

**We are really looking forward to welcoming you to our library here in Bray**  
**To help you plan your first visit, here are a few things you need to know:**

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### **What should I bring?**

For Adults: Please bring some photo ID and proof of your address, such as a bill or official letter.  
For Kids, bring an adult with a library card (if the adult needs to join too, see above)

You can also register to join online before you arrive. Go to this link: <https://lgma.iii.com/selfreg> and complete the details. Once the form is filled you are given a number which you bring to the branch and from that we create the account and library card.

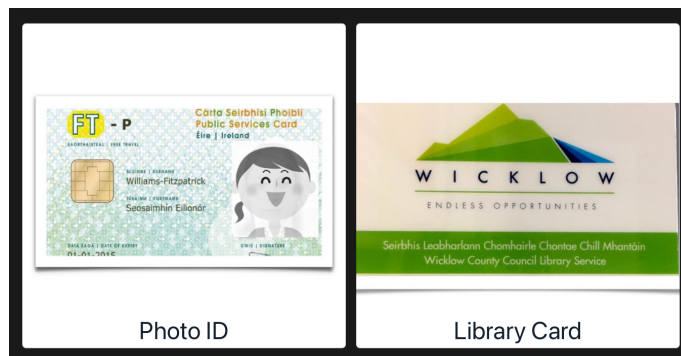


Photo ID

Library Card

Your library card will have a number and a PIN for using the library computers, Apps and tablets. You can also use it at the self service check out and with the online catalogue. Either way, it does not take long and we are happy to help. You can borrow on your first visit so be sure to bring your **library bag** to bring your books home.

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### **What else do I need to know?**

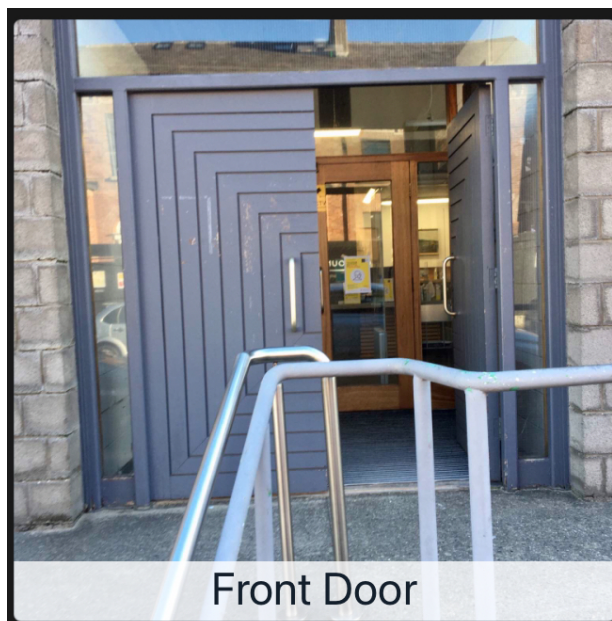
- You can borrow up to 12 items, including books
- You can keep your borrowed books for up to three weeks and can renew them twice if no one else is waiting for them

## Visiting Bray Library

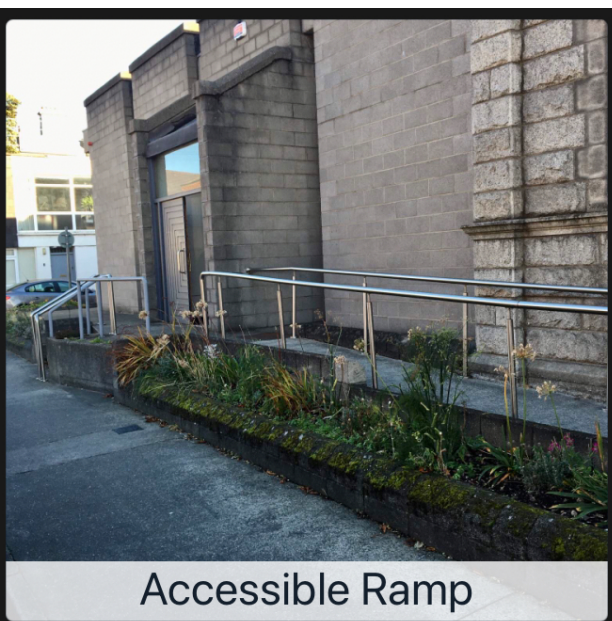
Bray Library is close to the DART station, a 5 minute walk.

