Bukit Panjang Public Library Social Story

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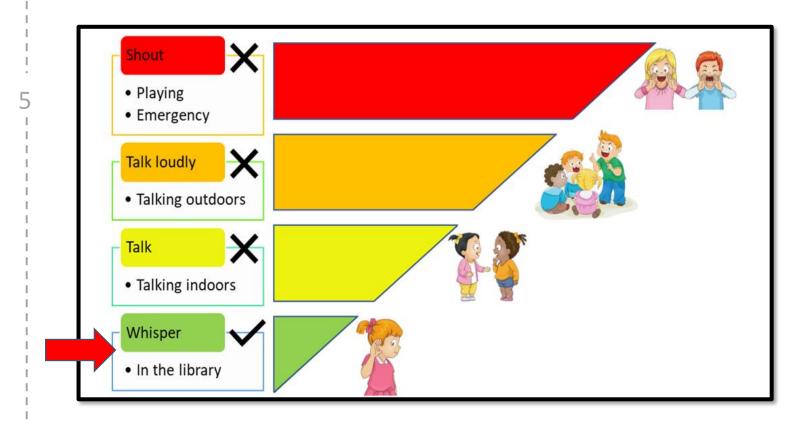
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I am at Bukit Panjang Public Library. There are 2 separate wings, Children's and Adults' and Teens' Zone.

Library Etiquette & Safety Precautions

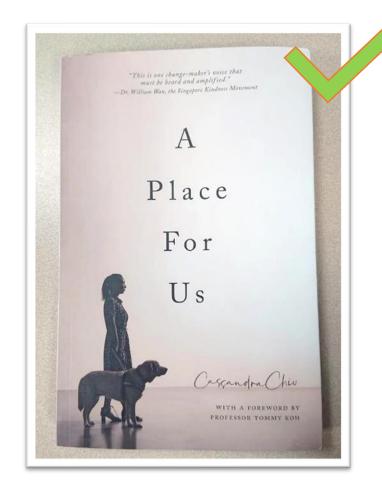




Inside the library, I will whisper and keep my voice down.

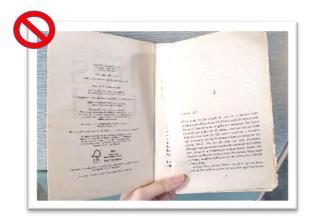
I do not want to disturb other people.

I will walk in the library. I do not want to trip or hurt anyone if I run.





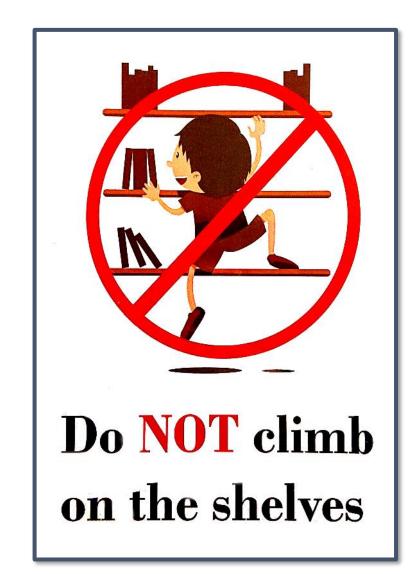




I must be careful when I'm using library books or other library items.

I cannot tear, fold or step on books because they will be damaged.

Everyone can enjoy the books only if they are <u>not</u> damaged!



I must not climb on the bookshelves.

If I climb on the shelves, they may dislodge and books will fall off the shelves.

I do not want to hurt myself if I fall or when the books hit me.



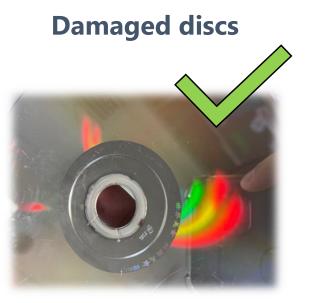
There will be potted plants like these all over the library.
I shall not play with them or push them over.

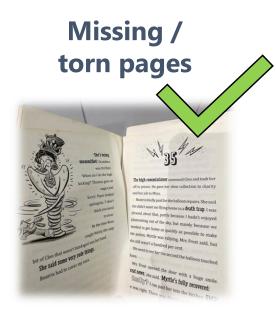
If I push the plants, they may topple over and I may break the plant.

I do not want to fall and cut myself on the broken pot pieces.

