

# Libraries Consultation

## DETAILS OF PROPOSED CHANGES TO LIBRARY OPENING HOURS

Proposed changes to opening hours for each library are listed alphabetically.

This information has been produced for the libraries opening hours consultation, 11 January to 3 April 2016.  
For more information visit [www.eastsussex.gov.uk/haveyoursay](http://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/haveyoursay)

## Battle Library

### Location:

7 Market Square, Battle, East Sussex TN33 0XB

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Singing Stars provided by Battle Children's Centre staff

<b>Battle</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
Current opening hours	closed	09:30 - 18:30	09:30 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	10:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 13:00	11:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Bexhill Library

### Location:

Western Road, Bexhill on Sea, East Sussex TN40 1DY

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Microfiche / microfilm reader

<b>Bexhill</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 18:30	10:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 16:00	13:30 - 17:00	11:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Crowborough Library

### Location:

Pine Grove, Crowborough, East Sussex TN6 1DH

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer and internet access (Wi-Fi expected by February 2016)
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime and Storytime
- Computer help from volunteers

<b>Crowborough</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
Current opening hours	9:30 - 17:30	10:00 - 17:30	9:30 - 17:30	9:30 - 19:00	9:30 - 19:00	9:30 - 16:00
Proposed opening hours	12:30 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 14:00	11:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Eastbourne Library

### Location:

Grove Road, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN21 4TL

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime, Storytime and Read Aloud Group
- Computer help from volunteers
- Microfiche / microfilm readers with printers
- Bookends: The Library Shop
- Learndirect courses – Monday to Friday
- Jobs Hub – Monday to Friday
- Meeting rooms for hire

Eastbourne	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 18:30	10:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Forest Row Library

### Location:

The Community Centre, Hartfield Road, Forest Row, East Sussex RH18 5DZ

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Photocopying and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access

Forest Row	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	14:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 13:00	14:00 - 17:00	14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	closed	10:00 - 13:00	14:00 - 17:00	14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00

## Hailsham Library

### Location:

Western Road, Hailsham, East Sussex BN27 3DN

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime and Storytime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Microfiche reader

Hailsham	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	14:00 - 17:00	10:30 - 19:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 18:00	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	12:00 - 17:00	12:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Hampden Park Library

### Location:

Brodrick Close, Hampden Park, Eastbourne East Sussex BN22 9NQ

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Credit Union drop-in sessions every Monday

Hampden Park	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	closed	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 16:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	14:00 - 17:00	closed	12:30 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00



## Hastings Library (including Hastings Children's Library)

### Location:

Brassey Institute, 13 Claremont, Hastings, East Sussex TN34 1HE

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer and internet access (Wi-Fi expected by February 2016)
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Microfiche / microfilm reader
- 'Refer' access to other local reference libraries
- Learndirect courses – Monday to Friday

Hastings	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 18:00	9:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 18:30	10:30 - 18:30	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

**Please note: The Brassey will be closing in the spring of 2016 for around 12 months, to allow major refurbishment works to take place. Details of temporary library services in Hastings will be advertised shortly. Residents will also be able to use any other East Sussex library as well as the E-library during the refurbishment period.**

## Heathfield Library

### Location:

21 High Street, Heathfield, East Sussex TN21 8LU

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime and Storytime
- Microfiche reader
- Community Help Point

Heathfield	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 17:00	closed	9:30 - 19:00	10.30 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	10:00 - 17:00	closed	11:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 13:00

## Hollington Library

### Location:

96 Battle Road, St Leonards on Sea, East Sussex TN37 7AG

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities

Hollington	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:30	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:30	closed	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:30	09:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 16:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 16:00	closed	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 13:00

# Langney Library

## Location:

Unit 3, Langney Shopping Centre, 110 Kingfisher Drive, Langney, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN23 7RT

## Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime

Langney	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	closed	9:30 - 17:00	closed	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 14:00	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	10:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 13:00

## Lewes Library

### Location:

Styles Field, Friars Walk, Lewes, East Sussex BN7 2LZ

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs, music CDs and music scores
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime, Storytime and Get into Reading
- Computer help from volunteers
- ScanPro (microfilm scanner / reader)
- Sibelius (music notation software)

Lewes	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 19:00	10:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 19:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 14:00	10:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Mayfield Library

### Location:

Mayfield CE School, Fletching Street, Mayfield, East Sussex TN20 6TA

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer and internet access (Wi-Fi expected by February 2016)
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities

Mayfield	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	11:00 - 13:00	14:30 - 18:00	closed	14:30 - 18:00	closed	10:00 - 13:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	13:30 - 17:00	closed	13:30 - 18:00	closed	10:00 - 13:00

## Newhaven Library

### Location:

36-38 High Street, Newhaven, East Sussex BN9 9PD

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Meeting rooms for hire

Newhaven	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 16:30	9:30 - 16:30	closed	9:30 - 16:30	9:30 - 16:30	9:30 - 16:30
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 16:30	closed	10:00 - 16:30	13:00 - 16:30	10:00 - 16:30

