

## Indiana Talking Books Subregional Libraries

### Talking Books Service Bartholomew County Public Library

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Columbus, IN 47201  
(812) 379-1277  
(800) 685-0524  
talkingbooks@barth.lib.in.us

### Talking Books Service Evansville-Vanderburgh County Public Library

200 SE MLK, Jr. Blvd.  
Evansville, IN 47713  
(812) 428-8235  
(866) 645-2536  
tbs@evpl.org

### Talking Books Service Lake County Public Library

1919 West 81st Avenue  
Merrillville, IN 46410  
(219) 769-3541  
rlewis@lakeco.lib.in.us

[www.library.IN.gov](http://www.library.IN.gov)

## INDIANA STATE LIBRARY Indiana Talking Book and Braille Library

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Indianapolis, IN 46202

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### **About the Indiana Talking Book & Braille Library**

The Indiana Talking Book & Braille Library (TBBL) is one of 57 regional affiliates of the National Library Service for the Blind and Physically Handicapped. We serve Hoosiers who cannot read standard print due to a visual or physical impairment by offering books and magazines in braille, large print, and audio formats. We

The highly anticipated digital player is now available. The Talking Book & Braille Library (TBBL) offers a growing library of thousands of titles available for checkout. TBBL patrons also have online access to over 22,000 digital books and 40 digital magazines downloadable directly from the Braille & Audio Reading Download program website.

TBBL also offers a collection of Indiana-specific digital books and magazines recorded in the Ruth Lilly Recording Booth as part of its Indiana Voices project.

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also provide specialized playback equipment, reader advisory services and equipment repair. All services, materials, and delivery costs are free to eligible Indiana residents.

Most TBBL services are also provided through subregional affiliates at Bartholomew Co. Public Library, Lake Co. Public Library and Evansville-Vanderburgh Co. Public Library. These libraries circulate materials to patrons in their areas.

### **Children's Services**

Children's Services encourages children with visual impairments to be avid readers by offering a large selection of children's titles available in braille, large print and digital formats. TBBL also hosts a popular summer reading program, publishes a newsletter for parents and teachers, and provides age-specific reader advisory services for young patrons.

### **Adult Services**

Reader advisors are available by phone, email or in person to assist patrons select materials and offer referral to services and assistive technologies that empower patrons to live, work and read independently. Adult Services also publishes the *Indiana Insights* newsletter and maintains an informative website that connects patrons to recent news and events.

### **Vision Expo**

TBBL hosts the annual Indiana Vision Expo - the largest low-vision convention in the Midwest. The Vision Expo is for persons with vision loss, their families, service providers, educators, and health care professionals interested in products and services designed to promote independent living.