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# Library service costs and charges

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Blackpool Council **does not** fine customers for late items. All historical fines will also be wiped.

Description	Cost
Reservation charges for books in stock in Blackpool	Free
Reservation charges for books borrowed from North West or UK Libraries	£6 per item
Reservation charges for books borrowed from British Library	£12 per item
Replacement library membership card	Free
Visitor charges use of IT services per day	£2.50 for daily PC time allowance
Loan of adult sound recordings	50p per item for 3 week loan
Photocopying and printing A4 black and white	10p per copy
Photocopying and printing A3 black and white	20p per copy
Photocopying and printing A4 colour	30p per copy
Photocopying and printing A3 colour	50p per copy
Scanning	20p per document
Compensation for lost or damaged stock	Replacement cost
Drama sets hire	£15 per item
Orchestra sets hire	£45 per item
Vocal sets hire	£45 per item
Room hire large meeting rooms	£60 per hour
	£100 per half day
	£175 per day
Room hire small meeting rooms	£35 per hour
	£55 per half day
	£85 per day

## Exemptions

Library member	Exemptions
Under 16s	Exempt from reservations and sound recordings charges
Individuals in receipt of personal independence payments	Exempt from reservations costs
At home library service customers	Exempt from reservations and sound recordings charges
Visually impaired customers	Exempt from sound recordings charges

Please advise staff if you qualify for any of the exemptions listed above.

You may be asked to provide proof of entitlement.

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