

Salford Libraries: FAQs

Do I need to make an appointment to use the library?

No, there is no longer a need for this, except for family book browsing at Broughton Library on Fridays, where it remains necessary to limit numbers to ensure safe social distancing. Just phone 0161 686 5405 to make an appointment.

Will I have to wear a mask and sanitise my hands before I come in?

For your own safety and that of other customers and staff, we ask that you choose to wear a face covering, in addition to sanitising your hands and exercising social distancing.

Are there limits to the time I can spend in the library?

In the main, there are no limits.

Can I read or study in the library?

Yes.

How many times can I visit per day?

As many times as you like.

How long can I use a PC?

Initially for 1 hour, longer if no-one else is waiting to use one.

Can unaccompanied children visit the library?

Children aged 8 and over can visit unaccompanied. Those under 8 must be accompanied by a responsible person aged 16 or over.

Will staff be able to help me?

Staff will assist you as much as possible but will still be limited by social distancing requirements.

Will I have to leave my details for Track and Trace?

We will have details of PC users through our booking system and other customers will be encouraged to use the NHS QR code or leave handwritten details for potential use with NHS Track and Trace.

Remember, if you are unable to get to a library, you can still access some of our other library services including [Books@Home](#) and [BorrowBox](#).

