Your Barcode ID and PIN

Each Northern Lakes College Library patron requires a personal Library barcode and PIN to fully access the Library and its resources. Barcodes and IDs are automatically provided to NLC student and faculty users.

These credentials allow you to:
- Access digital resources from off campus
- Place holds on NLC Library and NEOS consortium resources, for delivery to your home campus
- Cancel holds
- Renew material
- Check the status of your Library account
- Change your PIN

**Barcode** – Students and faculty receive an email at the beginning of their program or at the commencement of their employment. The email contains your 13-digit Library barcode ID. All 13 digits are required.

**PIN** – A link to [What is my PIN](#) is provided in the barcode email. PINs should remain confidential to protect records and privileges. You may change your PIN to something easier to remember using the [PIN change link](#) available at the bottom of the What is My PIN page.

If you require help, contact the Library.