



ONONDAGA  
FREE  
LIBRARY

# Onondaga Free Library Social Story

for Children

This is my library, Onondaga Free Library.  
It is part of the Onondaga County Library System.



I can visit the library to borrow books and movies,  
use the computer, or participate in a program.

As I walk in, I see friendly staff at the front desk. They can help me find what I am looking for in the library or give me the sensory kit if I need it.

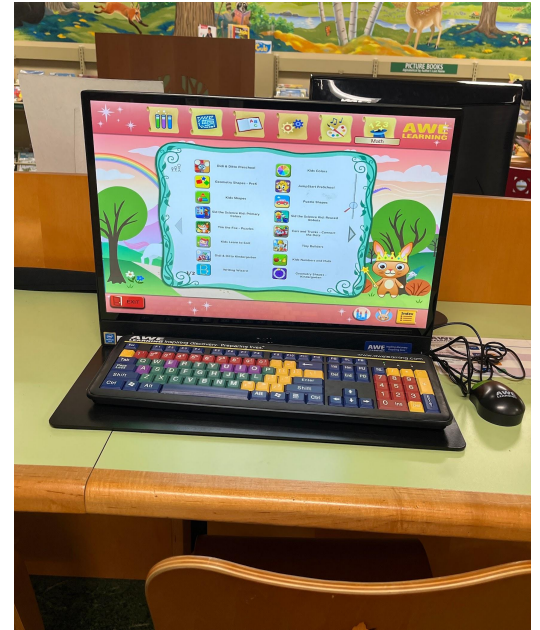


To the right of the desk is a slot where I put the books I bring back. When I come into the library, I know to walk and keep my voice low.

On the first floor are the movies and the children's area, with books, movies, computers, and toys for children.



I can look for books, play with toys, or use the computer.



I might need to share the toys with other children.  
Sometimes, it is loud because other children are playing.

If I need help or have questions, the staff at the children's desk can help me.



There is a bathroom right next to the children's desk. Only one family at a time can use it.



There are other bathrooms too. There is also a water fountain in case I get thirsty.





Sometimes, there is a fun program that I can go to in the Community Room.



I can take the stairs or the elevator to go to the second floor.  
Upstairs is a quiet area with books and computers for adults.



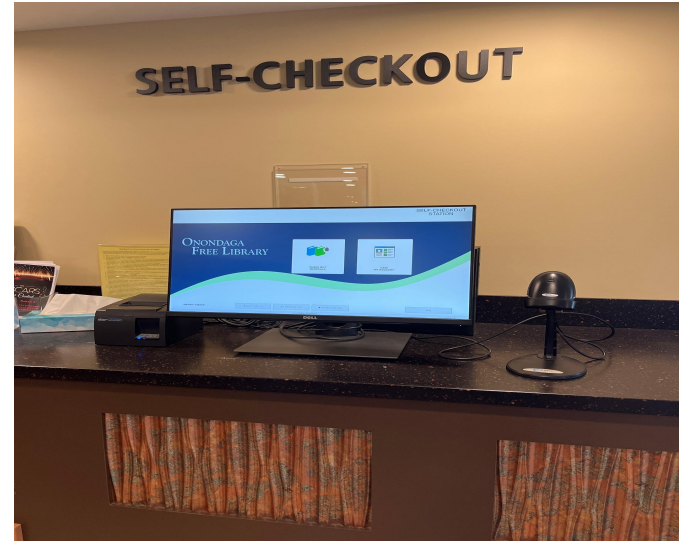
There is a fireplace upstairs. If the weather is cold, the fireplace will be on and I can sit in a soft chair in front of it.



In the spring and summer, the library garden is open. I can sit outside and enjoy the weather.



When I have books or movies I would like to borrow, I bring them to any library desk or the self-checkout downstairs. The staff will scan my library card, then check out my items.



While I am checking out my books, the scanner will beep and the phone on the desk might ring.

I had fun at the library, and I know I can come back another time!

