

Cobb County Public Library System

Dear Parents and Guardians:

The **Cobb County Public Library** is excited to introduce the **Library PASS** (**P**ublic library **A**ccess for **S**tudent **S**uccess) Program for ALL students in Marietta City and Cobb County Schools!



What is the Library PASS Program? The Library PASS Program enables students to use their Student ID to access the public library's digital resources and check out resources at the library. This program reduces barriers and increases access to library resources for increased student success. The partnership enables libraries and schools to work together to positively impact literacy in Cobb County.

Important things to know:

- The **Library PASS** gives students access to books, digital resources, including homework-help databases, as well as internet access at **all of our sixteen library branches**.
- Overdue fines **do not** accrue on Library PASS accounts. Students will be responsible for lost materials.
- A student's PIN number is their four digit birth month and day. Example: If the student's birthday is February 4th, their PIN number would be 0204.
- Students may be encouraged to use Public Library Resources to complete assignments. Our online resources are accessible anywhere you have internet access, including public libraries and schools.
- Students may access the internet in Cobb County Public Library branches using their Library PASS account. Student internet access is filtered for safe browsing. You may opt to prevent your child from having internet access at the public library by marking the selection "**NOT have internet access**" on the following opt-out form.
- If you **DO NOT** want your child to participate in this free program, return the following Opt Out form to your local library, email us at contactus@cobbcat.org, or call us at (770) 528 - 2326. *Note: Parents choosing to completely opt-out their child from the program may impact their child's ability to complete certain homework assignments.*
- For Frequently Asked Questions and more information, please visit www.cobbcat.org/librarypass.

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The Library PASS Parent Opt-Out Form



If you would like your child to participate in Library PASS in the 2017- 2018 academic year, then you **DO NOT** need to fill out this form. Your child will automatically be enrolled.

Please check this box if you do **NOT** want your child to have a Library PASS account*

Please check this box if you would like your child to participate in the Library PASS program but **NOT have internet access** in the Public Library

Child's Name (Please Print)

School Name

Grade

Student ID Number

Parent or Guardian Name (Print)

Phone Number

By signing below, I understand that I am limiting my child's access to free public library resources.

**Note: Students may be encouraged to use Public Library resources to complete assignments to support learning and promote academic success.*

Parent or Guardian Signature

Date



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