



Acknowledgement of Traditional Owners and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Communities in Darebin

We acknowledge the Wurundjeri Woi wurrung people as the Traditional Owners and custodians of the land we now call Darebin and pay respect to Elders, past, present and emerging.

We pay respect to all Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander communities.



Lifelong learning

Darebin Libraries provide welcoming, inclusive and accessible spaces for our community members to connect, discover and learn.

We support and create opportunities for lifelong learning through our focus on digital access, digital assistance, shared resources, events and programs.

We aim to enrich the lives of our community and support personal development, employability, connection to community and inclusion. Libraries are for everyone.



More information

- libraries.darebin.vic.gov.au
- Facebook
- 1300 655 355
- Darebin Libraries app
- eNews – subscribe at: libraries.darebin.vic.gov.au/enewsletter



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Welcome to Darebin Libraries



**Darebin
Libraries**



Locations and hours

**Our libraries stand on
Wurundjeri Country.**

Fairfield Library

121 Station Street, Fairfield

Monday–Friday	10am–5pm
Saturday	10am–4pm

Northcote Library

32–38 Separation Street, Northcote

Monday–Friday	10am–8pm
Saturday	10am–4pm
Sunday	1–5pm

Preston Library

266 Gower Street, Preston

Monday–Friday	10am–8pm
Saturday	10am–4pm
Sunday	11am–5pm

Reservoir Library

23 Edwardes Street, Reservoir

Monday–Friday	10am–8pm
Saturday	10am–4pm
Sunday	1–5pm



Membership is free!

- » Join online or at the library
- » Bring current ID on your first visit
- » We'll make you a member and give you your free library card!



Darebin Libraries app

Access the library - anywhere, anytime!

You can:

- » Borrow and renew
- » Search the catalogue and reserve items
- » Link family members' accounts
- » Book for events
- » Discover the digital library
- » And much more!



Extra Access

- » Access Preston Library outside of standard opening hours
- » Conditions apply. Chat to a staff member for more information
- » Library staff are not on site during Extra Access hours



Books... and so much more

We have over 200,000 books, magazines, DVDs and CDs on our shelves. So much to choose from!

- » Borrow up to 40 at a time
- » Keep them for three weeks
- » Items are auto-renewed up to two times if they aren't reserved by another library member
- » Borrow thermal cameras and induction cooktops



Digital library

Discover a world of free digital library resources



eBooks



eAudiobooks



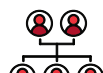
Film streaming



Learn a language



Newspapers and magazines



Explore local and family history



Technology and support

Use our computers and other technology...

- » Desktop computers and laptops
- » Accessibility computers with large screens and keyboards and height-adjustable desks
- » Gaming devices and games
- » Print, copy, scan

Or bring your own for

- » Free Wifi
- » Wireless printing

We're here to help!

- » Ask a team member for quick help with library technology
- » For a longer session, or help with your own device, book into Device Advice
- » Attend a digital support training program



Read, view or listen in your language

You can borrow items in these languages:

- » Arabic » Chinese » Greek » Hindi
- » Italian » Punjabi » Macedonian
- » Spanish » Vietnamese

More languages are available in our digital magazines and newspapers, DVDs and children's books.



Free events and programs

For all ages and in different languages

- » Workshops, author talks, cultural celebrations, film screenings and more
- » Regular events: Conversation Café, Book Nook, Storytimes, School Holiday Programs



Library spaces

You'll find spaces to work and study, connect to wifi, read and spend time with family or friends.

Meeting rooms for hire

- » Available at Preston and Northcote libraries

Free exhibition spaces

- » Artists, local community groups and schools can apply to exhibit at Northcote and Fairfield libraries

Accessibility

- » Read social stories and view maps of high and low sensory spaces to plan your visit. Earmuff kits are available for loan for people who are sensitive to noise

Quiet spaces

- » Available at Preston and Northcote libraries at set times