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Libraries That Lend Things

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What we’ll cover:

- Where to start
- AADL’s current collections
- Audience
- Collaboration with community organizations
- How to start an unusual collection at your library
Where to start.
But we’re already lending things!
Books were once unusual objects.
Why lend other things?

A natural extension of the core mission of libraries:

- reduce barriers to access
- increase access to rare and hard-to-find objects
What are other libraries lending?
Institute of Making at University College London

the Materials Library — that contains over 1,500 of the most extraordinary materials on earth.
Human Library in Copenhagen, Denmark
Libraryfarm
Cicero, New York
you can start small.
Where we started:

Energy Meters (2005)
aadl.org/hometools

Art Prints (40+ years)
aadl.org/artprints
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Telescopes

aadl’s current collections
Science Tools help you explore the world around you in fun and creative ways. Get an up close look and discover secret details invisible to the human eye with a powerful stereomicroscope, or go mobile in the field with a digital pocket microscope and see what you can turn up under logs and in puddles; devise experiments with a variety of handheld meters for measuring ultraviolet light, electromagnetic fields, sound, radio frequency microwaves and environmental quality; and gaze into the cosmos with a Dobsonian telescope. Watch this page for new items.
Science Tools
aadl.org/sciencetools

- Discovery Tubes: Colors and Liquids
- Birdsong Scanning Wand
- Sabertooth Cat
- Prehistoric Mammals
- Digital Oscilloscope
- Arduino Starter Kit
- Makey Makey
- The Finch
About Music Tools

AADL’s Music Tools collection offers you a chance to get your hands on some very uncommon, unusual, and fun musical instruments! The AADL Music Tools collection features musical gear that you can check out from the Library, from such noted manufacturers as Moog, Korg, Maywa Denki, Bleep Labs, Chamber of Sounds, Critter & Guitari and more!

For now, Music Tools are not renewable, and not requestable. You can find them at the downtown library and they check out for one week. As the collection grows, new ways to borrow will be coming!
Music Tools
aadl.org/musictools
Music Tools
aadl.org/musictools
Art Tools
aadl.org/arttools

- Wacom Intuos pen & touch medium tablet
- Wacom Intuos Pro pen & touch large tablet
- Wacom Cintiq 13HD Pen Tablet
- Spinning Wheel
- Sewing Machine
- Yarn Swift and Ball Winder
Big Shot Die Cutter -- Animals

There are no copies available and 17 requests on 2 copies

Where To Find It

Call number: Art Tools, Up For Grabs

→ Show All Copies (2)

Preview

Language: English
Format: Tools

Recently Listed On

DIY
May School Visits 2015 - Evelyn / Grades 6-8
May School Visits 2015 - Evelyn / Grades K-2
May School Visits 2015 - Laura / Grades K-2
May School Visits 2015 - Evelyn / Grades 3-5
Wishlist
Checkout History

Tags

patterns sizzix

Login to add tags

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Home Tools
aadl.org/hometools

- Thermal Camera
- Video Borescope
- Portable Scanner
- Energy meter
- Indoor Air Quality Meter
- Thermal Leak Detector
- Scan Gauge 2
- Goal Zero Solar Pack
- Mercury 27W Solar Power Pack
- Infrared Thermometer
Games
aadl.org/games

Kubb
Molkky
Giant Tumble Tower
Skittles
Air Scoop Ball
Miniature Ping Pong Table
Two-Way Radios
Mach Lite Portable Disc Golf Basket
Giant Dominos
Marble Bowl
Audience
Your audience is your community.
Start a conversation.

- email
- social media
- contact us forms
- at the reference desk
- at events
- contact organizations in your community with similar interests
By using the form below, your suggestion, question or feedback will automatically be directed to the appropriate department.

