

Accessing Your Account From Home

iBistro

The Middlesex Public Library uses an online catalog, iBistro. Thanks to iBistro, you have more control than ever over your account. You can now:

- Review your account online
- Renew books online
- Make changes to your account
- Place holds and requests on material
- Personalize search displays and results.

iBistro can be accessed via the library's website at:

www.middlesexlibrarynj.org

Best of all, this can all be done anytime and from anywhere.

Logging In

You may access the iBistro catalog from the library's website by following the "Remote Catalog" link on the homepage. Once in iBistro:

- Go to the upper-right corner of the menu bar, and enter your Library Card Number.
- Next, enter your PIN.
- Then click the "Log-in to the e-Library OPAC" button.

Changing Your PIN

Initially you will be assigned the default PIN, which is "CHANGEME." You should change your PIN to something easily remembered. To change your PIN in iBistro:

- From the menu bar of the catalog, select "My Account."
- Select "PIN User Change."
- Enter your library card number and PIN ("CHANGEME" if this is the first time you're changing it).
- Enter your new PIN.
- Click the "Change PIN" button.

If you are ever unsure about your PIN, please do not hesitate to contact the library.

Renewing Online

- From the menu bar of the catalog, select "My Account."
- Select "Renew My Materials"
- Enter your Library Card Number and PIN.
- Click the "List Charged Items" button.
- Click on the box next to the listed item that you want to renew.
- Click the "Renew Selected Items" button.
- Renewed items, and items that fail to renew, will be listed accordingly.

Placing Holds

- Find book in catalog and click "Details."
- Click "Place Hold" on left side.
- On the next screen choose Middlesex Public Library as the pick-up library and click "Place Hold."