## **HOMEBOUND SERVICE APPLICATION**

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Application for individuals. Your information is confidential and only used for your library service. Please fill out the best to your ability.

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Caldwell Public Library is dedicated to the idea of equal access to information for all. The Homebound Outreach Service strives to meet this ideal by providing information and materials to those who cannot come to the library because of age, illness, or disability. We will make every effort to provide books and other library materials on a regular schedule to these individuals.

Homebound users, as well as all users of the library, are responsible for the materials loaned to them. Please do not give or loan these materials to others. We trust that our users will exercise normal care of the materials while they are in their possession.

If you plan to be away from home during your scheduled pick-up and delivery day, please notify the Homebound Services Coordinator, Karla Ayala, as soon as possible. We will make every effort to reschedule your pick up/delivery date.

SIGNATURE	DATE

Please choose your favorite genres and any theme or topic you are particularly interested in exploring, choose all that apply.

FICTION  □ ADVENTURE □ ANIMAL STORIES □ CLASSICS □ COZY MYSTERIES □ FAMILY □ FANTASY □ HISTORICAL □ HISTORICAL ROMANCE □ HOLIDAY □ MYSTERIES □ OCCULT & HORROR □ PIONEER □ RELIGIOUS FICTION □ ROMANCE □ ROMANCE FICTION □ SCIENCE FICTION □ WAR STORIES □ WESTERN	NON-FICTION  BIOGRAPHY & AUTOBIOGRAPHY  CRAFTS CONTEMPORARY ISSUES & POLITICS CRIME & TRUE DETECTIVE HISTORY: HUMOR INSPIRATIONAL MOVIES, RADIO, & TV NORTHWEST & IDAHO POETRY PSYCHOLOGY & SOCIOLOGY RELIGION SCIENCE SELF-HELP SPORTS TRAVEL	SACRED TEXTS  THE BIBLE THE BOOK OF MORMON THE TORAH THE QURAN  DO NOT WANT: STRONG LANGUAGE VIOLENCE SEX OTHER:  READING LEVEL: HIGH SCHOOL OTHER:					
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Are you open to trying new genres or authors, or do you							

prefer sticking to what you know you like?

Who are your preferred authors or what specific book recommendations do you have:

# **DELIVERY INFORMATION**

Delivery is twice a month. Time of day for delivery is between 1 PM-3 PM every other Tuesday.

How many items would you like to receive at a time?

# LIBRARY WELCOME CONSULTATION

Sometimes it can be overwhelming to choose a book or library material from the vast selection available, that is where these consultations come in. The Welcome Book Consulation is a service to provide you a more personalized and tailored book selection experience for you. We understand that everyone has different reading interests and preferences.

During the consultation, you will have a one-on-one conversation with a librarian who will take the time to get to know you better. They will ask you questions about your favorite genres, preferred authors, and any specific themes or topics you are interested in exploring. They will also inquire about your preferred reading format, how often you like to read, and any age range or target audience preferences you may have.

By gathering all this information, the librarian can curate a personalized book selection just for you. They will consider your unique tastes and recommend books that align with your interests. Whether you are into mystery, romance, sci-fi, or any other genre; they will find the perfect library materials that match your preferences.

If you are interested in the Welcome Consultation, please mark a time frame and write a time that we can give you a call to set up an appointment. Return form to the library or place this form in the black Library Homebound bag for pick up.

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### Detailed version of the questions you might encounter during a 1:1 welcome book consultation:

- 1. What kind of books do you absolutely love? Are you into thrilling mysteries, heartwarming romances, epic fantasies, or something else?
- 2. Are there any authors that you are a fan of or have been wanting to dive into their works?
- 3. When it comes to themes or topics, is there anything specific that catches your interest? Maybe you are fascinated by historical fiction, science fiction, or self-help books?
- 4. Are you all about the feel of a physical book in your hands, or do you enjoy the convenience of e-books or audiobooks? Are you familiar with the Libby app that allows you to access e-books and e-audiobooks?
- 5. How often do you find yourself making time for reading? Are you a voracious reader who cannot go a day without diving into a book, or do you have a more sporadic reading routine?
- 6. Do you have any preferences when it comes to book length? Are you up for tackling the doorstopper of a novel, or do you prefer shorter, quicker reads? Also, do you have any time constraints that we should keep in mind?
- 7. Are there any genres or types of library materials that you would rather steer clear of? Maybe horror gives you the heebie-jeebies, or you are not a fan of sappy romance novels.