

*Very helpful community resource. Always has the information I need or resourcefulness directing me where I need to go to get it! Love the children's programs and passport services.*

Amy

*(I love my library because...) I get lots of books and I love to read and my brother and I have bin going to story time since we where babies.*

Kayla, age 7

*Have always loved this library, even as a child. So happy this oasis of fun and information is still around for my children. The people are so helpful. One of Pottstown's best kept secrets for sure.*

Nathanial

The Pottstown Regional Public Library brings value to the community. More than books and banks of computers, it is a place where individuals gather to discover, explore, interact, and imagine. The Library is a community builder, a center of life-long learning, and a champion of youth. Rather than making library services obsolete, the onslaught of a technologically mediated life makes library services more important than ever. Our website is a virtual library with a rich array of free services available 24/7.

As construction comes to an end, we look forward to re-opening an enhanced and accessible facility for the benefit and enjoyment of our community. At the same time the Library is working to enhance the relevance and scope of our services, to serve the community with a clean, updated facility, cutting edge technology, a wide selection of current and relevant materials, early literacy classes, and workshops and events for all ages, a community center of information, technology, and learning that will fuel educational and economic opportunity.

Community support is vital to achieving this mission. An investment in the Library generates an excellent return. The audit for the 2015 fiscal year reported that 78% of total expenditures were spent for services to the public - your local dollar for the benefit of your community.

Thank you for investing in your community,

Susan Davis,  
Executive Director



Please Make Your Tax-Deductible Donation Payable to:  
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**2016 Annual Appeal**

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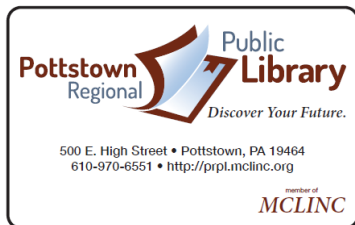
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## Available at Pottstown Regional Public Library:

- A collection of 90,000 books, magazines, audiobooks, music, movies and kits
- PLUS access to libraries in Montgomery County, across Pennsylvania and beyond.
- Classes and workshops for adults, children and teens
- Public computers, WiFi, wireless printing, fax, copy and print services
- Museum passes for Elmwood Zoo, Morris Arboretum, Reading Public Museum, Battleship New Jersey, and Boyertown Museum of Historic Vehicles
- Ancestry.com - genealogical research
- Foundation Directory - researching grant opportunities for non-profits
- Passport services

## Your Virtual Library 24/7:

- Online library catalog for searching, reserving, and renewing library materials
- Overdrive - e-books
- Zinio - digital magazines
- Mango - language learning
- Brainfuse - homework help and test preparation
- JobNow - resume and job search services
- Freegal - downloadable and streaming music and streaming video
- Reference USA - address and phone number directory
- Tumblebooks - animated read-along children's books
- Universal Class—instructor led online classes with course completion certificates

## Hours of Operation:

Monday through Wednesday	10 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Thursday and Friday	10 a.m. - 6 p.m.
Saturday	9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

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