

Accessing the Catalog

You can find the catalog at catalog.ocln.org. From here, you can search for titles, place holds, update your account, pay bills, and more.

Logging Into Your Account

You can log into your account from any page in the catalog.

1. Click **Sign In** in the top right.
2. Enter your full library card number without any spaces. Then enter your password.
3. Click to **Sign In**.

A Guide to Your OCLN Password

For users who registered for a library card prior to April 30, 2026:

- The default password is "OCLN" (case sensitive). Use this if you have never changed your password.
- If you changed your password prior to April 30, 2026, all letters in your password will be changed to UPPERCASE on April 30.
- You can change your password by logging into your account at ocln.org.

For users who registered for a library card on or after April 30, 2026:

- The default password is the last four digits of your phone number. Use this if you have never changed your password.

You can change your password by logging into your account at ocln.org.

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Navigating Your Account

From Your **Account Summary** page, you can view your due dates by clicking **Checked Out Titles**, manage your holds with **Titles on Hold**, view charges and pay any fines over \$0.50 by clicking **Charges**, and update your preferences with **Account Settings**. You can also create lists of titles with **My Lists** and view your **Reading History**.

Searching the Catalog

To search the catalog, enter your search term into the Search field. Optionally, select a search Type (e.g. Keyword, Title, etc). Click Search. Searches will default to a Keyword search across all of OCLN. These can be adjusted or filtered if you are having trouble finding what you want.

Placing a Hold

Through the catalog, titles from across all of OCLN can be requested for pickup at your local library. To do this, you will need to place a hold.

1. Search for the title you'd like to request.
2. Once you've found the title, click **Place Hold** next to the format you'd like to place on hold.
3. Confirm/choose the OCLN library at which you'd like to pick up the item.
4. Adjust your notification preferences* if desired. You can choose to be notified by email and/or text message. Some libraries may also call.
5. Click **Submit Hold Request** to place the hold.

*These preferences can also be adjusted in Your Account -> Account Settings -> Hold Notification Preferences.

Managing Your Holds

You can view items on hold by going to **Your Account -> Titles on Hold**. From here, you can check your status, suspend holds that you'd like later, or cancel holds that you no longer want.

eContent

Digital material from OverDrive and Libby are available directly in the catalog. From your Search Results, you can place holds and check out material with digital formats (like eBook). You can also manage your e-material from **Your Account**.

Saving Your Reading History

You have the option to keep a historical account of titles you've checked out. To protect your privacy, this option is disabled by default, unless you have already enabled it. If you'd like to enable your reading history, navigate to **Your Account -> Reading History**. Read the disclaimer, and continue by clicking *Start Recording My Reading History*.

You'll also see which titles you have already checked out when searching the catalog.

Note: *Reading History is not retroactive; only items checked out at the time of enabling the feature along with future checkouts will be listed in your history.*

Important: *If Reading History is ever disabled, your history will be lost with no way to restore it!*

Need Help?

If you have questions about OCLN or how to navigate the catalog, help articles can be found at ocln.org. You can also always ask your local librarian, and they will be happy to help!



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HOURS

Monday through Thursday
9:00 am - 9:00 pm

Friday and Saturday
9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Closed on major holidays.

Summer hours may vary.

See www.thayerpubliclibrary.org
for details.

CONTACT US:

781-848-0405



Old Colony Library Network

THE NETWORK BEHIND YOUR LIBRARY

The Old Colony Library Network is a group of 26 public libraries and 1 academic library located in south eastern Massachusetts.

OCLN provides our shared library patron catalog and select electronic databases, along with many other benefits to our member libraries and their patrons. As a result, our libraries are able to share resources such as books, movies, and eContent.

Our libraries also provide so much more – story hours, summer reading programs, streaming services like hoopla and Kanopy, museum and attraction passes, and reference materials to name a few.

Visit our libraries and their websites to check out all they have to offer.

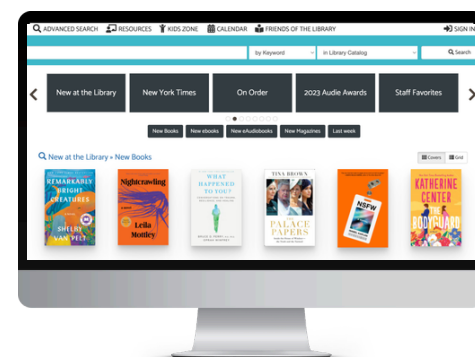


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