TexShare Card Information
(PAC Students, Faculty, and Staff)

TexShare is a library program that encourages the sharing of resources between Texas libraries to offer a broader range of services to you, the library customer. It is a program administered by the Texas State Library and Archives Commission.

The **TexShare Card Program** allows registered users of participating TexShare libraries to use the card to borrow materials at other participating libraries. PAC issued cards will expire 2 weeks before the end of the current semester.

The **TexShare Databases** provides a wealth of online resources. These electronic databases are powerful research tools available 24 hours a day in the homes or offices of registered patrons of participating Texas libraries.

Many public, academic and other libraries participate in TexShare. **Check to see if a Texas library near you participates in TexShare programs.**

[http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/texshare/librarylisting_academic.html](http://www.tsl.state.tx.us/texshare/librarylisting_academic.html)

TexShare is meant to provide direct, personal access to materials that are not available at the PAC library. Patrons must be in “good standing” with the Alamo Colleges libraries in order to participate in the TexShare Card program.

**Responsibilities of Borrowers**

- Present appropriate ID.
- Observe the regulations of the lending library.
- Return materials to the lending library. Materials cannot be returned to the PAC library.
- Pay fines or any other charges assessed by the lending library.
- Surrender the TexShare Card to TexShare staff if requested.

TexShare borrowers are responsible for any materials checked out with their card. Cards should not be loaned to others. Lost or stolen cards should be reported to the PAC Circulation desk immediately at 210-486-3555.

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TexShare Card Information
(Visiting Patrons)

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The TexShare Card is issued to you (the borrower) by your home institution / public library. By signing the card and our registration form you agree to comply with Palo Alto College’s lending policies.

Responsibilities of Borrowers

- Fill out PAC library registration form.
- Present appropriate ID along with TexShare Card.
- Observe the regulations of the PAC library.
- Return materials to the PAC library.
- Pay fines or any other charges for late or lost/damaged materials.

Privileges

- 7 items may be checked out by TexShare borrower
- 1 renewal is allowed per item (renewals may be made by phone, in person, or online by accessing your library account at https://library.alamo.edu/patroninfo. Overdue materials cannot be renewed.

TexShare borrowers are responsible for any materials checked out with their card. Cards should not be loaned to others. For any questions pertaining to the material checked out from the PAC library please call 210-486-3555.

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