## JOHNSON COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY INTERLIBRARY LOAN (ILL) POLICY

## **ILL Purpose**

To obtain material(s) not available at the JCPL.

## **ILL Borrowing Policy**

- 1. Patrons must have a valid JCPL library card in good standing. Good standing is defined as owing less than \$15.00 in outstanding fees and/or not blocked.
- 2. Patrons are limited to five requests per week within the JCPL system and a maximum of ten ILL items checked out at one time.
- 3. Patrons are responsible for fees incurred due to lost, overdue, or damaged items, in addition to any other fees assessed by the lending library.
- 4. Patrons may request one renewal per item. Requests must be approved by the lending library. A renewal requested after the due date may generate late fees. Patrons are responsible for late fees.
- 5. Patrons are responsible for lending or copying fees charged by the lending library. Patrons will be informed before a fee is assessed.
- 6. Patrons who repeatedly do not return items on time or in good condition are subject to loss of interlibrary loan privileges.
- 7. JCPL honors all conditions-of-use placed on materials by the lending library.
- 8. ILL requests will not be placed for items available within JCPL.
- 9. ILL requests will not be placed for items that were published within 6 months.
- 10. JCPL will not borrow from libraries outside North America
- 11. JCPL will avoid borrowing from libraries that charge a lending fee.

## **ILL Lending Policy**

- 1. Materials are loaned for thirty days plus five days for transportation.
- 2. A renewal may be requested for another thirty-five-day period. Renewals will not be granted if an item has existing holds.
- 3. Materials will be loaned at the discretion of the librarian.
- 4. JCPL does not lend materials designated as new, historical room, microfilm, microfiche, software, periodical, or any items which are a part of the "Library of Things."
- 5. The borrowing library is responsible for return postage.
- 6. JCPL will not loan to borrowers outside North America.
- 7. If the borrowing library participates in the Indiana State Library subsidized statewide courier service, materials will be sent in that manner.
- 8. Replacement costs will be charged for lost or damaged items.
- 9. Replacement costs will be refunded for items returned within thirty days of bill payment.
- 10. Unpaid fees may result in suspension of borrowing privileges.

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