

Ang Mo Kio Library at AMK Hub: 9am entry from 21 November, hours and what is new

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Ang Mo Kio Library at AMK Hub starts extended morning hours from today, Saturday 21 November, a day after it reopened on Level 4 of the mall. Doors open at 9am, two hours before staff-assisted services begin at 11am, so an early start before the weekend crowds is now possible.



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The entrance of Ang Mo Kio Library at AMK Hub. Photo: NLB

The library closed at its old home on Ang Mo Kio Avenue 6 on 31 July and moved into AMK Hub, where it reopened on 20 November. It first opened in Ang Mo Kio on 17 August 1985.

Opening hours, from 9am

The library opens Monday to Sunday from 11am to 9pm, with extended hours from 9am to 11am. Staff-assisted services start at 11am, so anything that needs a librarian has to wait until then.

The Study Zone runs longer, from 9am to 10pm daily, including public holidays and the eves of Christmas, New Year and Chinese New Year.

Two exceptions matter for the family calendar:

- The main library closes on public holidays, though the Study Zone stays open.
- On the eves of Christmas, New Year and Chinese New Year, the library closes at 5pm.

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The bookdrop and reservation lockers follow the mallâ??s opening hours. NLB has also said all its libraries will close at 3pm on Friday, 27 November, for a staff event.



Floor-to-ceiling bookshelves in the libraryâ??s double-volume main space. Photo: NLB

What is new inside

The main space is double volume, with bookshelves eight metres tall. The curved entrance takes its shape from Block 259 on Ang Mo Kio Avenue 2, the Clover Block. Completed in 1981, it remains the only circular public housing block HDB has built.

Ang Mo Kioâ??s past runs through the rest of the floor. There is an AR-activated Singapore Collection Mural, an Immersive Hub called Green Hill, a childrenâ??s zone called Creative Grove that draws on the townâ??s old traffic garden, and a library artefact display wall along the Collaboration Bridge.



Green Hill, the libraryâ??s Immersive Hub. Photo: NLB

For older children and adults, the library has discussion rooms, multimedia stations, the Study Zone and a TumbleBook station. Study seats can be reserved through NLBâ??s seat booking service.



The Singapore Collection Mural above the reading area. Photo: NLB

Reopening weekend programmes

Todayâ??s line-up includes a dramatisation by Sunflower Preschool, Monster Food and The Great Treasure Hunt, a Chinese picture-book reading session for children, and a Mini Forest School workshop. Session times and sign-up details sit on NLBâ??s programme listings.

Getting there with a pram or a wheelchair

The library is at 53 Ang Mo Kio Avenue 3, AMK Hub #04-01, Singapore 569933. It is a two-minute walk from Ang Mo Kio MRT station (NS16) through the underpass, and Ang Mo Kio Bus Interchange sits

beside the mall. Bus services CT8, 22, 24, 25, 73, 74, 76, 87, 88, 130, 132, 133, 135, 136, 138, 159, 162, 165, 166, 169, 261, 262, 265, 268, 269 and 853 serve the library.

The library is wheelchair accessible, and NLB publishes wheelchair-accessible routes from the MRT and from the bus, along with a social story for children who like to know what a visit looks like before they go. Full details are on the Ang Mo Kio Library page.

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