Before I borrow any library items, I must check the condition and alert the library staff if I encounter any of the following:









Library Staff

I can get help from library staff who wears these uniforms





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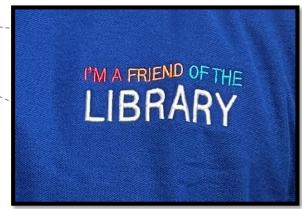






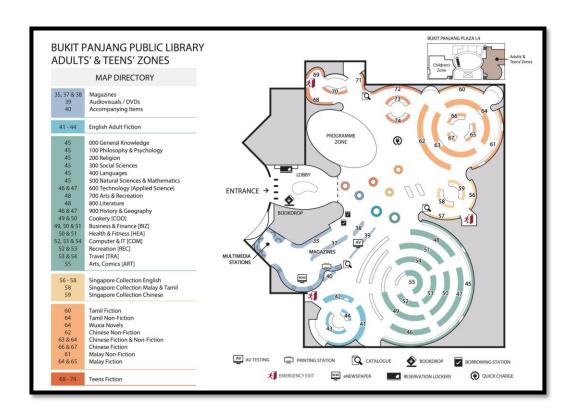
I can get help from volunteers who wear these uniforms

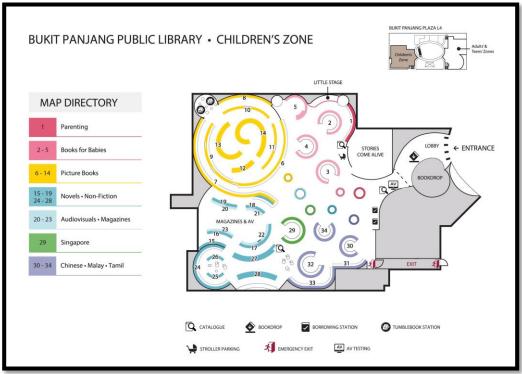






Library Space





I can find a directory map like this at both Children's Zone & Adults' & Teens' Zones.

It shows me the layout of the section and where to locate different library items.





The Adults' & Teens' Zones is run by our volunteers.

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I can also look for signages like these to help me find the books that I want to borrow.







I can see numbers on the shelves.

When I use library catalogue, I can see these numbers and follow the shelf number to look for my library item.



If I need help, this poster can be found at the Adult's & Teen's Zone and Children's Zone.

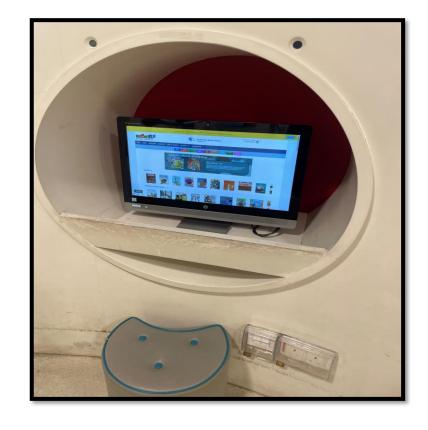
I will approach service staff to help me.





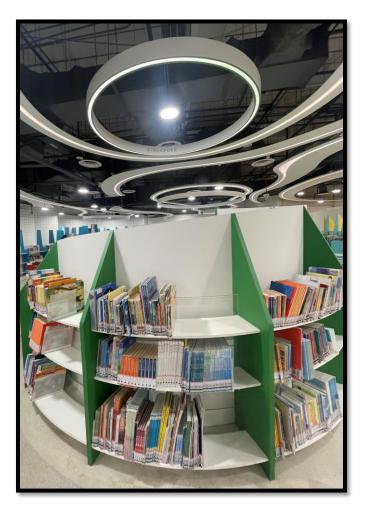
I can attend programmes in the Stories Come Alive Room at the Children's Zone.

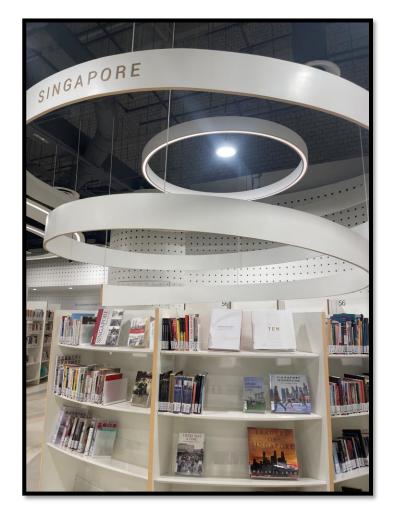




At Children's Zone, I can borrow audiovisual materials and magazines.

I can listen to stories and play games on TumbleBook stations.





I can also find books about Singapore in English, Malay, Chinese and Tamil languages at both Children's Zone and Adults' & Teens' Zones.