Or if you prefer, please feel free to call us using one of the following numbers:

All library facilities can be reached by phone through the main switchboard: (734) 327-4206

Our mailing address is: 343 South Fifth Avenue, Ann Arbor, MI 48104

Material requests and renewals: (734) 327-4219
Reference desk: (734) 327-4525
Washburne Library for the Blind and Physically Disabled: (734) 327-4224
Human Resources: (734) 327-8304
Community Relations (programs and events): (734) 327-4265
Administration, Josie Parker, Library Director: (734) 327-4263, or parkerj@aad.org

Your Full Name:

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Comment Type:

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Suggest Category:

Tools & New Collections

please help us route your suggestion

Comment/Message:

Write your message

Send Comment
laurbits Playing with the AADL's 13HD cintiq!!
Start small to test the audience interest.
Progression from general collections (accessible to all) to tools requiring specialized knowledge.
Patron Uses:

Dave Menzo
Musician Dave Menzo explored an exciting concept for his new album “Shhh...”. Every instrument played on the album came from AADL’s Music Tools collection! This unusual collection allows Library cardholders to check out drum machines, synthesizers, guitar pedals, and other instruments.
Mini cintiq party courtesy of @aadl_tools.
Events:

MINIMOOGFEST! Today at the downtown library! Live music, Theremins, guitar pedals, 450 #summergame points til 4pm!
Electronic Music Production with Mike Huckaby
(weekly workshops at aadl)
Telescope Modifications Event
Telescope Launch Event
Mini Maker Faire
Collaborations with community organizations
Telescopes

Started in 2009 with a dozen.
Now circulating 30.
Music tools in the classroom

Collaboration with Tappan Middle School’s music program and orchestra teacher Joe DeMarsh
Summer Day Camp Kits
Ann Arbor Film Festival’s Expanding Frames
How to start a collection at your library?
Planning

- Selection?
- Policy?
- Budget?
- Where will the collection live?
- Cataloging?
- How to handle circulation?
- Maintenance?
- Repairs?
- Staff time?
Nontraditional Selection Trifecta:

- Short-Term Use
- Infrequent Need
- Relatively Expensive
Circulation Policies at the Ann Arbor District Library

Issuance of Library Cards
Application for a new library card may be made at any public service desk of the Ann Arbor District Library.

Persons Under 18 Years of Age
Must have application signed by parent or an adult acting "in loco parentis" for the minor.

A library card may be issued to anyone (babies included) regardless of age.

The person who signs the library card application for a child under the age of 18 years is responsible for any outstanding fines, fees or overdue materials on the child's library card.

Individual Library Cards Issued for no fee
To borrow materials from the Library without paying the non-resident fee, users will be required to prove they qualify for one of the categories listed below. Procedures for such proof are developed by the Circulation Department and approved by the Director.

Residents
Patrons who live within the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries are eligible for a library card for no fee.

Non-Resident Property Owners or Renters
Property owners or renters (and their families) who do not reside within the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries, but who own or rent property within the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries, are eligible for a library card for no fee.

Families include persons living at the same address.

Resident Business Library Cards
Businesses or non-profit organizations located within the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries are eligible for library cards for no fee. Any W-2 employee of such a business or non-profit organization may use the resident business library card for no fee.

Non-Resident Retired Employee
A retired employee of the Ann Arbor District Library or its predecessor the Ann Arbor Public Library, as verified by the District Library's Human Resources office, is eligible for a library card for no fee. (*Retiree* includes all former W-2 employees of the Library as defined in this section who did not separate from employment with the Library prior to retirement.)

K-12 Instructional Staff and Students
Non-resident instructional staff and students of state approved schools serving students in grades K-12 located within Ann Arbor District Library boundaries are eligible for a library card for no fee.

Washtenaw Library for the Blind and Physically Disabled @ AADL Patrons and their Families
The fee for a non-resident card will be waived for individual non-residents who qualify for services through the Washtenaw Library for the Blind and Physically Disabled @ AADL and their families. All circulation policies will apply to this non-resident card including, but not limited to, issuance of cards, collection of fines, circulation of materials, renewal of materials, and lost materials.

Families include persons living at the same address.

Tutor Cards
Any non-resident tutor who brings a letter from a licensed non-profit tutoring organization may be issued a library card for no fee.

Temporary Residents
Residents who are living at hotels, shelters, or other residences within the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries and/or are waiting until new homes in the Ann Arbor District Library boundaries are ready for occupancy are eligible for a temporary library card for no fee.
Shelving
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Where To Find It

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Documentation

View Instructions (PDF)
Circulation / Maintenance / Repairs
Thank You!

Have more questions? Please feel free to contact us.

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