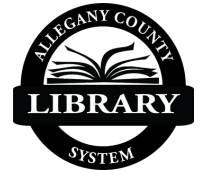


# Allegany County Library System Library Card Design Contest



We need your creativity! ACLS is introducing a contest to design limited edition library cards that will debut in April 2025 for National Library Week.

## Guidelines:

Entries will be judged by staff and the community on originality, reproducibility, and how well the design expresses what the library means to you.

- All entries must be clear and depict original images; please no copyrighted or AI generated images. Submissions with 3D elements will not be accepted.
- Digital submissions must be at least 300 PPI minimum, preferably 600 PPI.
- Do not include personal information; inappropriate content will cause submissions to be disqualified.
- Any resident of Allegany County or any out-of-state resident with a valid ACLS library card is eligible to participate.

## Winners:

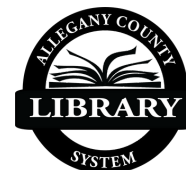
- Two finalists from each age group will be chosen through a public poll, and then one winner from each group will be selected by ACLS staff.
- All finalists will receive a library swag bag, a free replacement card with the winning design, and unending bragging rights! Finalists will be showcased at the LaVale Library and the winning designs will be available at all ACLS Libraries during National Library Week, while supplies last.

Digital submissions will be accepted until **Monday, September 30**. One entry per person.



Entries become property of ACLS. Winner's name may appear on promotions including, but not limited to social media, the library website, newspaper, and other communications.

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Use this template to design your card. This template is available on the submission webpage listed below.

card  
3.3125 in x 2.125in



key chain  
2.625 in x 1.125 in

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Digital designs can be submitted via the QR code above or by visiting [alleganycountylibrary.info/carddesigncontest](http://alleganycountylibrary.info/carddesigncontest)

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