Meredith Public Library

Family Card Policy

Pursuant to RSA 201-D:11, all patron records are private. This means even if a parent comes in and asks to know what is on their child’s card we cannot tell you. For parents uncomfortable with giving a child his or her own card we do offer a family card.

Each family can only be given one family card. If you have three children and do not want them to have their own cards, you will be given one family card for all three children. Parents and their children can use this card.

Adults with family cards may also have their own card. So each parent may have a card in addition to the family card. Family cards are only issued to families with at least one child.

Family cards take the place of a child’s own card. If you have one child and feel the child is ready for his or her own card the family card will be converted to a card for the child. If you have more than one child and want your older child to have his or her own card but want to keep your younger child(ren) on the family card that is fine. We will issue a new card to the older child and keep the younger children on the family card.