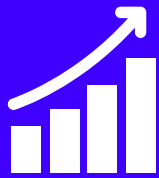


Henrietta and Rush Public Libraries Eliminate Late Fines

Starting September 1st, library materials owned by Henrietta Public Library and Rush Public Library will not accrue late fines.

Why?



Eliminating late fines is a local and national trend. Other libraries in Monroe County have removed late fines on certain items.



Late fines are not a consistent source of revenue due to online renewals and email/text reminders.

Consider this: If each member in a family of five checks out five items, and a parent gets sick and returns all those items three days late, those \$0.35 a day late fees will add up to \$26.25.

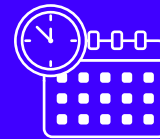
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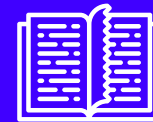
Come back to the library without fear of judgment.



Check out materials without having to worry about late fines.



Return materials on time to benefit the whole community.



Lost and damaged items will still be billed for replacement.



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