Borrowing Books from other libraries: ILL

The Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service allows borrowing privileges from most academic and public libraries statewide! You'll need your library login information.

- From anokaramsey.edu, locate the link for library.
- Select Coon Rapids Campus.
- You are now at the library’s homepage, which you may wish to bookmark for future reference.
- Under the heading Find Books, click MnPALS Classic.
- This opens a basic search screen in the online catalog.
- Enter your search term(s) based on topic/keyword, or book title or author in the search for field.
- Before you click search, in the dropdown menu select MnPALS (All Libraries).
- From your list of results click on the title of the book you wish to borrow.
- Click ILL Request You may need to login with your 14-digit barcode & password.
- Select Go to have your requested items sent to the Coon Rapids Campus for your pick-up.
- The ILL Request form will then open with the bibliographic information filled in. Scroll to the bottom of the page and check the little box attesting that you agree with the copyright restrictions.

- Most items will be delivered to the CR Library within a week (often just days!) and the library will phone you. You can always check the status of your ILL requests by accessing your borrowing record through MnPALS (see Renew Books in the Research Guides for instructions) or by calling the library at 763-433-1150.