

## EZBorrow

### Transcript

Welcome to the Pitt Libraries Ask Us series!

In this video you will learn about EZBorrow. The EZBorrow service extends your ability to borrow print books from over 70 of Pitt's academic library partners across Pennsylvania and nearby states!

Through the EZBorrow catalog, you can request a **print** book from one of our academic library partners, and have it sent to any of the Pitt library locations on the Oakland campus or at one of the four regional campus libraries. Please note that this service only lends **print** books!

The EZ Borrow service is a potential source for the following:

- Required textbooks that are currently on Reserve
- Books not owned at Pitt
- Books owned by Pitt but already checked out to another person

With EZBorrow, you will be able to borrow books for 18 weeks. And while you can't renew an EZ Borrow book, you can try to request another copy before you need to return the one that you have already borrowed.

To request items through the EZBorrow catalog, start at the library's home page: [library.pitt.edu](http://library.pitt.edu). In the top menu, under Libraries, click Borrow, Request & Return. Select the EZBorrow tile. From this page you can access the EZBorrow catalog.

Search for the item you need by title, author, or subject and click the Request button for the correct one from the list of results. In a new window, you will be asked to login selecting your home institution. Select the University of Pittsburgh from the list. Click on Request again and fill out the form with your desired Pick-Up location. The other fields are optional.

You will receive an email when your item is available for you to pick up!

You now know about EZBorrow. If you have any questions, look for the Ask Us button to contact library staff by chat or email and we will be happy to help you.