

# ACCESSIBLE COLLECTION

Explore
Large Print
Subscriptions

# WHY SUBSCRIBE?

Building an equitable, budget-friendly collection has never been easier. Get the latest popular titles in your readers' favorite genres delivered monthly to your library—in a more accessible format. Large print standing order plans are an ideal solution to expand and refresh your collection.

### **SAVE TIME**

- Instead of spending hours every month on collection discovery, rely on the dedicated Thorndike Press editorial team, which leverages a combined total of 35 years of experience and 24 hours a week on title discovery and selection.
- Books arrive shelf-ready for increased convenience.
- Get curated titles monthly to support fulfillment throughout the calendar year, from January to December.

## ENJOY VALUE & FLEXIBILITY

- All standing order plans include an average discount of 25% off.
- All standing order plans come with **free shipping**.
- Update your plan at any time and choose from numerous pricing options based on your library's unique needs and budget.

# EXPAND DIVERSITY, EQUITY & INCLUSION

- Connect readers to diversity in both content and format.
   Large print is a simple
  - accessibility solution that is finding younger readers, from screen-weary remote workers to English language learners to individuals with low vision. In a recent survey, 43% of collection development librarians reported large print circulates higher or much higher compared to one year ago.<sup>1</sup>
- Thorndike Press is committed to diversity and inclusion. We actively feature authors and protagonists of traditionally underrepresented groups in our title lists.
- Your library can confidently support these collections in budget and administrative decision-making as an investment in access, equity, and diversity for both adult and youth readers.

# RELY ON QUALITY TITLES

- Plans feature simultaneous publications, bestsellers, popular series, recognized authors, book club picks, and award winners. Popular genres include mystery, thrillers, romance, crime, horror, fantasy, sci-fi, and more.
- Thorndike Press large print books are similar in both size and weight to standard print editions.
- Your library can rely on regular email notifications of your incoming titles and you can expect 100% fulfillment of standing order plans.



BENEDICT THE MYSTERY OF MRS. CHRISTIE

Thorndike Press Large Print

THE MYSTERY OF MRS. CHRISTIE

BENEDICT

Standard Print

## START WITH THE MOST POPULAR STANDING ORDER PLANS

The best large print strategy for your library is the one that supports the needs of your readers. We revamped our most popular plans with a more intentional collection development approach to help you choose options that fit your community.

One of our branches with high circulation is very much a community library. The area has a lot of families, is near high schools ... All ages, all cultures [in that community] have created a really high demand for large print.



**Monique Franklin,** Adult Collection Development Coordinator Fort Bend County Libraries (TX)

#### **TOP-SHELF**

#### (FORMERLY BASIC)

Connect readers to bestsellers, buzzy debuts, up-and-coming authors, nationally renowned book club picks, and books-to-screen.

**Featured Authors:** Janet Evanovich, Jodi Picoult, John Sandford, Robert Crais

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,386

**Tier 6** | 6 titles a month | 72 a year | \$2,016

**Tier 8** | 8 titles a month | 96 a year | \$2,610

#### HIGH-OCTANE

#### (FORMERLY CORE)

Fill your shelves with high-octane reads, including our top picks in suspense, adventure, thriller, horror, sci-fi, dystopian, gothic, fantasy, and crime.

**Featured Authors:** Robin Cook, Stephen King, Dean Koontz, Nora Roberts

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

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**Tier 6** | 6 titles a month | 72 a year | \$2,016

**Tier 8** | 8 titles a month | 96 a year | \$2,610

#### DYNAMIC DRAMA

#### (FORMERLY WHEELER HARDCOVER)

Share untold stories, relationship reads, and insights into daily life with this collection of historical fiction, domestic suspense, romance, family life, realistic fiction, and similar genres.

**Featured Authors:** Mary Balogh, Susan Mallery, Fern Michaels, J. D. Robb

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$1,053

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,683

## BUILD A MORE INCLUSIVE COLLECTION

Want to expand reading options for everyone in your community? These standing order plans help you add titles to your collection that represent a range of diverse experiences.



7 OUT 10

librarians report they are acquiring content focused on Indigenous and Latinx voices<sup>1</sup>

6 OUT 10

librarians
report they
are acquiring
AAPI content<sup>1</sup>

#### **NEW! DIVERSE VOICES**

Connect readers to curated titles that highlight Asian, Asian American, Pacific Islander, Indigenous, and Latinx/Hispanic experiences. This collection includes highly acclaimed and well-reviewed fiction spanning a variety of genres and representing a balance of diverse authors and content throughout the year.

**Featured Authors:** Kathryn Ma, Nick Medina, Nguyễn Phan Quế Mai, Luis Alberto Urrea

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$630

#### **NEW! BLACK VOICES**

Share the most beloved work by bestselling, award-winning, and popular contemporary Black writers. Titles in this collection focus on relationships and experiences of Black women and men through the ages, told in a mixture of genres, including well-reviewed fiction, memoir, and biography.

