

Local Libraries

Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division Technical Library

1 Administration Circle
Bldg 02327 Mail Stop 6203
Naval Air Warfare Center Weapons Division
760-939-1017

Hours:

Mon. - Thurs. • 7:30 am – 4:30 pm
Friday • 10 am – 2 pm
Sat. – Sun. • Closed

The NAWCWD at China Lake has a variety of services and materials and should be useful for your research efforts. The library contains approximately 2,050 volumes in addition to its periodical and microform collections. Basic services and policies of the library are outlined below.

Borrowing Privileges

Active duty and retired military personnel and their families, as well as civilians employed on base, may use the library and borrow materials. A library card may be obtained by presenting a valid ID card at the circulation desk.

Periodicals/Microforms

The library receives over 400 periodical subscriptions. Back issues of some of these are kept on microfiche or microfilm.

Database Search Services

When looking for periodical articles or report literature, patrons may be able to perform searches using the library's CD-ROM or online indexes. Some databases useful to your research are listed in the "Research Sources" section of this guide. To learn whether these sources are available, contact a reference librarian. There may be a charge for this service.

Other Base Libraries

Naval Air Warfare Station
861000D Building 17 NAWS
China Lake

760-939-2595

FORT IRWIN ARMY POST LIBRARY

National Training Center, Building 331

Phone: 760-380-3462

Hours:

Mon. - Fri. • 10 am – 8 pm

Sat. • 12 pm – 6 pm

Sun. • closed

The Fort Irwin Post Library has a variety of services and materials and should be useful for your research efforts. The library contains approximately 40,000 books in addition to its periodical and microform collections. Basic services and policies of the library are outlined below.

Borrowing Privileges

Active duty and retired military personnel and their families, as well as civilians employed on base, may use the library and borrow materials. A library card may be obtained by presenting a valid ID card at the circulation desk.

Periodicals/Microforms

The library receives over 112 periodical subscriptions. Back issues of some of these are kept on microfiche or microfilm. Microform reader/printers are available for public use.

Interlibrary Loan Service

Interlibrary loan services are available for requesting articles and documents that are not in the library. Requests for these items may be filled out at the main desk. There may be a charge for this service.

Cerro Coso Community College

Walter Stiern Memorial Library

www.cerrocoso.edu/lrc/

3000 College Heights Blvd

Ridgecrest

Tel: 760-384-6131

Fax: 760-384-6139

Hours:

Mon. - Thurs. • 8 am – 9 pm

Fri. • 8 am – 5 pm

Sat. - Sun. • Closed

The Walter Stiern Memorial Library contains approximately 22,000 volumes in addition to its periodical and microform collections. Basic services and policies of the library are outlined below.

Borrowing Privileges

Community members may borrow LRC materials by presenting valid photo identification at the LRC Help Desk. There is no fee for borrowing privileges and the LRC does not issue borrower cards.

Periodicals/Microforms

The library receives 92 periodical subscriptions. Back issues of some of these are available on microfiche or microfilm. Microform reader/printers are available for public use.

Database Search Services

When looking for periodical articles or report literature, patrons may be able to perform searches using the library's CD-ROM or online indexes. Some databases useful to your research are listed in the "Research Sources" section of this guide. To learn whether these sources are available, contact a reference librarian. There may be a charge for this service.

Interlibrary Loan Service

Interlibrary loan services are available for requesting articles and documents that are not in the library. Requests for these items may be filled out at the reference desk. There may be a charge for this service.

KERN COUNTY LIBRARY
<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org>

Beale Memorial Library

701 Truxtun Avenue
Bakersfield
Phone: 661-868-0701

Hours:

Mon. - Tues. • 10 am – 9 pm
Wed. - Thurs. • 12 pm – 9 pm
Fri. - Sat. • 10 am – 6 pm
Sunday • Closed

The Kern County Library contains approximately 1 million books in addition to its periodical and microform collections. Basic services and policies of the library are outlined below.

Borrowing Privileges

Library cards are free to residents of Kern County. Military personnel and their families are considered residents. You can obtain a card by presenting a photo ID and proof of residence at the circulation desk.

Periodicals/Microforms

The library receives over 706 periodical subscriptions. Back issues of some of these are available on microfiche or microfilm. Microform reader/printers are available for public use.

Database Search Services

When looking for periodical articles or report literature, patrons may be able to perform searches using the library's CD-ROM or online indexes. Some databases useful to your research are listed in the "Research Sources" section of this guide. To learn whether these sources are available, contact a reference librarian. There may be a charge for this service.

Government Documents

The Kern County Library is a selective U.S. government document depository library and also has a collection of state documents. Many government documents can be found by consulting indexes such as those listed under Government Publications in the "Research Sources" section of this guide. These indexes list documents by author, title, and subject, and provide the Superintendent of Documents (SuDoc) Number for locating documents on the shelves.

Interlibrary Loan Service

Interlibrary loan services are available for requesting articles and documents that are not in the library. Requests for these items may be filled out at the circulation or reference desk. There may be a charge for this service. The Interlibrary Loan phone number is 661-868-0779.

KERN COUNTY LIBRARY BRANCHES

Arvin Branch

201 Campus Dr.
Arvin

661-854-5934

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/arv.html>

Baker Branch

1400 Baker Street
Bakersfield

661-861-2390

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/bak.html>

Boron Branch

26967 Twenty Mule Team Road
Boron

760-762-5606

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/bor.html>

Bryce C. Rathbun Branch

200 West China Grade Loop
Bakersfield

661-393-6431

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/rath.html>

Buttonwillow Branch

116 Buttonwillow Dr.
Buttonwillow

661-764-5337

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/but.html>

California City Branch

9507 California City Blvd.
California City

760-373-4757

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/cac.html>

Clara M. Jackson Branch

500 West Kern Avenue
McFarland

661-792-2318

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/mcf.html>

Delano Branch

925 10th Avenue
Delano

661-725-1078

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/del.html>

Eleanor Wilson Branch

1901 Wilson Road
Bakersfield

661-834-4044

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/wil.html>

Frazier Park Branch 3015 Mount Pinos Way Frazier Park http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/fra.html	661-245-1267
Holloway-Gonzales Library 506 East Brundage Lane Bakersfield http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/hg.html	661-861-2083
Kern River Valley Library 7054 Lake Isabella Boulevard Lake Isabella http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/krv.html	760-549-2083
Kernville Library 48 Tobias Street Kernville http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/ker.html	760-376-6180
Lamont Library 8304 Segrue Road Lamont http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/lam.html	661-845-3471
Mojave Library 161916 1/2 Highway 14, Space D2 Mojave http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/moj.html	661-824-2243
Northeast Branch 3725 Columbus Street Bakersfield http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/ne.html	661-871-9017
Ridgecrest Library 131 East Las Flores Ave. Ridgecrest http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/rid.html	760-384-5870
Shafter Branch 236 James Street Shafter http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/shft.html	661-746-2156

Southwest Branch

8301 Ming Avenue
Bakersfield

661-664-7716

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/sw.html>

Taft Branch

27 Emmons Park Drive
Taft

661-763-3294

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/taf.html>

Tehachapi Branch

1001 West Tehachapi Blvd, Suite A-400
Tehachapi

661-822-4938

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/teh.html>

Wanda Kirk (Rosamond) Branch

3611 Rosamond Boulevard
Rosamond

661-256-3236

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/ros.html>

Wasco Branch

1102 7th Street
Wasco

661-758-2114

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/was.html>

Wofford Heights Branch

6400-B Wofford Blvd
Wofford Heights

760-376-6160

<http://www.kerncountylibrary.org/HTML/about/branch/wof.html>