

Roxbury Branch Library

Opening Fall 2020

Children's Librarian
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Hello Teachers, Parents and Community Members,



The Roxbury Branch of the Boston Public Library is scheduled to open Fall 2020, stay tuned for the date of our grand openings, online and in person. I am currently reaching out to Nubian Square area schools and organizations to introduce myself and give you information about the services we provide. See the library website for even more services at www.bpl.org.

- **CHILDREN'S AMNESTY** – The BPL no longer issues fines for children. Currently, any lost books must be replaced or paid for but all children's fines before January 1 are forgiven. **Due to Covid 19 closures, no fines are currently being issued to any library users.**
- **BOOK HOLDS & PICKUP** – Electronic books, magazines, music, DVD's and more, may be checked out online. You can also browse our collections online and request the hardcopies for pick-up (TBA for Roxbury Branch) at your local branch.
- **LIBRARY CARD SIGN-UP** – You can forward library card applications or information to pharris@bpl.org and we will drop-off at your location, new cards for students, teachers and parents.
- **ELECTRONIC LIBRARY CARDS** – If you choose to only read books online you can apply for an electronic library card at bpl.org. You can read books on your phone and any other device that has internet.
- **VIRTUAL HOMEWORK HELP** – BPL will offer **online person to person homework help** from September 21, 2020 through May 14, 2021.
- **OUTDOOR INTERNET** – Need internet now? You can walk-up or pull-up to any BPL library and use the internet from outside. It's free with no password. Libraries also have hotspots for loan.
- **CLASS VISITS , PARENT / TEACHER NIGHT TABLE, BOOK TALKS and more...**

See bpl.org and our Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/bplroxbury> for the latest updates.

Please feel free to reach out with questions or suggestions.

Sincerely,

Philecia Harris

your Children's Librarian

No Fines for All Till 2021



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