

Toy Library

How do I join the library?

Simply fill in the personal details form, read and sign the membership contract and give to a Toy Library member of staff.

You will then be asked for a photographic proof of ID, and asked if you want to join the library for a year (£8), or for six months (£4.50).

You will also be asked if you have filled in a Welcome Form. This will ensure you receive up-to-date information about your local children's centre.

You will be given a membership card which is then required any time you hire a toy or piece of equipment.

How many toys am I allowed to borrow?

Each member can borrow up to 3 items for up to 4 weeks at a time. If you would like to renew your toys, then please give the library a ring. As long as there isn't a waiting list for that item then you will be able to keep the item for another 4 weeks.

Using the Catalogues

All the toys in the library are listed in the catalogues. Each item has a recommended age for the toy, and also the price it will cost to hire. The costs are either 25p, 50p, £2 or £5 depending on the value of the toy.

What happens if the toy is broken?

It is expected that toys on loan are treated with care, and children are supervised with the toys. If there are any losses or breakages, please report to a member of the library staff, and return any pieces. The Toy Library reserves the right to withdraw membership of anyone who continually damages, or does not return items. There may be a charge for damages to certain items – please ask for more details.