

## Pass Use Guidelines

### ***How do I get a pass?***

You may reserve a pass in person at the Library, from home through our webpage ([www.scrantonlibrary.org](http://www.scrantonlibrary.org)), or you may call the Library at 203-245-7365. Passes can only be reserved using an adult Madison library card. You may reserve passes up to 30 days in advance.

### ***When can I pick up my pass?***

Your reserved pass should be available after 5:00 pm on the day before your reservation; for Saturday or Sunday reservations, the pass should be available after 3:00 pm on the day prior to the reserve date. During summer hours, Sunday passes can be picked up after 10:00am Saturday. All effort will be made to contact you if your reserved pass has not been returned on time by the previous patron. However, the Library cannot take responsibility for passes returned late.

### ***Are there any limits or penalties?***

You may reserve up to five passes per month, but you may not exceed two passes per week. If you fail to pick up your reserved pass you will be blocked from reserving another pass for thirty days. There is a \$20.00 per day fine if the pass is not returned on time. If you lose or don't return a pass you will be charged the replacement cost set by the individual museum, plus a \$20.00 processing fee. The Library reserves the right to change loan limits during busy times of year, such as school and summer vacations.

### ***When does the pass need to be returned?***

The pass needs to be returned by NOON on the day following your reservation. During summer hours please return Friday passes by 10:00am Saturday. The pass may be returned in the book drop if the Library is closed.

### ***What does the pass allow me to do?***

Passes allow a set number of people to attend the museum or attraction for a reduced rate or free admission. These terms are set by the individual museum.

### ***How do I cancel a reservation?***

If you reserve a pass and change your plans you may cancel your own reservation from the **Museum Passes** page on our website, or you may call the Library. A reservation cancelled three days or less before the reserved date will be counted as a "no-show" and will result in you being blocked from reserving additional passes for the next thirty days.

### ***I want to learn more before I go!***

On the web page with the museum listing, click on the link **Suggested reads before you go!** If you have provided the Library with an email address, you will receive this list of related books, movies and/or music owned by the Library via email in your reservation confirmation.

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# Scranton Library Museum Passes



## Reserve your Pass Today!

The Scranton Library is pleased to offer free and reduced admission passes to area museums and attractions. These passes can now be reserved up to 30 days in advance with a valid adult Scranton Library card.

***One pass per family per day.***

Go to the **Museum Passes** link on the Scranton Library webpage ([www.scrantonlibrary.org](http://www.scrantonlibrary.org)) and follow the easy instructions.

Please call 203-245-7365 with any questions.

*Prices and hours of museums are subject to change without notice. Please call the individual locations for up-to-date information.*

## How to Reserve a Pass

- Log on to the Internet
- Visit [www.scrantonlibrary.org](http://www.scrantonlibrary.org)
- Select **Museum Passes** link

You may reserve passes by museum or by available date.

**By museum:** Click on **View Available Passes By Museum** and then click on the picture of the museum that you would like to visit. Available reservation dates will be displayed. Click on the date you would like to visit. Enter your 14 digit Scranton Library card number; do not use spaces. Click *Reserve Pass* button.

**By date:** Click on **View Available Passes By Date**. Click on the date you would like to reserve a pass. All available museums will be displayed. Click on the picture of the place you would like to visit. Enter your 14 digit Scranton Library card; do not use spaces. Click *Reserve Pass* button.

**For further information, please see *Pass Use Guidelines*, found on the back page of this brochure, or call the Library at 203-245-7365.**

## Free Admission Passes

### Beardsley Zoo

Bridgeport, CT ; 203-394-6565  
[www.beardsleyzoo.org](http://www.beardsleyzoo.org)  
Free admission for 2 adults and 4 children

### Connecticut State Park & Forest Recreation Areas

[www.nochildleftinside.org/](http://www.nochildleftinside.org/)  
Free parking at Connecticut state parks where fees are charged and free admission for two adults and four children at state historical sites and exhibit centers at Dinosaur, Fort Trumbull and Gillette Castle Parks.

### Connecticut's Old State House

Hartford, CT ; 860-522-6766  
[www.ctosh.org](http://www.ctosh.org)  
Free admission for two adults and two children.

### Eric Carle Museum of Picture Book Art

Amherst, MA ; 413-658-1100  
[www.carlemuseum.org](http://www.carlemuseum.org)  
Free admission for two adults and four children.

### Florence Griswold Museum

Old Lyme, CT ; 860-434-5542  
[www.flogris.org](http://www.flogris.org)  
Free admission for two adults and two children (12 and under)

### Wadsworth Atheneum Museum of Art

Hartford, CT ; 860-278-2670  
[www.wadsworthatheneum.org](http://www.wadsworthatheneum.org)  
Free admission for two adults and two children (through age 17). Additional fees apply for special events and exhibits.

## Discount Admission Passes

### Children's Museum of Southeastern Connecticut

Niantic, CT ; 860-691-1111  
[www.childrensmuseumsect.org](http://www.childrensmuseumsect.org)  
Pass holders will be charged a ½ price admission fee of \$3.50 per person for each member of their party. Hours vary seasonally.

### Connecticut River Museum

Essex, CT ; 860-767-8269  
[www.ctrivermuseum.org](http://www.ctrivermuseum.org)  
Half-price admission for two adults (living at the same address) and their children or grandchildren under the age of 18.

### Connecticut Science Center

Hartford, CT ; 860-724-3623  
[www.CTScienceCenter.org](http://www.CTScienceCenter.org)  
20% off general admission for a party of 4 people. Pass not available year round.

### Maritime Aquarium at Norwalk

Norwalk, CT ; 203-852-0700  
[www.maritimeaquarium.org](http://www.maritimeaquarium.org)  
Pass holders will receive \$2.00 off a combination ticket for the Aquarium and daytime IMAX theater. Good for up to six people.

### Mashantucket Pequot Museum & Research Center

Mashantucket, CT; 1-800-411-9671  
[www.pequotmuseum.org](http://www.pequotmuseum.org)  
Pass holders will receive \$5.00 off the admission price. Pass is good for two adults and two children or one adult and three children.

## Discount Admission Passes

### Mystic Aquarium & Institute for Exploration

Mystic, CT ; 860-572-5955  
[www.mysticaquarium.org](http://www.mysticaquarium.org)  
Pass holders will receive \$4.00 off adult admissions and \$3.00 off child admissions. Pass is good for two adults and two children ages 3 -17.

### Mystic Seaport

Mystic, CT ; 860-572-5315  
[www.mysticseaport.org](http://www.mysticseaport.org)  
50% off admission for 2 adults and 2 children

### Peabody Museum of Natural History

New Haven, CT ; 203-432-5050  
[www.peabody.yale.edu](http://www.peabody.yale.edu)  
This pass offers \$5.00 off up to four admissions.

### Shore Line Trolley Museum

East Haven, CT ; 203-467-6927  
[www.bera.org](http://www.bera.org)  
50% off admission for up to six visitors.

