

Nobles County Library

Delinquent Material Policy

Effective, January 1, 2012

To encourage the return of borrowed materials to Nobles County Library in a timely manner, an overdue penalty will be assessed to those Library patrons who do not return library materials within the time limits established by Library rules and regulations.

Delinquent Materials Procedure

Patrons are expected to return all items to the Library on or before the due date with no assessment of fines or fees.

Library materials returned beyond the assigned due date will be charged as outlined in the schedule below. Fines accrue to a maximum amount as indicated on this schedule.

- NCL (Nobles County Library) will require a \$5 minimum payment from patrons with fines or fees totaling \$5 or more. This \$5 payment must be made before patron will be allowed to check out any Library materials.
- In addition, if fines or fees total more than \$50, NCL will require a \$5 minimum payment before patrons will be allowed to use the Library computers but will be denied checkout privileges.