

SUMMIT FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY



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Dear Families of the Summit Public Schools.

Summit Free Public Library has officially reopened to the public, and has been open since July 6. The library is navigating adjusted rules and regulations due to the ongoing coronavirus pandemic. In anticipation of the new school year, we wanted to highlight a few important changes in library policy. Please note the following adjusted rules and regulations:

- The library is open regular hours (Monday-Saturday: 9-5; Sunday 1-5 beginning after Labor Day) for "Grab & Go" service. We ask that you and your family members limit your time within the library to no more than 20 minutes at a time. If you don't feel comfortable coming into the building, we also have a lobby pickup service as well.
- All people who enter the building over the age of 2 are required to wear a mask.
- As per Governor Murphy, we are open to the public at 25%. As a result, the library will allow no more than 50 people within the building, and no more than 20 people in the Children's and Teen Rooms at a time.
- Public restrooms, study tables, public computers, quiet study rooms, and the Think It Lab are all currently unavailable.
- The library has provided a wealth of virtual educational and entertainment programs for all ages since this spring, and will continue to do so until further notice.

These new policies are subject to change depending on how the situation progresses with the pandemic. As always, Summit Free Public Library is available 24/7 via the electronic services that we provide, which are available to the public for free with a library card; these resources include eBooks, audiobooks, magazines, movies, music, language learning, test preparation, general research, and more! For more information about all that we provide, and additional policies in place during the pandemic, please visit our website at <https://www.summitlibrary.org>, or find us on Facebook, at "Summit Free Public Library."

The Summit Free Public Library wishes all of you a safe and wonderful school year.

Sincerely,

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Head of Youth Services