There is a bus stop on Florence Road next to the branch and the buses are the 145, 184, 84 and Finnegan's buses also service areas of Bray. See <https://www.finnegan-bray.ie/scheduled-services/timetable>

The parking is pay and display on-street parking. We have an accessible entry on the street with a ramp and automatic door.



Front Door



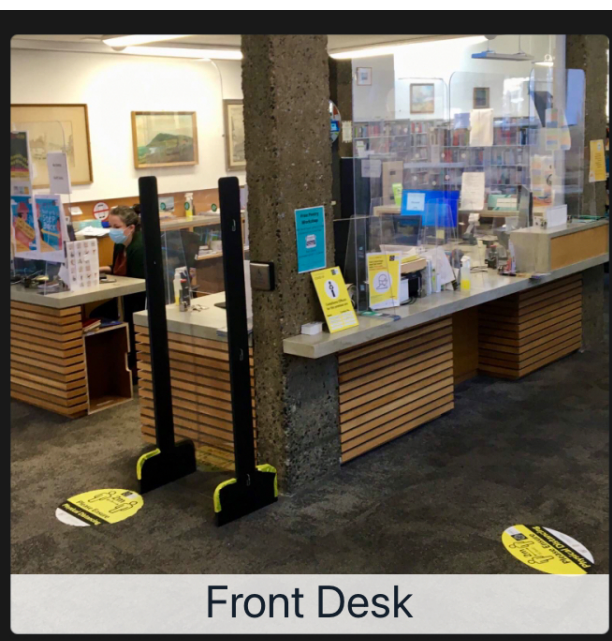
Accessible Ramp

Once inside you will see the hand sanitiser which we ask you to use. Please also wear a mask.

Then you will see the front desk where you can check your membership card is active.



Hand Sanitiser



Front Desk

## Then it's time to go find a book!

We have books for everyone, from Junior fiction to Picture books and board books.



You can choose some to bring home, or sit down and have a read for a while.

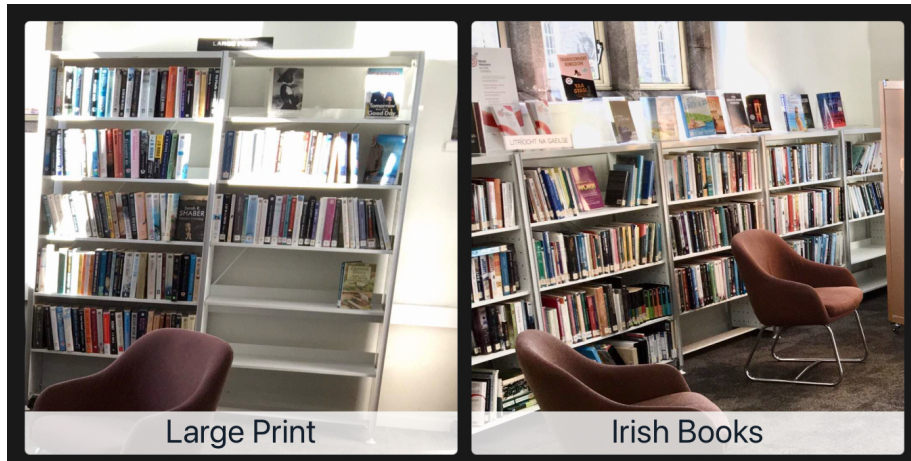


You will also find a great selection of DVDs, CDs and if you prefer to listen; Audio books to borrow.



