

## Other Libraries

As the GBCA Library is not open all the time, you may wish to use a library close to you or another library's online electronic collection.

## State Library Victoria

<https://www.slv.vic.gov.au/>

You can just walk in and use the Wi-fi for free and sit and study.

You can [join online](#) or in the library for free, so that you can use the databases anywhere, anytime. To join, you will need proof of your address in Victoria, and your card will be mailed to you or you can pick it up in the library.

The location is on the corner of Swanston and La Trobe Street, Melbourne.

They are open Monday to Thursday 10am – 9pm and Friday – Sunday 10am – 6pm.



## Public Libraries Victoria Network

<https://www.publiclibrariesvictoria.net.au/public-libraries>

If you are looking for a library near you, this site can show you where are the closest:

- ✓ [Public Libraries](#)
- ✓ [Academic Libraries](#)
- ✓ [Special Libraries](#)
- ✓ [Government Libraries](#)

Also, where are there:

- ✓ Mobile Libraries
- ✓ Multi-cultural resources in your language
- ✓ Victorian Newspapers online
- ✓ All the databases in all of the Victorian Libraries

## Melbourne City Library

<http://www.melbourne.vic.gov.au/community/libraries/Pages/libraries.aspx>

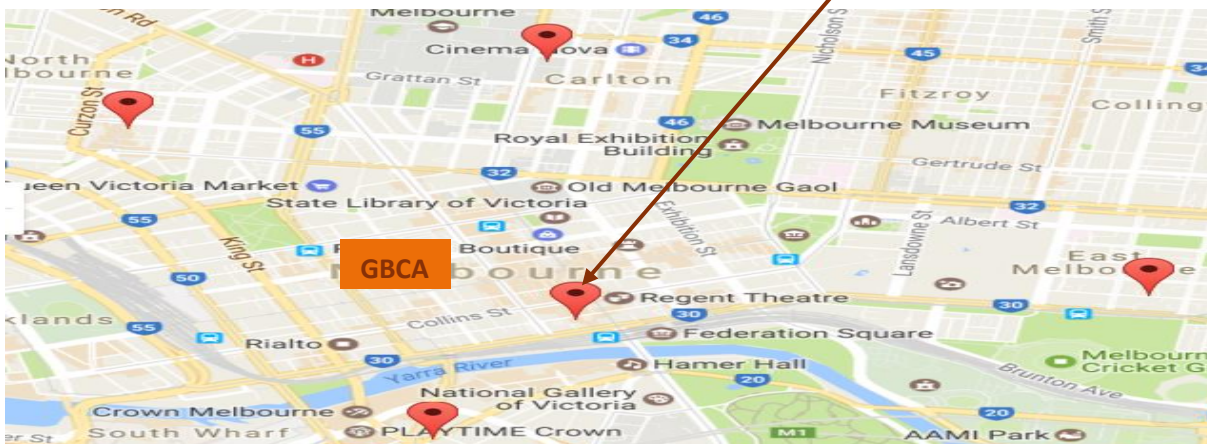
Melbourne City Library offers free library services which include:

- ✓ using the library space to study
- ✓ booking and using a computer for one hour a day
- ✓ using Wi-fi with your own device
- ✓ printing, photocopying and scanning
- ✓ borrowing items including books, eBooks, magazines, DVDs and CDs
- ✓ using databases to find journal and newspaper articles
- ✓ using Lynda.com learning programs
- ✓ booking a study room for a group assignment meeting
- ✓ attending informal English conversation practice
- ✓ using an enormous collection of English as a Second Language items
- ✓ booking a Librarian for up to one hour's assistance

To do all of these activities you need to become a Library member, either at any of the Libraries or [online](#). You will need proof of your Melbourne address and your card will be mailed to you, or you can pick it up at any branch.

They have six branches around the city with varying opening hours. The branch at 253 Flinders Lane, Melbourne is open:

- ✓ Monday to Thursday 8am – 8pm
- ✓ Friday 8am – 6pm
- ✓ Saturday 10am – 5pm
- ✓ Sunday 12 – 5pm



## National Library of Australia

<http://www.nla.gov.au/>

The National Library of Australia has a wonderful array of electronic [databases](#) which are available by joining the Library for free [online](#). You will need to supply proof of a valid Australian address.