

Fairbury Public Library Registration Policy

The Board of Trustees of Fairbury Public Library has adopted the following policies regarding registration:

Eligible Card Owners:

Citizens of Fairbury who reside within the city limits will be issued a borrower's card, upon application, without a fee. Identification showing name and current Fairbury city address is required. A reference person's name and phone number is preferred to be listed on the library card application and/or a second phone number where the patron can be reached. Reference name and phone number can be brought in at a later date and absence of a reference will not hinder library card issuance. Library cards will be mailed to patrons after processing.

Any person who resides outside the city of Fairbury city limits must pay a \$15.00/year fee to use the Library. Families desiring to check out more than the 15 items allowed by this card may purchase up to three additional cards for \$5.00 each. Applicant will need to show identification with name and current address.

Children age 3 and above who reside in the city of Fairbury may have their own card with the permission of their parents or legal guardian. Parental signature is required for persons under age 16.

Any person who for business or personal reasons will be temporarily residing in Fairbury may be issued a short term library card. Upon application, they will be asked for a \$10 deposit. They will also be asked to give 2 different telephone numbers on the application. There will be a checkout limit of 5 items at any one time. Cards will expire upon termination of temporary residence or one year's time and the \$10.00 deposit will be returned to applicant if temporary residence was less than 11 months. Consecutive temporary residence cards will not be issued.

Small community libraries in surrounding areas may obtain a library card for their facility free of charge. Identification is required upon application.

Patrons from other libraries with current Nebraskard stickers will be issued a Fairbury Public Library card with an expiration date matching the date on the sticker issued by their home library. No fee will be charged. Cards may be renewed annually by presenting an updated sticker from the issuing library.