

KILKENNY COUNTY COUNCIL LIBRARY SERVICE



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A Library for all... ...from the comfort of home



What better to sustain you through these difficult times, than your local and national library service! Although our branches remain closed to the public temporarily, we have a range of services for all ages that can be accessed from home, on smart phones, tablets and PCs.

Libraries Ireland and have been working tirelessly recently to remove physical barriers to those wishing to access to our suite of online services - from eBooks to daily newspapers, and Online courses to languages, there is lots to keep all ages busy!

Membership



Not a member? Here's how to get set up from home

If you are not a library member, you can now visit www.librariesireland.ie and sign up online for a membership. Once you have filled in the form, submit the form online and you will be given a temporary library number (write it down!) and can set a pin number. These

are all you need to access to have to access our online services. When we reopen, just pop in to your local branch to finish the paperwork and get your physical library card.

Already a member?

All memberships due to expire between 14th March and 1st May have been extended to 4th May, so access to our online service will not be interrupted. If you have any issues or queries, contact your local branch by phone or email / email info@kilkennylibrary.ie



PressReader

Want to read the daily papers from home?

PressReader is our new online newspaper service. There are 3,281 newspapers in a variety of languages, and 4082 magazines free to read online.

You can continue to read your favourite national and international digital newspapers such as The Irish Independent, Irish Examiner, The Daily Mirror,



Sunday Independent, The Guardian and a selection of local papers from Wexford, Wicklow, Cork and Kerry

Magazines include The RTE guide, Hotpress, Classic Cars, Beano, BBC Gardeners World and much much more!

So if you can't make it to the shops to get you daily paper, just download it free with your library card!



To access this, go to pressreader.com

Click on 'sign-in' and then 'Library and Group'. Search for Kilkenny library services and login with your library card number (digits only, no KIL before it)

Insert your email and a password, and your name to get your account set up. After 30 days, you simply sign in again to get continued access.



Borrowbox

How to use Borrowbox for eBooks and Audiobooks

You can download the Borrowbox app, then

- choose your library from the drop-down menu;
- enter your library number where it asks for your ID/Barcode; and,
- enter your PIN where it asks for PIN/Password.

That's it, you're signed in and ready to browse and read!



eMagazines

How to use RB Digital for online magazines



You can use the RB Digital app or visit online at <https://lgma.rbdigitalglobal.com/> or kilkennylibrary.ie - online services

You will have to register for a free account, with your library number. To do this:

Click 'register'

Select your country and then select your library service (you need to choose the option that has 'LGMA' above it)

- Enter your library card number
- Create a username
- Enter a password



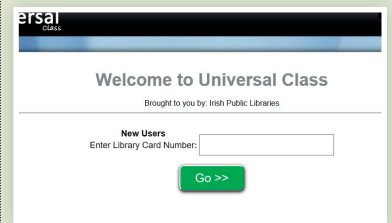
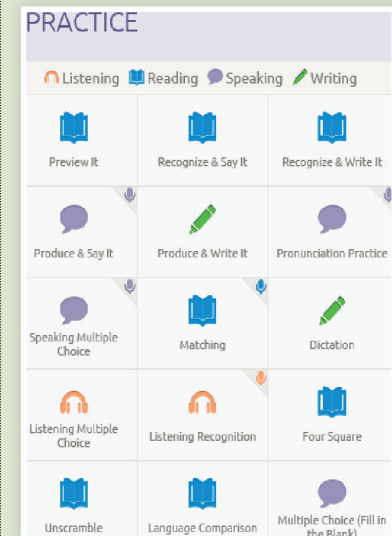
Online Language Courses

How to use Transparent Languages for language learning

Transparent Languages can be accessed through the RB Digital-see above to find out how to do that.

Once you're logged in to RB Digital, you'll see a link to Transparent Language. There are over 100 interactive

languages to choose from, with many suitable for both children and adults!

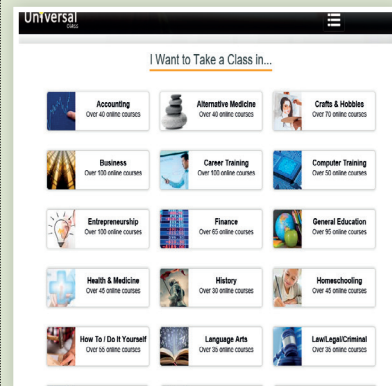


Online Courses

How to use Universal Class for online courses

To use Universal Class, go to UniversalClass.com and enter your library number

Then register as a new user and start learning!



If you need assistance or guidance, just contact your local library by phone or email, or our library headquarters on info@kilkennylibrary.ie or call 056 779 4160, or send us a direct message of facebook or twitter, and we will get back to you as soon as we can.