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### What can we do?

The Digital Media Lab is a multi purpose space that enables library members to express themselves through various forms of digital media.

- ? **Shoot, edit and share videos**
- ? **Create music and podcasts**
- ? **Scan, edit and share photos**
- ? **Create your own website**
- ? **Design presentations**
- ? **Perform digital restorations**
- ? **Create animations**

Highland Park Public Library adult card holders can make 2-hour reservations by calling **847-681-7031** or in person at the Adult Reference Desk.

**NEW!** [Schedule a one-on-one Digital Media Lab learning workshop with a librarian](#)

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[Adobe CS6 Master Collection](#)

[Mac OS X v. 10.8.2 \(Mountain Lion\)](#)

[Photoshop Extended](#)

[iLife 11](#)

[Illustrator](#)

[iMovie](#)

[InDesign](#)

[iPhoto](#)

[Acrobat XI Pro](#)

[iTunes](#)

[Flash Professional](#)

[iWork:PagesNumbersKeynote](#)

[Flash Builder](#)

[Garage Band](#)

[Dreamweaver](#)

[Audacity](#)

[Fireworks](#)

[Autodesk Sketchbook Express](#)

[Premiere Pro](#)

[Blender 3D](#)

[After Effects](#)

[Burn](#)

[Audition](#)

[Handbrake](#)

[Speedgrade](#)

[MPlayerX](#)

[Media Encoder](#)

[Manga Studio EX4](#)

[Prelude](#)

[Pro Tools](#)

[Encore](#)

[Screenflow](#)

[Bridge](#)

[VuScan](#)

## Learn more



## Atomic Learning

View video tutorials from [Atomic Learning](#). (HP library card holders)

## Adobe CS6

View video tutorials for Adobe CS6 applications on [Adobe TV](#).

## Apple

View Apple video tutorials for [Mac Basics](#), [iPhoto](#), [iMovie](#), [Garage Band](#), and [iWork](#).

## **Additional Learning Resources**

### [25 tutorials for getting started with your wacom tablet](#)

A roundup of useful articles and tutorials that take you through the process of setting up your pen tablet and give you tips and techniques on how to create some great looking illustrations or paintings.

### [Adobe Creative Suite 6 \(CS6\)](#)

A collection of graphic design, video editing, and web development applications.

### [iMovie](#)

A software application used for editing video clips, adding titles, and effects. Includes basic color correction and video enhancement tools and transitions such as fades and slides.

### [iWork](#)

An office suite of desktop applications created by Apple for OS X that allows you to create documents, spreadsheets, and presentations the Mac way. Apple iWork is also compatible with Microsoft Office.

### [GarageBand](#)

A software application for Apple OS X that allows users to create music or podcasts.

### [Manga Studio](#)

A software application focused and optimized for use in creating comics and manga.

### [Pro Tools](#)

A digital audio workstation platform used for recording and editing in music production, film scoring, musical notation and MIDI sequencing.

**Library of Congress: [Perspectives on Personal Digital Archiving](#)**

**What equipment is available?**

Pro Quad-Core Intel-Xeon



Epson Perfection V500 Photo Scanner



Wacom Bamboo Pen and Tablet



MobilePre USB Audio Interface



Blue Yeti Professional USB Microphone



Bose Companion 2 Multimedia Speakers



M-Audio Oxygen 25 MK3 Ignite USB Keyboard



(1) Sony Bloggie Cameras  
(Available for 1 week check out)



(3) 1TB USB 3 Hard Drives  
(Available for 1 check out)



## What are the rules?

? The Digital Media Lab is open during regular Library hours, but closes 30 minutes prior to the Library closing.

? The Digital Media Lab is open to Highland Park Public Library adult card holders. A Digital Lab Checkout Agreement must be read and signed. This agreement will be kept on file for future use.

? No food or drinks of any kind are permitted.

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Users can make 2-hour reservations (with extended time permitted if no one else is waiting) by speaking to a staff member at the Adult Reference Desk in-person or by phone. Reservations will be held for 10 minutes after they are scheduled to begin.

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The individual who checks out the Digital Media Lab will be considered the main user and is responsible for any damage or misuse of the equipment, even if a group is working on a project together. The main user will pay all costs for Digital Media Lab hardware, accessories, and software that result from loss, theft or damage while the Digital Media Lab is checked-out to their library identification, up to a maximum of \$1,000.

? The door should be kept closed unless a staff member is present.

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Priority will be given to users who are working on digital media projects (videos, music, websites, photo editing, scanning). Users who are using the computers for web browsing will be asked to use the other adult internet stations in the Library.

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Users must save their work on an external memory source (external hard drives are available for checkout and CDs, DVDs, and flash drives are sold at the reference desk).

? Loans of portable hard drives, Bloggie video camcorders, and tripods will be allowed for users who have a valid Highland Park Public Library card. Users must complete an agreement form and these items must be returned directly to the Adult Reference Desk by their due date. All checkouts and checkins for this equipment will be handled at the Adult Reference Desk. An overdue fine of \$1 per day will be added to users' accounts for late items. Users who lose or damage equipment will be charged the replacement cost of the equipment.

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