Your Library: A Virtual Class Visit

Presented by Santa Cruz Public Libraries
We have 10 locations and they all belong to you!

For real?
Yes, it’s true!
Although we can't be inside the library right now, there are an incredible amount of things you can do at the virtual library.

• Request holds on physical items and pick them up with curbside delivery
• Get homework help
• Do research using our databases
• Check out eBooks, eAudiobooks, movies, music, and more
• Enjoy programs made just for you
• Hang out on our Teens Page
Check out our Teen Page!
We have so many wonderful resources to help you!

- Health & Coronavirus info
- Self-help
- Homework help
- Practice tests
- Virtual library events
- Just for fun!
All of this is available with your free library card!
All you need to do to get a virtual library card is:

1. Go to our website http://www.santacruzpl.org

2. Check out the "Get a Library Card" feature at the top of the page.
Here's where you can start:

**SANTA CRUZ PUBLIC LIBRARIES**

- **Locations & Hours**
- **Calendar**
- **Get a Library Card**
- **Ask List**
- **My Account**

- **Download/Stream**
- **Books & More**
- **Research**
- **Local Information**
- **Kids**
- **Teens**
- **Services**

**Curbside Pickup & Returns** You can now pick up requested items and drop off returns—limited hours and locations. [See details]

**Contact Us**
- SCPL staff available Mon-Sat 10am-5pm & Sun 1-5pm
- Email Us
- Phone 831.427.7713
- Text 831.264.0647
- Chat
- Library Services FAQs

**Curbside Pickups**

**Summer Reading!**

**Auto-Renewal**

Santa Cruz Public Libraries will begin Auto-Renewal of items. Eligible items will renew...
We even have a video tutorial to show you how!
What if I forget my library card’s password?
We can help!

- You can call: (831) 427-7713
- Text: (831) 264-0647
- You can use chat by clicking on “Chat” under “Contact Us” on the library homepage,
  www.santacruzpl.org
Use your library card to get homework help

- **BrainFuse** offers free, online tutoring services and more
- **Kahn Academy** gets you free access to classes on an incredible range of subjects from Animation through World History and so much more
- **HippoCampus** provides free educational resources for middle school all the way through college
Watch movies
...and more!

If you enjoy streaming movies and TV, Kanopy and Hoopla are some of the best choices, and it’s free with your library card. Check out our Download/Stream page for more options!
Do your Research!

Whether you are looking for information on current events, finding a biography, or practice tests, we’ve got you covered!

Check out our Research page for amazing, free eResources.
Great eResources for High Schoolers

We even made it super easy to find what you need!

**High School**

- **Biography in Context** Covering a vast array of people from historically significant figures to present-day newsmakers.

- **Brainfuse HelpNow** Offering free academic help at all levels, Brainfuse has live online tutoring in elementary, middle school, high school, college, and adult education. SAT, ACT, GED, and Citizenship test help is also available. Writing a paper? Send your paper to a tutor and receive a response within 24 hours. Job seekers can also get resume and job finding assistance in the Adult Learning Center. Maestros en español disponible.

- **California Driving Permit Test** In partnership with Driving-Tests.org, the Santa Cruz Public Libraries is proud to offer FREE California Driver Permit practice tests. The tests cover both automobile and motorcycle, and the site contains the Driver Handbook for each.

- **Ed Ready** EdReady™ lets you assess your readiness for college math, see study options, and get a personalized study path to fill in knowledge gaps.

- **Explora for High School Students** With Explora, you will discover reliable information on thousands of topics covering a wide range of subjects including art and music, literature, language arts, geography, history, social studies, world cultures and languages, science, technology, engineering, mathematics, health and sports.

- **Global Issues in Context** Information on international issues.

- **GreenFile** Information on environmental concerns.

- **HippoCampus** HippoCampus.org is a free, core academic web site that delivers rich multimedia content--videos, animations, and simulations--on general education subjects to middle-school and high-school teachers and college professors, and their students, free of charge. Part of the NROC Project.

- **Opposing Viewpoints in Context** Perspectives on current social issues.
Tell your teachers... we have resources just for them, too.

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Teacher Resources</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td><strong>Explora for Teachers</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>NovelList K-8</strong></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td><strong>USGS Education</strong></td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Find your next favorite book

NoveList is a powerful tool that can help you find a book that you will love!

Search by

- Age
- Fiction/Non-Fiction
- Genre
- Format
- Current Favorites… and more!

There are so many ways to find the perfect book for you!
How can I get involved at the library, now?
Become a Volunteer

You can participate in...

- Leadership Skill-Building
- Exploring Your Passions
- Giving Back to Your Community
- Making New Friends

You must be 14 years of age or older or be accompanied by your parent or guardian. Most volunteer opportunities require a minimum commitment of 4 months.

Even though we are at home, there are still opportunities to volunteer!

volunteer@santacruzpl.org
For more information about the virtual library, contact k12@santacruzpl.org