

# San Diego Public Library's Enhanced Website

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As you can see, the Library has launched a major upgrade to our website. It is designed to be more user-friendly. We've reduced the clutter and placed items you look for the most in easy to find locations. Here are some of the new features:

The screenshot shows the San Diego Public Library website homepage. Red arrows point from callout boxes to various features on the site:

- Intuitive navigation helps you easily find what you want.** Points to the top navigation menu.
- Searching the catalog is our # 1 hit, so we put the search box right at the top along with your account login.** Points to the search bar and 'My Account Login' link.
- Graphical news features highlight programs and services of special interest.** Points to the 'DOWNLOAD EBOOKS, EAUDIOBOOKS, EVIDEOS AND MORE' section.
- Find your branch hours and maps from the homepage with a handy drop down menu.** Points to the 'CITY LIBRARIES' dropdown menu.
- Find some of our most popular databases and ones you didn't know about from the Featured Databases drop down menu.** Points to the 'FEATURED DATABASES' dropdown menu.
- Ask the Library is your one stop shop for answers to specific and most asked questions.** Points to the 'ASK THE LIBRARY' section.
- Quick links to our most popular hits.** Points to the 'APPLY FOR A LIBRARY CARD', 'LIBRARY MOBILE APPS', 'TITLE PURCHASE SUGGESTION', 'ADULT LITERACY/READ 3D', 'VISUAL ARTS PROGRAM', 'VOLUNTEER!', and 'MAKE A DONATION' buttons.

If you have pages bookmarked, please be aware that when the new website goes live, you will need to change your bookmarks. Also, you may need to [clear your cache](#) to make sure you get the latest information and do not get broken links.

## Another Improvement Coming Soon!

We will continually improve our website to better serve you with further upgrades and future redesigns. Plans in the near future include an upgrade to our catalog, which will give it a more contemporary look, make searching more like Google, and highlight New York Times Best Sellers. Stay tuned for more details.