Wow! Introducing the new Student Card—a special library card just for K – 5th grade students in Duval County Public Schools.

To help kids connect with books and foster a love of reading, the Jacksonville Public Library and the Duval County Public Schools have partnered to create a Student Card for students in kindergarten through 5th grade. It works like a regular library card, but with some features to ensure greater access.

**Easier for parents, easier for kids!**

- Check out up to three print books or audiobooks at a time.
- No applications, no parent signatures, no physical cards to lose.
- Access to library’s electronic and digital collections; use of library computers.
- No overdue fines, but please encourage students to return on time.
- No fees for lost or damaged items; but please encourage students to handle responsibly.
- Check out and return to any Jacksonville Public Library location.

**Here’s how the Student Card works:**

- Your child’s student ID at school will be used to create his or her virtual Student Card.
- Students can use their Student Cards (ID numbers) to check out books at the library, and use a PIN (Personal Identification Number) to access digital collections and more. Your student’s ID number is his or her PIN.
- Checkout limit of three books (print and audiobooks) allowed at a time.
- Students may have a Student Card in addition to a regular card.
- Student Card accounts are activated for one year and may be reactivated at start of each school year for eligible students.

**More in store for students at the library!**

- For K – 2nd grades: Students will enjoy classroom visits to the library for a program, and use their new Student Cards to check out up to three books or audiobooks.
- For 3rd – 5th grades: Library staff will visit your child’s classroom, make a presentation, and bring books that can be checked out on site.

For more information about the Student Card, go to [jaxpubliclibrary.org/lib/circ.html](http://jaxpubliclibrary.org/lib/circ.html).

Note: This is a pilot program for the 2015 – 2016 school year and further expansion will be considered in the future.