**Featured Authors:** S. A. Cosby, Connie Briscoe, Mary Monroe, and Carl Weber with La Jill Hunt

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$603

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$900

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,188

## FIND HARDCOVER PLANS THAT FIT YOUR READERS

#### **AMISH FICTION**

Amish fiction has long been a popular choice among large print readers. These stories celebrate a simpler way of life, sweet romances, strong faith, family bonds, and community spirit. Titles are G-rated and wholesome, with storylines for evangelical and secular audiences. Complements Christian and Clean Reads plans.

**Featured Authors:** Amy Clipston, Shelley Shepard Gray, Charlotte Hubbard, Cindy Woodsmall and Erin Woodsmall

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$873

#### **BIOGRAPHIES AND MEMOIRS**

An outstanding mix of bestselling and well-reviewed biographies and memoirs—including historical biographies, celebrity biographies and memoirs, and inspiring narrative memoirs relating fascinating and compelling experiences of intriguing people.

**Featured Authors:** Andrew Morton, Mary Pipher, Christie Tate, Nina Totenberg

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$621

#### **CHRISTIAN FICTION**

Christian fiction is a very popular genre with a range of readers. These titles are engaging, well-written, and wholesome, with Christian themes and messages that appeal to all ages. Many of the top Christian bestselling authors are found in this list as well as a mix of subgenres, such as mystery, historical fiction, and romance.

**Featured Authors:** Colleen Coble, Suzanne Woods Fisher, Beverly Lewis, Kim Vogel Sawyer

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$621

Tier 3 | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$918

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,206

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,494

#### **CHRISTIAN ROMANCE**

A mix of engaging, clean romances that are appropriate for all ages. These are well-written, compelling, and entertaining romances with a Christian message that will delight readers.

**Featured Authors:** Mary Connealy, Julie Klassen, Sarah E. Ladd, Tracie Peterson

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$576

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$855

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,134

#### **CLEAN READS**

General fiction, family life, cozy mystery, and romance titles. These are stories without graphic violence, explicit sexuality, or strong profanity. Entertaining and appealing, this is a collection full of encouragement, warmth, and humor that you'd be comfortable sharing with your grandmother.

**Featured Authors:** Lauren K. Denton, Peggy Ehrhart, Amanda Flower, Jean Stone

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$873

#### **HARDCOVER WESTERNS**

Titles featuring the best of the Old West, a mixture of today's contemporary writers and those of yesteryear. This plan delivers historical, action-packed, and traditional Westerns by the best-known authors in the genre.

Featured Authors: William W. Johnstone and J. A. Johnstone, Elmer Kelton, Ralph Compton, Nate Morgan, John Shirley

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 1** | 1 title a month | 12 a year | \$288

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$576

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$855

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,134

#### HISTORICAL FICTION

Features bestselling and popular event-based historical fiction, including time periods and historical figures popular with large print readers. These are the stories of previously untold perspectives that shine a light on unsung heroes.

**Featured Authors:** C. W. Gortner, Madeline Martin, Jeff Shaara, Alison Weir

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$630

#### **MYSTERY**

The mystery genre remains a perennial favorite and is often the most popular genre in a library. Titles in this plan are meant for a range of mystery readers with a mix of all the mystery subgenres: classic whodunits, hard-boiled investigators, cozies, police procedurals, true crime, and adventure/suspense. This plan includes many of the highly acclaimed and unique mystery titles that enter the market.

**Featured Authors:** Donna Andrews, M. C. Beaton with R. W. Green, Andrew Childs, Craig Johnson

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$648

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$945

**Tier 4** 4 titles a month 48 a year \$1,233

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,521

**Tier 6** | 6 titles a month | 72 a year | \$1,809

#### NONFICTION

Features bestselling and popular nonfiction titles that are highly engaging and have a broad appeal to many readers. Titles in this plan cover a wide spectrum of nonfiction subgenres—including armchair travel, popular science, pets and animals, popular culture, humor, history, current events, biographies and memoirs, and other standouts in narrative nonfiction.

**Featured Authors:** Tom Clavin and Bob Drury, Brad Meltzer and Josh Mensch, Annie Proulx

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$639

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$936

#### ROMANCE

Romance at its best. Get titles from every popular subgenre of romance, in styles from chaste to spicy. This subscription offers selections for every romance reader and a mix of top-selling contemporary authors.

