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## Learning

Whatever your age or interests your local library is a fantastic place for you to visit to learn and discover new things.

There are various courses available in libraries, find out about the [courses run by Adult and Family Learning](#).

Link	Description
<a href="#">Access to Research</a>	Discover a world of published academic articles and journals on a wide range of subjects.
<a href="#">British Library</a>	Workshops, activities and resources for schools, teachers and learners of all ages.
<a href="#">Learn My Way</a>	Free online courses for beginners, helping you develop digital skills to make the most of the online world.
<a href="#">Digital Unite</a>	Digital skills training and support for aspiring and experienced Digital Champions.

## Family history

You can trace your family tree at your local library.

Link	Description
<a href="#">Ancestry</a>	Discover your family history and build a family tree with the world's largest genealogy website.

## General information

You can access the following resources at your local library, at home, at work or on the move, 24/7.

Link	Description
<a href="#">Credo reference</a>	Online reference collection providing access to research information and resources.
<a href="#">Newsbank</a>	News database resource which provides archives of media publications.
<a href="#">World Book</a>	Online encyclopedia learning tool for all ages including Early world of learning and Discover.

## Business information

The library provides support and information for new and established businesses.

Link	Description
<a href="#">Ask About Business</a>	Online support and information for pre-start and new businesses, job seekers, consumers, inventors and business students.
<a href="#">Blackpool Unlimited</a>	A central gateway for local businesses offering business support and information.
<a href="#">COBRA - Complete Business Reference Advisor</a>	Find all the information you need to turn your idea into a business.
<a href="#">Frost &amp; Sullivan</a>	Information and business growth. Available at Central Library only.
<a href="#">GRANTFinder</a>	Find finance and funding for your UK business.
<a href="#">Mintel</a>	In-depth market analysis and consumer opinions that tell you what you need to know about brands, companies, and consumers. Available at Central Library only.
<a href="#">Statista</a>	Business data platform, includes statistics and market reports. Available at Central Library only.

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