Tarrant County College Libraries
Circulation Guidelines

Valid Borrowers

**TCC Affiliated**
- The TCC ID card is also the library card and is required to check out library materials.
- There may be equipment or materials for which an additional photo is required. An additional agreement form may also be required for some equipment (e.g. laptops).
- Students’ accounts are active the first day of each semester.
- If proof of registration for the next semester is shown, borrowing privileges between semesters may be extended by overriding the expiration date in Alma.
- Current, full-time faculty/staff records do not expire.

**Courtesy and TexShare Borrowers**
- Residents of Tarrant County who are not affiliated with TCC may obtain a Courtesy Borrower Card by presenting a valid state or federally issued photo ID. A utility bill must accompany an out-of-state license.
  - *Texas Driver License (DL) or Identification (ID)*
  - *Certificate with photo, must be within two years of expiration date*
  - *Unexpired U.S. Passport book or Passport card*
  - *United States Citizenship Certificate or Certificate of Naturalization with identifiable photo (N-560,N-561, N-645, N-550, N-55G, N-570 or N-578)*
  - *Unexpired U.S. military ID card for active duty, reserve or retired personnel with identifiable photo*
  - *U.S. Citizen Identification Card (I-179 or I-197)*
- Courtesy borrowers who do not live in Tarrant County must present a TexShare card in addition to the above requirements.
- A Courtesy Borrower Card expires the first day of the semester following its issue.
- Courtesy Borrowers may use any TCC campus library.

**Loan Periods**
- Overdue notices are sent as a courtesy and failure to see it does not negate borrower’s responsibility.
- Loan periods are set by the individual campus libraries for various items, based on the needs of each campus.

**Responsibility**
- Borrowers are responsible for returning borrowed materials on the due dates.
- It is the responsibility of the borrower to monitor library transactions through the online catalog and to have a current email address on file.
- Books and A/V items may be returned to any campus library or TCC book drop.
• Specified items must be returned to the circulation desk of the library from which the item was originally borrowed.
• Borrowers are responsible for all materials checked out on their accounts, including liability for loss, theft, or damage and will be charged the replacement cost for any unreturned items.
• Failure to return materials or pay fees will result in the loss of library privileges and/or other appropriate actions including student record holds and/or legal remedies.

Stolen Items

• If an item belonging to the library is stolen from a borrower, the borrower should report the theft immediately to the library.
• The borrower is responsible for the replacement cost of the item in all circumstances.

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