**Featured Authors:** Christine Feehan, Lori Foster, Jodi Thomas, Mary Jo Putney

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$612

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$909

**Tier 4** 4 titles a month 48 a year \$1,206

#### **SIM PUB CLUB**

Looking for simultaneous publications? Each year, Thorndike Press publishes 200+ large print bestselling titles simultaneously with the publishers' regular print editions. Offering large print copies at the same time as the standard print releases ensures your readers have the format they want, reduces hold lists on popular titles, and brings attention to large print. The deluxe tier adds Christian Fiction and Christian Romance simultaneous publications.

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

Standard | 15 titles a month | 180 a year | \$5,283

**Deluxe** | 17 titles a month | 204 a year | \$5,955

Note: Your library qualifies to receive multiple copies of all our simultaneous publications automatically if you're enrolled in at least two of the following Thorndike Press plans: Top-Shelf, High-Octane, and Dynamic Drama.

#### THRILLER, ADVENTURE, SUSPENSE

Includes some of the most sought-after and high-circulating titles of the moment for pulse-pounding, adventurous reads in which heroes face down villainy against overwhelming odds.

**Featured Authors:** Elizabeth Day, William Kent Krueger, Eric Van Lustbader, Clare Mackintosh

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$963

# ADVANCE YOUTH LITERACY

Large print is common in adult collections, but the format is just as beneficial for young readers. Research proves large print is a simple literacy solution that helps students improve reading skills like decoding and tracking, reduce anxiety while reading, and enjoy reading more.

All Thorndike Press youth large print titles are unabridged and feature the same cover art and illustrations as the original editions. Unlike our adult books, youth large print is never labeled as "large print" on the outside cover or spine, so they look very similar to the standard print editions in size and scope.



**STANDARD EDITION** 



RESULTS OF A NATIONWIDE STUDY CONDUCTED WITH PROJECT TOMORROW® DEMONSTRATE THE VALUE OF LARGE PRINT:

**74**%

of below-gradelevel readers felt **greater confidence** in their reading abilities.

**60**%

of grade 6-8
readers said
they could focus
better and not get
distracted when
reading large print.

**69**%

of striving readers said they **enjoyed reading large print** more than any other books during the school year.

## **EXPLORE YOUTH PLANS**

#### MIDDLE READER

Ease the transition from easy-reader books to chapter books with large print copies of today's bestselling middle-grade authors and beloved characters. This plan offers the best of children's literature in large print, designed for middle readers in hardcover format. Interfile these books with the standard print edition and see which option kids reach for—you may be surprised! Titles in this plan are appropriate for grades 3–8, ages 9–14.

**Featured Authors:** Kwame Alexander, Jeff Kinney, Sara Pennypacker, Angie Thomas

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$450

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,125

#### **YOUNG ADULT**

Teens who struggle with reading can benefit from a larger font size. Changing up the format they read may be just enough to keep them from feeling frustrated and quitting. This plan offers the best of young adult literature in large print, designed for grades 8–12, ages 14 and beyond. These are highappeal titles with adult crossover potential.

**Featured Authors:** Angeline Boulley, Melissa de la Cruz, Jacqueline Woodson, Marissa Meyer, Angie Thomas, Ruta Sepetys, Tomi Adeyemi

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

Tier 1 | 1 title a month | 12 a year | \$243

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$486

#### **YOUTH DELUXE PLAN**

This plan combines the Middle Reader and Young Adult plans, plus it provides up to 50+ additional titles appropriate for grades 3–12. The deluxe plan makes it even easier to build your youth collection and offer an equitable format to readers of all ages.

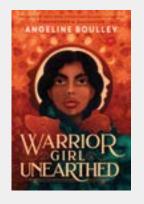
#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

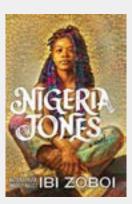
**Deluxe** | ~13 titles a month\* | 130+ a year | \$2,766 \*Youth Deluxe Plan excludes June and July shipments.

## SHARE YOUTH TITLES WITH STAYING POWER









# IMPLEMENT AN AWARD-WINNING FORMAT

Judged by more than 80,000 librarians nationwide, the Modern Library Awards recognizes the top products and services in the library industry. Thorndike Press Youth Large Print's platinum win speaks volumes to the emergence of large print as an attainable and effective accessibility solution for young readers.

## **DISCOVER REPURPOSED PLANS**

Not sure which plan to choose? We've curated additional standing order plans that contain a mix of titles from our most popular subscriptions. These alternative plans are ideal for smaller libraries or those with genre-specific needs.

#### **EDITOR'S CHOICE**

An economical, convenient way to automatically receive the hottest new titles in large print. Our editors search our top bestselling plans to find the new titles most likely to show up on your reserve list. Most titles are simultaneous publications. This plan contains titles from Top-Shelf, High-Octane, and Dynamic Drama.

