

Auto-Renewal Starts in 2021

Starting in 2021, Butler Public Library items will have one renewal which will be automatically done a few days before their due date, except if there is a hold on the item. After the one automatic renewal, fines will be charged on the materials if returned late.

There are a few exceptions on auto-renewal;

- Digital materials such as e-books are not eligible for auto-renewal.
- New Adult Fiction books will have no renewals for 3 months from the time the book is entered into the MAIN catalog. After three months, the books will be eligible for auto-renewal, except if there is a hold on the book.
- New DVDs are local holds only (patrons with a Butler Library card) with no renewals for the first month from the time the DVD is entered into the MAIN catalog. After one month, DVDs can be requested by patrons of other libraries and they can be auto-renewed one time.

Library Fines Reinstatement

MAIN libraries, including the Butler Public Library, are now charging fines on overdue materials that are not eligible for auto-renewal.

Quarantining

Library materials will continue to be quarantined. During quarantine fines will not be billed to patron's account.