

Here is the quick start guide for the library portal!

Home Page

After you run the Django development server and open the library management portal, you would find the welcome page with a library picture as a background and the navigation bar on the top.

The navigation bar would contain:

1. Home
2. Search Your Book
3. Check-In
4. Pay Fine
5. New Borrower

Book Search

After you click on the “Search Your Book” on the navigation bar, you will be redirected to the page where there will be a search box to search for a book with any combination of works eg. bookname, author or isbn.

Check-out Books

After searching for a required book, you will be asked to enter the ISBN of the required book and card number of the borrower to check out the book for the respective borrower. After the successful validation, the book will be checked-out.

Check-In Books

Click on ‘Check-In’ in navigation bar and a page showing a search box will appear. Enter either card number, ssn, name, book title, isbn or any combination of these to search for a checked-out book. After that, button showing ‘check-in’ will appear which on clicking will check in the book.

New Borrower

Click on ‘New Borrower’ on navigation panel and page showing form will appear. Fill out all information and then click on ‘Submit it!’ button to add the borrower.

Pay Fines

Click on 'Pay Fines' from navigation panel and page having a search box will appear. Enter user name or ssn or card_id to search for pending fines and click pay to pay these fines.

You won't be able to pay the fine for the book that was not yet returned.

To refresh the fines, click the 'Refresh Fines' button is provided on navigation panel with blue color.