

RAILS Membership Criteria

Full RAILS membership Criteria	Academic	Public	School	Special
Library meets taxing level		X		
Library follows ILLINET Interlibrary Loan Code	X	X	X	X
Library provides reciprocal borrowing to other libraries in system		X		
Library honors non-resident cards if does not opt out of program		X		
Library has bibliographically organized collection	X	X	X	X
Library is staffed by paid employees at least 15 hours/week	X	X	X	X
Library collection has permanent financial support	X	X	X	X
Library is accessible centrally	X	X	X	X
Library occupies identifiable quarters in one principal location	X	X	X	X