#### MANAGE MY ACCOUNT

- Click My Account in top menu.
- Type your library card number (all digits with no spaces), and enter your four digit PIN.
- You can view, edit, and manage your Personal Information, including changing your PIN.
- Click the Checkouts tab to review and renew both your digital and physical library materials.
- Click the Holds tab to review and manage both your digital and physical library holds.
- Click on the **Fines** tab to review your current fines or accruing fines on overdue material(s).

  Credit card payments can be made for fines totaling \$2.50 or more.

# Need Help?

Contact your home library for questions regarding your account.

## **OUR LIBRARIES**

Belleville Public Library	973-450-3434
Bloomingdale Free Public Library	973-838-0077
Caldwell Public Library	973-226-2837
Cedar Grove Public Library	973-239-1447
Clifton Public Library Allwood Branch Library	973-772-5500 973-471-0555
Fairfield Free Public Library	973-227-3575
Haledon Public Library	973-790-3808
<b>Kearny Public Library</b> Branch Library	201-998-2666 201-955-7988
Little Falls Public Library	973-256-2784
North Haledon Public Library	973-427-6213
Passaic Public Library Reid Branch	973-779-0474 973-777-6044
Passaic Community College Library Wanaque Campus Paterson Free Public Library Northside Branch Southside Branch Totowa Branch	973-684-5877 973-248-3021 973-321-1223 973-321-1309 973-357-3020 973-942-7198
Pompton Lakes Public Library	973-835-0482
Ringwood Public Library	973-962-6256
Totowa Public Library Union City Public Library Branch Library Verona Public Library	973-790-3265 201-866-7500 201-866-7503 973-857-4848
Wanaque Free Public Library	973-839-4434
Wayne Public Library	973-694-4272
West Milford Township Library	973-728-2820
Alfred H. Baumann Free Public Library (Woodland Park)	973-345-8120

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#### **ACCESS THE CATALOG**

Go to catalog.palsplus.org

# **KEYWORD SEARCH**

- Type text into the search box.
- Use the two search menus to the left of the search bar to search specifically for material type, and/or by field, e.g. "Author," "Title," or "Subject."
- Click Search.

# **CUSTOMIZED SEARCH**

- Click the Customize link below to the right of the search box.
- Use the various search bars to search for an item title, author, subject, series, etc. Add your text into one or more of the search bars.
- Add additional limiters, e.g. format type, language, or identify a specific library to search for materials.
- Select various check boxes to further narrow your format choices.
- Click Customize.

## **NAVIGATE RESULTS**

- Use the left sidebar to further narrow your search results.
- Click on the item's title to see more detailed information and availability of a specific item.
- Use the Select an Action drop down menu to Place a Hold, Add to your Reading List, Email, Text, or Print the search result.

# **PLACE A HOLD**

- Search the catalog for the title you would like to request/hold.
- Select the title in search results.
- Use the Select an Action drop down menu and click on Place Hold(s).
- A log-in form will appear.
- Type your library card number (all digits with no spaces), and enter your four digit PIN.
- Select the name of the library where you want to pick up the item in the **Pickup Library** drop down menu.
- Click Place Hold button.

# **RENEW MATERIALS**

- Click My Account in top menu.
- A log-in form will appear.
- Type your library card number (all digits with no spaces), and enter your four digit PIN.
- Select the Check Outs tab.
- Select the check box by the title(s)
  you would like to renew. You can
  renew eligible item(s) that do not
  have existing holds and have not
  reached their renewal limit.
- Click the Renew button.
- Select Yes or No to confirm.
- Note: Eligible items that do not have existing holds and have not reached their renewal limit will be automatically renewed at 5 AM on the day that they are due.

## **MANAGE HOLDS**

- Click on My Account in the top menu.
- Click on the Holds tab.
- Select the check box by the title for each request you would like to Cancel, Edit, or Suspend.
- Click Yes or No to confirm.