

Bookmobile in Lafayette FAQ

When and Where? The Bookmobile is in Lafayette every other Thursday morning at the playground on Esther Ave. year round. This summer the stop is from 10:30-11:00am. During the fall, winter and spring, it will be 10:15-10:45am. There is a one or two week break in between each schedule.

How? It functions just like a regular library. You bring your library card, check out materials and bring them back when I return. Things may be returned to other area libraries as well. You may use a library card from any library. If you have not used it at the Bookmobile or the North Mankato Taylor Library before, we just need to get it loaded into our system, so we will ask you to fill out a registration form with your contact information on it.

If you don't have a library card, we can give you one from the St. Peter Library. This is the arrangement we have with Nicollet County. We need you to bring an ID with your current address. If you have recently moved, please bring both your ID and a piece of mail with your current address on it. Your card will be ready to use that day.

We have all different types of materials on the bus: adult fiction and non-fiction, regular and large print, young adult, junior and picture books, DVDs, a few magazines and audio books. We also carry storytime kits for preschool and lower elementary staff, which include books, movies, music and activities based around a theme.

If there are materials you need but we don't carry them on the bus, we are able to borrow items from the North Mankato Library and bring them. If necessary, we can order some other items from other libraries, but please note that these cannot be renewed and we cannot guarantee when they will arrive.

The Bookmobile has her own Facebook page called North Mankato Taylor Library Bookmobile. Please follow us for updates if you are on Facebook. We also have an online catalog on our website to search for materials. The web address is www.northmankato.com/taylorlibrary. The Bookmobile schedule is posted on this page as well.

The Bookmobile Librarian can be contacted by email at ahunt@nmlibrary.org. The Bookmobile cell phone is 507-340-4805. The North Mankato Library number is 507-345-5120. Please reach out with any other questions you may have. We are here and ready to serve!