What is **E-ZBorrow**?

**E-ZBorrow** is a web gateway that allows simultaneous searching of academic library catalogs in PA, NJ and WV. You can search the catalogs of over 60 academic libraries and place requests for books that you want.

Why should you use **E-ZBorrow**?

1. You have a bibliography in hand, you searched the library’s catalog and could not find the books.  
   **Search E-ZBorrow and request those books.**

2. You found a book on Amazon.com, but you are not sure you want to buy it.  
   **Search E-ZBorrow and borrow the book. It’s faster, cheaper and there are no shipping charges.**

3. The book you need is checked out.  
   **Search E-ZBorrow and request it yourself.**

4. What else can you borrow?  
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For more information, ask at the circulation desk.

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**Highlights:**

- Lets you search 60+ academic library catalogs simultaneously
- Books are received in 3 to 4 business days
- You receive e-mail feedback during the borrowing/lending process
- There are more copies available of the high demand titles sought by undergraduate and graduate students.
- There are 5 ARL research libraries participating: Pittsburgh, Penn State, Rutgers, U. of Penn and Temple.
- Significant broad collections at liberal arts institutions, such as: Haverford, Bucknell, Dickinson, and Gettysburg, Lafayette and Bryn Mawr.
- Support for the Health Sciences through the collections of Drexel, Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, University of the Sciences in Philadelphia, Rutgers and West Virginia University.
- Broad collections related to the study of western religious thought and practice at: Villanova, St. Joseph's, LaSalle, Scranton, Duquesne, Mercyhurst, Marywood, Mt. Aloysius and Messiah.

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**How to connect to E-ZBorrow:**

- Look for PALCI E-ZBorrow on the IUP library’s homepage under Books and More.
- Log in using your college/library ID number and start searching
FAQs of **E-ZBorrow**: 

- **What can I borrow?**
  Only books may be borrowed via **E-ZBorrow**.

- **How big is E-ZBorrow?**
  There are over 36,000,000 catalog records available for searching.

- **How long is the borrowing period?**
  Usually four weeks

- **How many times can I renew a book?**
  Books can be renewed once for four additional weeks.

- **How do I get journal articles?**
  Request articles through the Interlibrary Loan (ILL) department

- **What libraries are in E-ZBorrow?**
  For a complete up-to-date list of all participating libraries go to: [http://www.palci.org](http://www.palci.org) and click on E-ZBorrow …

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