We are going to the Great Neck Library’s Lakeville Branch.
The library is a place where we can read and borrow books.
The library also has movies, music and magazines.
Sometimes the library is quiet and sometimes there are lots of people, called patrons, in the library.

This means sometimes the library can be a little loud.
We will walk through the doors to get into the library.
When we walk in, we will see the circulation and reference desk. There are librarians and library clerks who work here. We can ask them questions or check out books.
On Tuesdays, we can take a craft from the bucket that is on the shelves, near the door.

PLEASE TAKE ONE PER Child!
Thank You!
There are some tables that we can sit at to do homework, read books, or even take a calming break!
Behind the tables, there is a giraffe that we can say “Hi!” to or even pet! His name is Raffi.
The library has some computers that we can use. One is used to look up books. It is called a catalog.
On the left side of the room there are books for adults and teenagers.
On the right side of the room, there are books for us!
There is a bathroom in the back of the library.
The library has 3 important rules:

1. We need to talk in an inside voice.

2. We need to use our walking feet.

3. We should not leave books on the floor.
When we find books that we would like to borrow, we can bring them back up to the front of the library to check out with our library card.

This is what my library card looks like.
This is a self-check out machine. When I am with my grown-up, we can use it to check out books. It makes beeping noises.
Now we will leave the library.
Sometimes when we go out of the doors, they will light up and make a loud noise. It is okay, it just means a book is leaving the library.
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