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FRANKLIN COUNTY LIBRARIES REOPEN MAY 3

Franklin County, April 19, 2021: *Beginning Monday, May 3rd, Franklin County Libraries will be open to the public Monday through Friday. The specific hours and locations are included below. Patrons will be able to enjoy full access to Library services including stacks, information stations, microfilm, self-checkout, and computer workstations. Patrons can experience the Library with the following modifications:*

- *Patrons should maintain physical distancing and wear a mask at all times.*
- *A limited number of computers will be available in each building to allow for social distancing.*
- *Touchless self-checkout machines will be available.*
- *Service desks will continue to provide full, personal, quality service to which customers have become accustomed.*
- *Meeting rooms are unavailable at this time.*

Hours (Monday-Friday)

Louisburg 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Youngsville 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM

Franklinton 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Bunn 12:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Policy Changes

- *Donations of materials are not accepted at this time.*
- *Materials will no longer be quarantined or disinfected based on recent scientific evidence that indicates a low probability of transmission especially when coupled with mask-wearing, hand-washing, and physical distancing.*
- *Due to changes in closing procedures all prints, faxes, and other financial transactions will discontinue at 6:30 PM.*
- *Holds on materials at the circulation desk will be available for 7 days prior to returning to general circulation.*

For additional information, please contact Holt Kornegay, Library Director, at (919) 496-2111.

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