



Library Services and Borrowing FAQ's

1. What shall I do with my books and loan items if you're closing?

If you are wondering what to do with your currently borrowed items, you have a few easy options:

- **Return them to us in person by 1:00pm on Saturday, 14 June**
- **Use our returns chute until Friday, 11 July** (after that, it will be sealed)
- **Drop off at any other Top End library**
- Or simply **hold onto them** until we reopen at **Coolalinga in early August**

2. Can I borrow items during the closure?

Absolutely! You can borrow right up until we close on **Saturday, 14 June (10:00am–1:00pm)**—with **no due date limits** until we reopen in **early August**. Stock up on books, audiobooks, magazines and DVDs for the school holidays!

When you're done, you can:

- **Hold onto items** until we reopen at Coolalinga
- **Use our returns chute until Friday, 11 July**
- **Return items to any other Top End library**

Missed our closure? No worries! Your current library card works at all Top End libraries—so you can keep reading, learning, and exploring without missing a beat.

If you want to continue borrowing electronic and audio items, access to **BorrowBox** is part of your library membership benefits. See our **BorrowBox FAQ's** below or **ask the friendly library team** for details or assistance to set up.

3. What is BorrowBox and how can I use it?

BorrowBox is a **digital library service** that allows you to borrow **e-books, e-audiobooks and e-magazines or newspapers** for FREE using your library membership.

How long can I borrow e-books and audiobooks on BorrowBox?

You can borrow up to **10 digital items** for **14 days**, with the option to **renew for another 14 days** unless manually returned.

How do I access BorrowBox?

You can download the **BorrowBox app** on your **smartphone, tablet, or computer**, log in with your **library card barcode**, and start borrowing. Go to your app store, download the app and use your membership number to set up your account. Call the library on 8988 1200 if you have any problem logging in.

4. What if I still need an inter-library loan from another library?

You can request items right up until we close! To make sure your book arrives in time, pop in or give us a call as soon as possible. The final courier from other Top End libraries will run on **Thursday, 12 June**.

After we close at **1:00pm on Saturday, 14 June**, we won't be able to receive items until we reopen at our new **Coolalinga Central** location.

In the meantime, feel free to visit **City of Palmerston** or **City of Darwin** libraries—your current library card works at all Top End libraries!

5. What will happen to my favourite library programs during the move?

Good news. Our popular library holiday program will go ahead, as well as most of our regular community programs. The team have been busy organising activities to be held at alternative locations – you will find us across the municipality during the transition to our new space (which offers great new spaces for programs - just saying 😊). See Facebook, Eventbrite or Litchfield Council's website for flyers and further details of activities running during closure... What, When and Where. We got you!

- *Library School Holiday flyer*
- *Library Programs During Relocation flyer*

6. When is the new library at Coolalinga Central due to open?

The library team are excitedly getting everything ready to move and plans in place for your new community library to open in **early August 2025**.

Want to see the key dates? Check out our presentation on the **Litchfield Council website** here:

<https://litchfield.nt.gov.au/your-council/news/2025/community-library-update>

7. Where can we find updates about the move?

Keep eye out for more updates as they become available on the **Litchfield Council website** here:

<https://litchfield.nt.gov.au/your-council/news/2025/community-library-update>

and **Library Facebook page** here:

<https://www.facebook.com/TaminminCommunityLibrary/>