

Library Cards

Residents of the City of Blue Island

Patrons wishing to withdraw material must complete a library card application form and present two current proofs of identity and residence. One proof must be a picture ID.

Identification and verification of address must be current and verifiable. At least one of the following items is required:

Illinois State Driver's License

Illinois State Official Identification Card

Illinois Voter Registration Card

U.S. Passport

Permanent Resident Card

Work Permit Card for non-citizens, with a valid address

Utility Bill mailed within the previous 30 days: gas, water, telephone or electricity-made out to the individual.

Lease or rental agreement

Rent or house payment receipt

Home Ownership contract

Property Tax bill for the current year

Vehicle sticker receipt for the current year

School or college ID for the current year

Circulation staff may accept other identification as the second form if it is current and verifiable, such as a bank statement or a firearm license.

If applicant is under 18 years of age, signature of parent or guardian is also required, along with 1 proof of residence.

When a resident or other taxable property owner of Blue Island applies for a library card the Patron obtains a card for use at the Blue Island Public Library as well as any SWAN Library System member library.

Non-residents

Blue Island Public Library participates in the non-resident library card program according to 23 Ill. Adm. Code 3050 as adopted by the Joint Committee on Administrative Rules on April 10, 2002.

See Annual Ordinance for non-resident policy.