Welcome to the ORPARC Foster & Adoptive Parent Library

Dear Foster Parents & Relative Caregivers,

We are tickled pink to welcome you to the NEW! ORPARC Foster & Adoptive Parent Library. Our library is a special collection that supports you in parenting children living in foster care, guardianship or adoptive families.

Popular Topics!

- Trauma-informed parenting
- Attachment
- Child development
- Understanding sensory issues
- Positive discipline
- Life story work
- Books and movies for kids & teens
- FASD
- And much more!

Browse online and then we mail you materials! Coming soon are digital items for “remote check out” to download onto your devices.

Flip the page for library FAQs on how to get started. You are welcome to reach out to us through our new library online CHAT (on our library pages!), email us at ORPARClibrary@nwresource.org, or call us at 1-855-496-BOOK (2665) with questions.

We are so grateful to support you in the incredible work you do in caring for our state’s most vulnerable children.

~ORPARC Staff

Visit Us Online!

www.orparc.org

Lending Library
Frequently Asked Questions

What does the library have?
Browse our new & expanded searchable collection below!
www.librarycat.org/lib/ORPARClibrary

How do I check out library materials?
Easy! Browse the library site and click on an item to request checkout. We’ll respond by email, phone, or CHAT to confirm your eligibility, update your information, and answer any questions.

Not sure what to check out?
We are happy to make recommendations if you're unsure where to start. NOTE: We can happily recommend library materials but for parenting advice please check in with your certifier.

What if I don’t have easy Internet access?
No problem! Call us at 1-855-496-BOOK (2665) and we can figure out how to help. If you’re in the tri-county area, you are welcome to schedule to visit in person. We love hosting families!

How do I get materials once I request them?
ORPARC mails your items to you in a handy pouch with return postage prepaid. To return, all you do is flip the postage card over, insert in the mailer window, and drop in a blue mailbox.

How many items can I check out in one batch?
You can check out 5 items at a time from our library.

How long can I keep materials?
You can keep library materials for 5 weeks. NOTE: Some of our library offerings (like information packets or printed articles) are yours to keep! No need to send those back.

How do I track my hours for training? How do I report them to get credit?
Per usual, submit the tracking form that comes with your library materials to your certifier!

How can I reach you?
Reach out to us anytime 9:00am-5:00pm.

❤ Chat with us through our library site www.librarycat.org/lib/ORPARClibrary
❤ Email us at ORPARClibrary@nwresource.org
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Anything works, we hope to hear from you!