Home Library Delivery for South Hadley Residents

The Gaylord Memorial Library runs the home delivery service to help patrons in our community who would like to borrow items, but are not able to get to the library due to health or transportation issues.

If you are interested in this service, please print and fill out the form on pages 3-4, then mail it to: Gaylord Memorial Library, 47 College Street, South Hadley, MA 01075. Once your application has been received, a staff member will contact you.

What is Home Delivery?

The home delivery service allows patrons to have materials selected and delivered. Recipients must be home or have a household member available to receive the delivery at the scheduled date/time. Deliveries to apartments can be left at the front desk. If no one is home, the items will not be left and the delivery will need to be rescheduled.

Who is eligible for the delivery service?

Home delivery is available to South Hadley residents who have health or transportation issues that keep them from the library. You must also have an active library card, if you need one or aren’t sure of the account number, we can help you.

What types of materials can be borrowed?

Any item that can be checked out from the Gaylord Memorial Library or South Hadley Public Library can be delivered, these include:

- Books, large and regular print
- Audio Books
- Magazines
- Movies on DVD/Blu-ray
- Music CDs
- Items such as Gaylord’s ukulele or SHPL’s telescope
- Items from other libraries (CWMARS, Commonwealth Catalog, or ILL), although these will take a longer time to arrive
When can I expect delivery to my home?

Deliveries are usually made on Fridays between 1pm and 3pm. Once your application has been received, library staff will contact you to let you know when you can expect your first delivery.

Who should I contact with questions or concerns?

The Gaylord Memorial Library staff is available via phone Thursday-Saturday at 413-538-5047. You may leave a message at that number at any time or you may email Sarah Courtney, Adult Services Librarian at sgcourtney@cwmars.org.
Home Delivery Application Form

First Name: ___________________________   Last Name: ________________________________

Street Address: ___________________________________________________________________

Phone: ___________________________   Email: _____________________________________

Preferred method of contact: [ ] phone   [ ] text   [ ] email   [ ] no preference

Library Card Number (if unknown, leave blank): ________________________________

Personalized Reading Profile (Select all that apply)

[ ] Adult
[ ] Childrens
[ ] Young Adult (YA)

[ ] Fiction
  [ ] Novels
  [ ] Mysteries
  [ ] Thrillers
  [ ] Science Fiction
  [ ] Romance
  [ ] Short Stories
  [ ] Fantasy
  [ ] Literary/International
  [ ] Contemporary
  [ ] Historical
  [ ] Graphic Novels

[ ] Non-fiction
  [ ] Biography or Memoir
  [ ] Humor
  [ ] Science and Nature
  [ ] Poetry
  [ ] Health
  [ ] History
  [ ] Music
  [ ] Art
  [ ] Gardening/Do It Yourself
  [ ] Social Justice
  [ ] Essays
  [ ] Sports
  [ ] Religion
  [ ] Philosophy
  [ ] Travel
  [ ] Cooking

Other library materials:

[ ] Audio Books
[ ] Large Print
[ ] Magazines
[ ] Movies (DVD)
[ ] Movies (Blu-ray)
[ ] Music (CDs)

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Do you have a favorite author? Or examples of favorite books that may be like what you’re looking for?
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What are you in the mood to read next?
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Anything else we should consider? Setting? Length? Format?
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Anything you’d like to avoid?
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