## Non fiction and Reference section.

If you like research we have a very large non fiction and reference section with lots of books about gardening, DIY, cooking, arts, plays and poetry, biographies and history. There is also a great selection of graphic novels, large print books, foreign language books and Irish books.

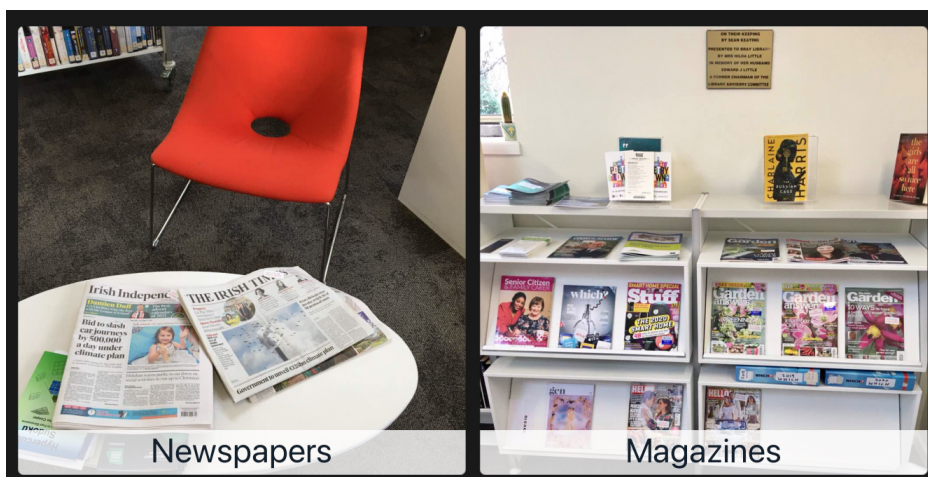


For a longer read you can of course check out the Young Adult and Adult Fiction areas. If there is a particular author you like but cannot find, be sure to come back to the desk and ask! We love helping you find your favourite book.



## Newspapers and Magazines:

We also have a section here where you are welcome to sit down and flick through an actual newspaper or magazine. (Rather than an online one!)



## Study Areas

There are a number of quiet areas where you are able to study. We need to ensure safe spacing, so please come to the desk and let us know before you take a seat. You can also share a desk with a colleague if you are working on something together.



Study area



Junior Seating

## Technology in the Library

We have 6 Samsung tablets that you can borrow to use in the library. Access by scanning your library card or enter the card and number and PIN. You can then use them for 2 hours in the library.



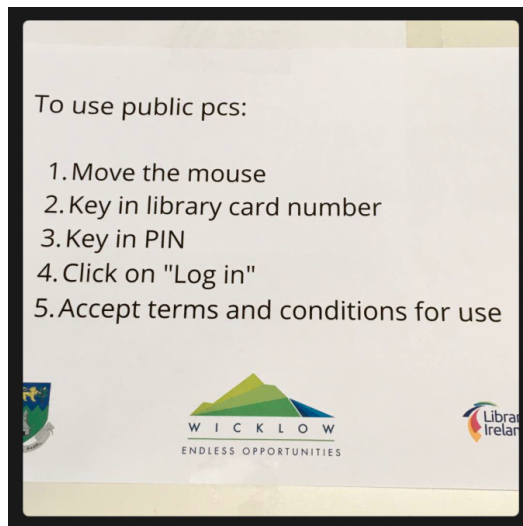
Tablet Hub



Card Scan

## Public PCs

We have 6 desk top computers that can be used by the public, just by using your library card and PIN number.

