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### **E-readers Available to Borrow at All Stark County District Libraries**

**January 31, 2014** –Starting February 3, pre-downloaded e-readers will be available to borrow with a valid SCDL card at all 10 of the Stark County District Library locations. The borrowing period is two weeks. See the SCDL website at [www.starklibrary.org](http://www.starklibrary.org) for further information, terms and procedures regarding borrowing e-readers. E-readers offer sharp, clear text which is easily adjustable in size and are lighter in weight than a paperback book. The SCDL e-readers offer over 85 selections, from classics such as “Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland,’ ‘Frankenstein,’ and ‘Oliver Twist’ to current titles such as ‘The Hunger Games,’ ‘The Perks of Being a Wallflower,’ and ‘Fault in our Stars.’ Borrowing an e-reader is a great way to try one before buying one. SCDL staff will be happy to assist those new to e-readers.

#### **About the Library:**

The [Stark County District Library](http://www.starklibrary.org) is a winner of the [National Medal](#) for library service, is one of the best 100 libraries in the U.S. according to the [HAPLR](#) rating, and is a [Library Journal 5 Star library](#). Its Main Library, nine Branch Libraries, and two Bookmobiles and two Kidmobiles serve 150,000 library card holders. More than 1.4 million people visit the Stark County District Library each year, holdings number 884,000 items, and annual circulation is 3.6 million items. The collection includes books, audio visual materials, and periodicals for all ages. In addition, the Library provides programs and classes for adults, teens, and children, computer and Internet access, a downloadable collection of books and music, genealogy services, traveling collections on Bookmobiles and Kidmobiles, as well as outreach services to shut-ins, nursing homes, and housing units. It is one of the nine largest library systems in the state of Ohio, serving 12 local school districts. For more information, call 330-452-0665 or visit <http://www.starklibrary.org>.

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