

# Why is Woodbridge Library closed?

Woodbridge Library is being renovated to expand the library, increase accessibility, improve the use of space, add more natural light, and make the library more visible and appealing from the street.

#### When is renovation happening and how long will it take?

Woodbridge Library will close for construction beginning February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024. We estimate that construction will take approximately 10 months, which would see the library reopen at the end of November 2024, though, as with any construction project, this may change once work is underway. We will update these FAQs with the latest information we have available.

#### How can I access Vaughan Public Libraries while Woodbridge Library is closed?

During the renovation, you can visit any of our other VPL locations. All locations, except for Kleinburg Library, are open:

- Monday to Thursday: 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.
- Saturday & Sunday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

The nearest locations to Woodbridge Library are Ansley Grove Library (350 Ansley Grove Road) and Pierre Berton Resource Library (4921 Rutherford Road). A new mini library vending machine is also available at Father E. Bulfon Community Centre (8141 Martin Grove Road), with around 200 items accessible by scanning your library card. This mini library is accessible during whenever the community centre is open. You can also visit us online at <u>www.vaughanpl.info</u> to browse our catalogue, discover exciting digital content, and find out what programs most appeal to you.

## Where can I return my borrowed items?

You cannot return borrowed items at Woodbridge Library during the closure, and the external drop box will not be accessible while we are renovating. You may return items at any other VPL library. The nearest locations to Woodbridge Library are Ansley Grove Library (350 Ansley Grove Road) and Pierre Berton Resource Library (4921 Rutherford Road).

## Where can I pick up my holds?

Wednesday January 31<sup>st</sup> is the last day that holds will be available at Woodbridge Library. After this date, all holds set to be picked up at Woodbridge Library will automatically be sent to Ansley Grove Library (350 Ansley Grove Road). If you prefer to pick up your holds elsewhere, you may change your preferences on our website or speak with a staff member for assistance.

## What are staff going to do during the closure?

Woodbridge Library staff will be temporarily reassigned to other VPL locations.

If you have further questions, please visit us at <u>www.vaughanpl.info</u> or call 905-653-READ (7323).