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 1** | 1 title a month | 12 a year | \$408

Tier 2 | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$816

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$1,145

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,521

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,888

**Tier 6** | 6 titles a month | 72 a year | \$2,254

**Tier 7** | 7 titles a month | 84 a year | \$2,629

**Tier 8** | 8 titles a month | 96 a year | \$2,899

#### **GENRE VALUE PLAN**

Need a streamlined plan that delivers popular genre titles? This plan is curated from our Mystery, Romance, and Western standing order plans and includes one title from each genre every month.

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$989

#### **PUBLISHER'S SHOWCASE**

Subscribe to two bestsellers every month. These titles typically include the hottest "buzz" books from the Top-Shelf, High-Octane, and Dynamic Drama plans.

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$666

## **EXPLORE FURTHER WITH OUR DISTRIBUTION PLAN**

#### **DISTRIBUTION PLAN**

As a special service to our customers, we distribute large print titles from other publishers through our catalog, offering more convenience to order from one source. This subscription contains a mix of both hardcover and softcover titles from publishers like Random House, HarperLuxe, and Hachette Book Group. Duplicate titles are not included in any other standing order plan.

**Featured Authors:** Bernard Cornwell, James Patterson, Karin Slaughter, Danielle Steel

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$808

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,061

**Tier 5** | 5 titles a month | 60 a year | \$1,319

**Tier 6** | 6 titles a month | 72 a year | \$1,585

**Tier 7** | 7 titles a month | 84 a year | \$1,806

**Deluxe** | ~200 a year | \$5,136

## **SOFTCOVER PLANS**

Need a budget-friendly option for bookmobiles, book groups, and outreach programs? Softcovers extend a library's budget and hold up to high circulation. Thorndike Press chooses popular titles to publish in large print softcover after the original publisher releases their softcover version.

#### PAPERBACK BESTSELLERS

The top *New York Times* bestsellers in a durable softcover format. Titles send 8-12 months after the hardcover large print publication date, always after the standard print softcover.

**Featured Authors:** Mary Kay Andrews, Nelson DeMille, Janet Evanovich, Lisa Jewell

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 2** | 2 titles a month | 24 a year | \$323

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$486

Tier 4 | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$648

#### **SOFTCOVER COZY MYSTERIES**

These quick reads are lighthearted in tone and involve amateur sleuths solving crimes. They feature lovable characters and amusing dialogue with no graphic sex, violence, or profanity.

**Featured Authors:** Ellery Adams, Kate Carlisle, Krista Davis, Sally Goldenbaum

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$756

**Tier 4** | 4 titles a month | 48 a year | \$1,008

## SOFTCOVER ROMANCE AND WOMEN'S FICTION

This plan offers a touch of humor and heart. It features a mix of lighter-fare women's fiction, romance, and general fiction—perfect for those who enjoy escapist reads. It includes bestselling, well-known authors and strong new voices in fiction.

**Featured Authors:** Emily Henry, Meg Cabot, Amy Meyerson, Colleen Oakley, Amy E. Reichert, Jennifer Ryan

#### **AVAILABLE TIER:**

**Tier 3** 3 titles a month 36 a year \$738

#### **SOFTCOVER WESTERNS**

Features classic Western writers and introduces new and exciting authors for all your Western fans in softcover format.

**Featured Authors:** William W. Johnstone and J. A. Johnstone, Steve Kelton, Matthew P. Mayo, Larry D. Sweazy, Preston Lewis

#### **AVAILABLE TIERS:**

**Tier 1** | 1 title a month | 12 a year | \$252

**Tier 2** 2 titles a month 24 a year \$495

**Tier 3** | 3 titles a month | 36 a year | \$738

## **LIBRARIAN'S CHOICE PROGRAM**

Want more control over title selection, but still want the perks of a large print standing order plan? Our Librarian's Choice Program gives you the best of both worlds.

Curate your own collection to best fit your readers' needs. No titles are off limits, from hot new bestsellers to backlists—preorders included. Plus, you'll still enjoy steep discounts, free shipping, and shelf-ready titles delivered every month.

#### **AVAILABLE PLANS:**

Plan 1 | 25 to 47 titles at a 15% discount starting at \$723 annually

Plan 2 | 48 to 99 titles at an 18% discount starting at \$1,338 annually

Plan 3 | 100+ titles at a 20% discount | starting at \$2,720 annually



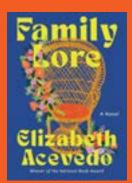
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Central Park West James Comey 9798885789554



**Dust Child** Nguyễn Phan Quế Mai 9798885791557



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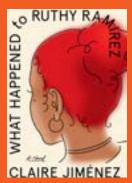
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Meet Me at the Lake Carley Fortune 9798885787918



Nightbloom Peace Adzo Medie 9798885792851



What Happened to Ruthy Ramirez Claire Jiménez 9798885790659



Zero Days Ruth Ware 9798885789882

# MAKE READING MORE ACCESSIBLE WITH THORNDIKE PRESS

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