2020. month.

SDL Virtual Services

sanilacdistrictlibrary.lib.mi.us
Or sanilac.ploud.net

NEW: FREE online classes.

NEW: Virtual vacations & Virtual classes
Click on the Virtual Events Menu on SDL's website

NEW: See back issues of Book Talk Newsletter for lists of new books purchased since March 2020.

NEW: Online Book Sale. See lists of books & DVDs "for sale" by donation.

- Access SDL's online catalog 24/7/365
- Set up "My Account" to check due dates for materials you have borrowed, renew books (1 time per item), reserve items and receive weekly reminders. See page 5 for directions.
- Links to reliable information about COVID.
- Read reviews and see cover art for new books on SDL's catalog home page.
- Check out OverDrive audio books and ebooks for free!
- Download free eMagazines to your device using OverDrive.
- Find links to recommended websites.
- Interloan books through MelCat.
- Search MeL databases and get home-work help.
- Search genealogy and local history documents from SDL and other libraries.
- Use SDL's Reader's Advisory page, a matchmaking service to connect readers with books.
- Search CPS Elementary and High School library catalogs.
- View a PDF version of SDL's Book Talk newsletter.
- Find information about SDL.