

## Do you want to keep track of the books you've read?

Reading History is a feature on the CLAMS system which allows patrons to keep a list of items that they have borrowed. To activate the list:

- 1: Go to [chatham-eldredge.clamsnet.org](http://chatham-eldredge.clamsnet.org)
- 2: Sign in using your library card number and your pin number.
- 3: Choose "Reading History" (left menu)
- 4: Choose the "Opt In" Button

Any items checked out on your account after opting in will appear on the Reading History List. You may delete any or all books from your list at any time.



## Homebound Delivery Service

Love to read, but can't get to the Library due to illness or injury?

We provide home delivery of library items to Chatham residents of any age, who are unable to visit the library due to a permanent or temporary disability or extended illness.

With this program, you can have full access to library materials!

Contact the Library for more information.

## Museum Passes

*Provided by the Friends of the EPL*

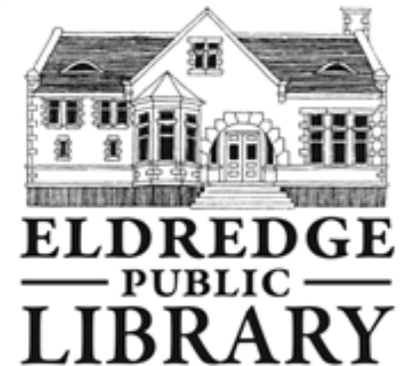
Cape Cod Maritime Museum  
Cape Cod Museum of Art  
Boston Children's Museum  
Isabella Stewart Gardner Museum  
Plimouth Plantation  
Roger Williams Park Zoo  
Boston Museum of Fine Arts  
Heritage Museum and Gardens  
Museum of Science  
New England Aquarium  
USS Constitution Museum  
New Bedford Whaling Museum  
Whydah Pirate Museum  
MassParks  
Harvard Museums  
Provincetown Museum & Monument  
Atwood Museum

<https://www.eldredgelibrary.org/museum-passes/>



# A Library Card

## opens your world to possibilities!



564 Main Street  
Chatham, MA 02633  
508-945-5170

Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday  
10am-5pm  
Tuesday and Thursday  
11am-7pm  
Genealogy  
Tuesday 1-4pm and Saturday 10am-1pm

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## Who can get a CLAMS card?

- Any adult with a valid picture ID and completed registration form
- Any child (5-17) with a completed registration form signed by a parent or guardian with valid picture ID

There is no fee and no residency requirement!



## How Do I Manage My CLAMS Account?

1. Go to *chatham-eldredge.clamsnet.org*
2. Click on "SIGN IN"
3. Type in your CLAMS card number and pin number.
4. Click on your name to view all account options, like the following:

See which items you have checked out and when they're due back at the library

Update your account information

See if you owe fines

View your titles on hold with an option to cancel, freeze or change pickup location

View your reading history (must opt in)

View your previous searches

Make and view your lists

Manage linked accounts

Reset your PIN/password

## How Do I Search the CLAMS Catalog from Home?

1: Visit *chatham-eldredge.clamsnet.org*

2: Enter your search term (title, author, subject) in the search box.

### To Get the Item

1: Click on the "Where is it" button to see where the item is located, the call number, and its availability.

2: Click the "Place Hold" button to reserve a copy and/or have the item sent from another library.

Hint: You can narrow any search results by format, shelf location and more.



## Can't find the item in the CLAMS system?

*<https://commonwealthcatalog.org/>*

Use the Commonwealth Catalog to search libraries across MA, or contact our Library to request an item through interlibrary loan from outside our network and State.

## What Else Does My CLAMS Card Give Me Access to?

*[www.eldredgelibrary.org/databases](http://www.eldredgelibrary.org/databases)*

- Statewide Databases (Variety of topics)
  - Novelist (readers advisory)
  - Kanopy (movies/TV)
  - Freegal (music)
  - Morningstar (investment)
  - AtoZ Databases (food/travel/languages)
- Consumer Reports (product ratings/reviews)
- Ancestry (Genealogy)
- Heritage Quest (Genealogy)
- Cape Cod Times Newspaper
- Cape Cod Chronicle Newspaper
- New York Times Newspaper
- Boston Globe Newspaper
- Creativebug
- Wall Street Journal

Free eBooks and Audiobooks with your CLAMS card via Libby and Hoopla

*[eldredgelibrary.org/ebooks](http://eldredgelibrary.org/ebooks)*