## Ore Library

### Location:

Old London Road, Ore, Hastings, East Sussex TN35 5BP

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities

Ore	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	closed	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	closed	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	closed	12:30 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00



## Peacehaven Library

### Location:

Meridian Centre, Peacehaven, East Sussex BN10 8BB

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Citizen Advice Bureau sessions every Tuesday
- Meeting rooms for hire

Peacehaven	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 19:00	10:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 16:30
Proposed opening hours	closed	10:00 - 15:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 16:00

## Pevensey Bay Library

**Location:**

Wallsend House, Richmond Road, Pevensey Bay, East Sussex BN24 6AU

**Services available at this library:**

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer and internet access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Limited disabled access – library entrance has steps
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Children’s reading group

Pevensey	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Pevensey Bay current opening hours	closed	10:00 - 12:30 14:00 - 17:30	closed	10:00 - 12:30 14:00 - 17:30	10:00 – 12:30 14:00 - 17:30	10:00 - 12:00
Pevensey Bay proposed opening hours	closed	14:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 12:30 14:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 13:00

**Please note: Pevensey Bay Library has temporarily closed due to extensive flooding. In the meantime, St Wilfrid’s Church Hall, in Eastbourne Road, is offering a small range of popular books for residents to borrow between 10am and 12pm Monday to Saturday and at any other times the hall is in use. Residents are also able to use Hampden Park, Langney, Eastbourne central library or any other East Sussex library, as well as the E-library, as alternatives.**

## Polegate Library

**Location:**

Windsor Way, Polegate, East Sussex BN26 6QF

**Services available at this library:**

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer and internet access (Wi-Fi expected by February 2016)
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime and Music and Storytime
- Health visitor drop-in sessions for families with children under five on Wednesdays

<b>Polegate</b>	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:30	closed	9:30 - 13:00	9:30 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 16:00
Proposed opening hours	12:30 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00	closed	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 13:00 14:00 - 17:00

## Ringmer Library

### Location:

Cecil Gates Room, The Village Hall, Lewes Road, Ringmer, Lewes, East Sussex BN8 5QH

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Regular library events: Storytime
- Computer help from volunteers

Ringmer	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	closed	15:00 - 18:00	9:00 - 12:00	13:30 - 16:30	closed	closed
Proposed opening hours	closed	13:30 - 17:00	closed	13:30 - 18:00	closed	closed

## Rye Library

### Location:

30 High Street, Rye, East Sussex BN31 7JF

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime
- Microfiche reader
- Community help point
- Registration Service by appointment
- Citizen Advice Bureau sessions on Tuesday

Rye	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Rye current opening hours	09:00 - 17:30	9:00 - 17:30	10:00 - 17:30	9:00 - 17:30	9:00 - 17:30	9:00 - 17:00
Rye proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 16:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00

## Seaford Library

### Location:

Warwick House, 15-17 Sutton Park Road, Seaford, East Sussex BN25 1QX

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime, Storytime and Books Beyond Words
- Computer help from volunteers
- Roof garden and study space
- Careers Advice fortnightly on Tuesday 1.30pm-4.30pm
- Meeting rooms for hire

Seaford	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00	9:30 - 17:00	09:30 - 17:00
Proposed opening hours	14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 16:30

## Uckfield Library

### Location:

Library Way, High Street, Uckfield, East Sussex BN22 1AR

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier, fax service and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime and Storytime
- Computer help from volunteers
- Microfiche reader
- Registration Service Tuesday mornings
- Meeting rooms for hire

Uckfield	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 13:00	09:30 - 17:30	9:30 - 19:00	9:30 - 17:30	10:00 - 19:00	9:30 - 16:00
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	10:00 - 16:30	14:00 - 16:30	10:00 - 18:00	10:00 - 16:30	10:00 - 16:30

## Wadhurst Library

### Location:

High Street, Wadhurst, East Sussex TN5 6AP

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks, DVDs and music CDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopying and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime

Wadhurst	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	14:00 - 16:30	closed	10:00 - 12:30	14:00 - 16:30	14:00 - 16:30	10:00 - 12:30
Proposed opening hours	14:00 - 16:30	closed	10:00 - 13:00	closed	14:00 - 16:30	10:00 - 13:00



## Willingdon Library

### Location:

Coppice Avenue, Lower Willingdon, Eastbourne, East Sussex BN20 9PN

### Services available at this library:

- Books, Audiobooks and DVDs
- Free computer, internet and Wi-Fi access
- Reference and local history materials
- Photocopier and printing
- Bus pass applications verified and forwarded
- Choice ID and 3i-D (discounts and proof of ID for young people)
- iGo (access to leisure activities for young people with disabilities or special needs)
- Disabled access
- Display facilities
- Regular library events: Rhymetime

Willingdon	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Current opening hours	9:30 - 12:00 14:00 - 17:00	closed	9:30 - 12:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 12:00 14:00 - 17:00	9:30 - 12:00 13:00 - 17:00	9.30 - 12.30
Proposed opening hours	10:00 - 13:00	closed	10:00 12:00 14:00 - 17:00	14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 12:00 14:00 - 17:00	10:00 - 13:00