At both Children's Zone & Adults' & Teens' Zones, I can find and read books written in mother tongue languages like Chinese, Malay and Tamil.



I can charge my mobile phone or laptop at this Quick Charge station at Adults' & Teens' Zones.

Audiovisual materials



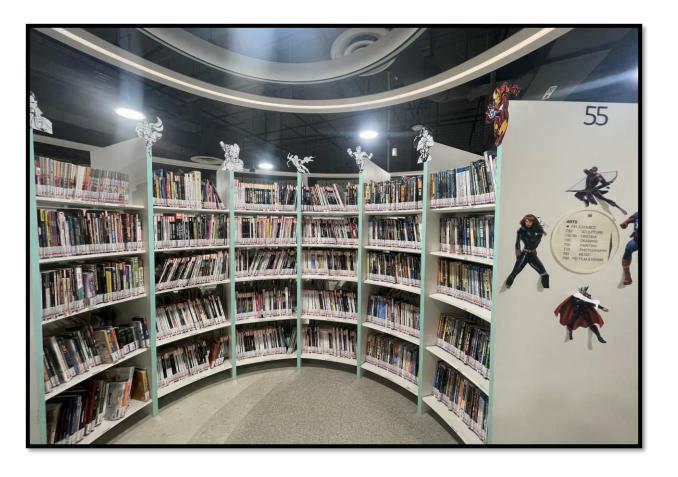
Computers to read eNewspapers



Magazines



At Adults' & Teens' Zones, I can explore audiovisual materials, eNewspapers and magazines.



At Adults' & Teens' Zones, I can find and read English books including comics.



At Adults' & Teens' Zones, I can find and read English storybooks for teenagers and young adults.

Services



This machine is called catalogue station.

I will find them all over the library.
I can use it to search for books
I want to read.



This machine is called the **Audio Visual (AV) testing station**.

I will find it in both zones. I can use them to test my AV items before borrowing.







These computers are called **multimedia stations**.

I can find them at Adults' & Teens' Zones

I can use the computers to do many things!

For example, I can read eNewspapers, eMagazines, print documents or browse the Internet.

I will log in first



I can pay for printing via Ezlink Card, Mastercard, Visa, Apple Pay or Samsung Pay.

This is a **printing station**.

I can find this near the multimedia stations at Adults' & Teens' Zones.

I can come here to print documents and pay for printing.

Before printing, I will use the multimedia station to submit the document to print.







Adults' & Teens' Zones

I found some interesting books I want to borrow.

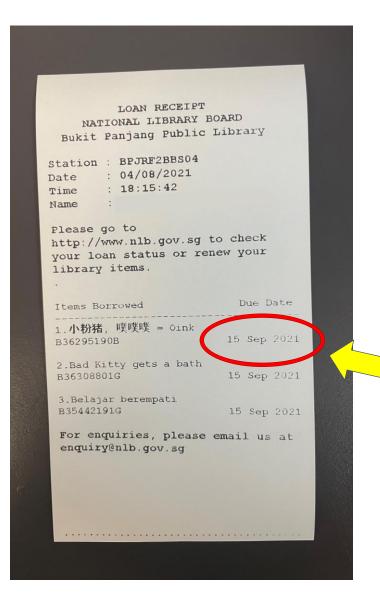
Before leaving, I can borrow them at these borrowing stations using my library card.



I can also borrow or reserve books using the **NLB Mobile app**!



I can scan this QR code to download the app using Google Play or Apple App Store.



After I borrow a book, I can choose to print a receipt.

The receipt will look like this.

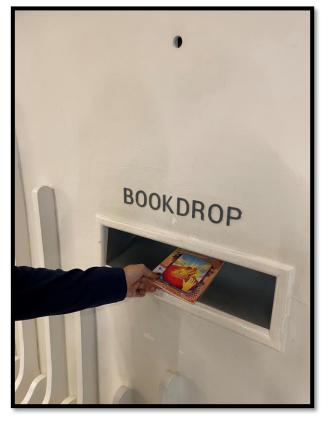
The **due date** for me to return the book I borrowed will be shown here.

I can check the due date on my NLB Mobile app too.



If a library item is unavailable, I can reserve it.

I will come to Adults' and Teens' Zones on another day to collect my reserved items from the **Reservation Lockers**.



Adults' & Teens' Zones



Children's Zone

This is the **Bookdrop**.

I have to return my borrowed items here by the due date.



Now I know where to go in the library.

I also know what I can find and do at the library.

If I want to read and listen to stories, I can always come back to visit the library!

If I need more help, I can send an email to enquiry@nlb.gov.sg.