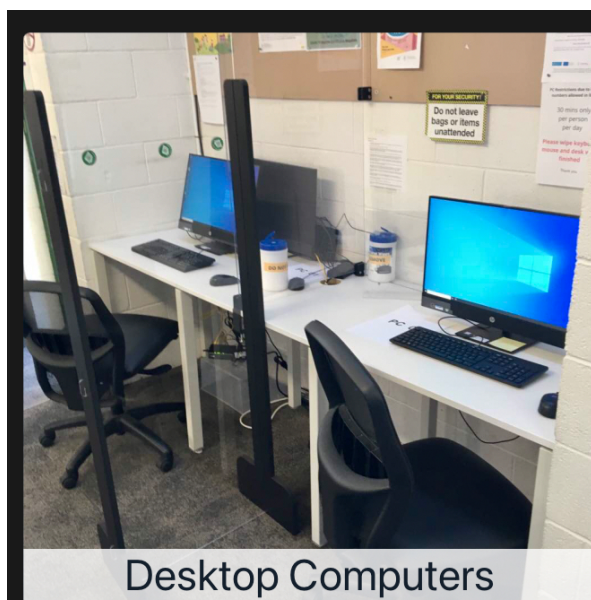


If you don't have that with you, go to the desk where we will book you on to the computer. You will need photo ID to do that.

- Under 12: access is supervised by a parent/guardian
- 12-15: unsupervised is a parent/guardian has signed a consent form
- 16 and over: access allowed

You can use them for 50 minute sessions but longer is allowed is computers are free.

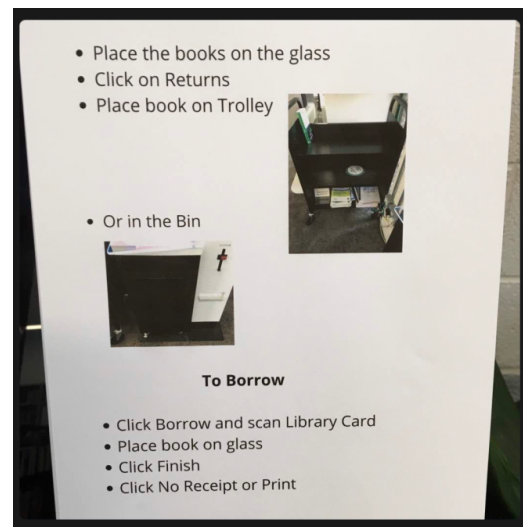
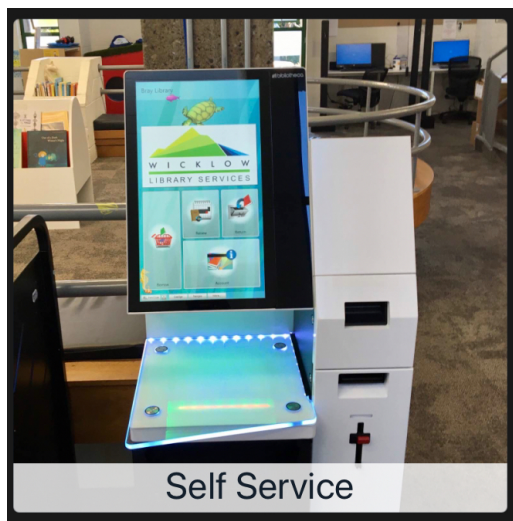
We also have a printer, scanner and photo copier that you can access independently. All the instructions are beside the machines. You can pay for printing and copying at the machine beside the copier. There is a step by step guide but staff are always happy to assist so please ask!



## Checking out:

We have a self service check out machine where you can return, borrow or renew your books using the touch screen. You can also look at your account to see what you already have out.

Beside the machine you will find a trolley for returning your books from our library, or if they were from another library, there is a bin underneath the machine



## Books ordered in:

There is a stand nearby where you will find books that have been ordered in. You will receive a text or email when your book arrives, and it will be here with your name on it. You can collect it and check it out yourself using the self service machine, or go across to the desk where one of the staff will help you.

**Remember, while we welcome you to use the self service section, we are always happy to help out. Just Ask!**

