

GETTING STARTED

- Visit sherrardlibrary.org
- Click the PrairieCat logo at the bottom of the page
- Select "My Account"
- Login using your library card number and PIN (the last four digits of your library card number)
- Use the search engine to locate thousands of items from libraries across Illinois.



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Dreams grow at the library!

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PLACE HOLDS

Want an item that Sherrard Library doesn't own? Place a hold, and another library will send it to a library near you - for free!

- Use the PrairieCat search engine to find an item you'd like
- Select "Request It!" to place a hold
- Choose a library location for item pick-up
- Receive an automatic notice when your item is ready for pick-up - items will be held for one week

RENEW ITEMS

- Select "My Account" to login
- Click "Checkouts"
- Check items you want to renew, and select "Renew Marked"
- Confirm renewal

Helpful Hints

- When searching, use the filters on the left to refine results by item type, owning location, etc.
- Use a credit card to pay fines by selecting "My Account" and clicking "Fines"

TEXT ALERTS

- Opt in for text alerts by visiting "My Account"
- Click "Edit Account"
- Add your mobile phone number and phone carrier
- Confirm that you "opt in" and submit your change of information

READING HISTORY

- Track items you've checked out by visiting "My Account"
- Click "Reading History"
- Select "Save Reading History"
- Please note: previous check-outs will not be recorded, and library staff can never see your history