

I am going to the library



Before I go to the library

I am going to Mountmellick Library

If I am nervous about going I can talk
to someone and ask questions first.
I can call 057 8644572
I can ask for a tour of the library.



About the library

There are people who work at the library who I can talk to



The library is usually a quiet place where people talk quietly, relax and read .



Sometimes it might be noisy.
If it is noisy I can talk to a librarian



How I become a member of the library

When I get to the library I will see a desk



I will talk to someone who works there about becoming a member of the library

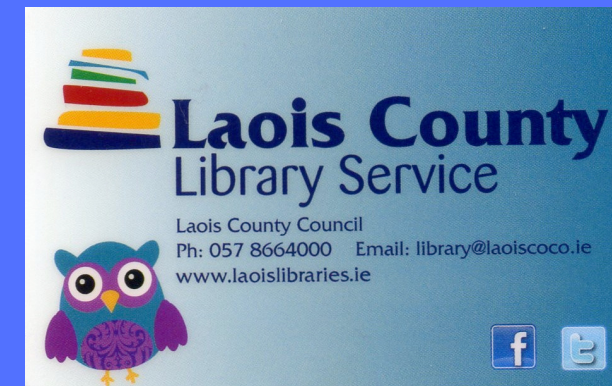


The grown up who is minding me will fill out a form with my name and address. They will need to bring some identification and proof of address with them



The application form includes the Laois County Library Service logo and a purple owl illustration. It contains the following fields: "Name:", "Address:", "School:", "D.O.B:", "Parent/Guardian Signature:", "Address:", "Phone:", "Mobile (Parent):", and "Name: *Enaith*". There are checkboxes for "ID provided" (Yes/No) and "Please tick box if you wish to avail of this service:". A disclaimer at the bottom states: "Laois County Library Service send overdue notices and other library information by text message." and "I hereby undertake to replace or pay the value of any item belonging to the Laois County Library Service which is lost or damaged by my child. I agree that the supervision of my child is my responsibility."

I will be given my own library card



When I visit the library

In the library there will be shelves of books,
and DVDs



I can sit in a chair to read a book



I can play with the toys in the library



I can borrow a book or DVD and take it home with me.

The toys stay in the library so that I can play with them the next time I visit



Borrowing books and DVDs

If I want to borrow a book I will talk to a member of the library staff



The staff will show me how to borrow the book or DVD and tell me when I need to bring it back to the library



Computers

The library will also have some computers

To use the computers I will have to have permission from the grown up who is minding me.

To use the computer I must speak to a member of staff.



What if I need the toilet ?

There are toilets that I can use in the library.

I can ask a member of staff to show me where they are.



Leaving the library

When it is time to go I will leave the library through this door

