# New Cardholders Email Campaign



## Overview

#### What is the New Account Holder email Campaign?

When a customer signs up for a library card, they begin receiving a series of six emails from marketing. These emails begin two weeks after they sign up. Each of the emails is sent two weeks apart.

#### What is the purpose of the campaign?

The purpose of the new account holder email campaign is to introduce our new customers to the variety of materials, eResources, programs and services available to them with their library account.

#### What if a customer does not want to receive these emails?

At the bottom of each email there is a link customers can click to unsubscribe from the emails. This unsubscribes customers only to marketing emails. This does not unsubscribe them from emails sent through CarlX to inform them that their hold is ready for pickup, or their books are due back etc.



## **Overview** (Continued)

#### What kind of data do you get from these emails?

From these, we will be able to tell whether new account holders will be more inclined to stay active customers after a series of emails. It will also tell us which emails, and more specifically, which content nugget of the emails are more accessible or popular to new customers.

For example, from the emails already sent, we can tell that more people click on information in the magazine email (email #3) than any other email. The first email is the most popular email of the campaign with 44.8 percent of the people who receive it, open it. Comparing open rates, it's also the second most opened email of any of the emails we have ever sent; the first is the Village renovation email at 45.1 percent.

## Email #1 – General Welcome

Links:

- Catalog
- Downloads page
- Hoopla movies
- Hoopla TV
- Ancestry.com

Metropolitan **Congratulations on your new Library Card!** Metropoli

It's pretty easy to use ...

- <u>Check out</u> books, magazines and more.
- <u>Download</u> eBooks or magazines, or stream <u>movies</u> and <u>TV</u> <u>shows</u> all from the comfort of your couch!
- Check out a WiFi hotspot, CDs and DVDs.

44.8 percent of the emails opened as of 1/28/19

Most popular link: home page link (picture)

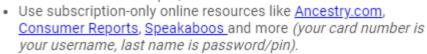
2<sup>nd</sup>: Download link 3<sup>rd</sup>(tied): Check Out link (catalog) 3<sup>rd</sup>(tied): Movies (Hoopla)



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- Ancestry.com
- Consumer Reports
- Speakaboos
- Lynda
- Research
- Mango
- LearningExpress



- · Learn to code or brush up on software skills with Lynda.com.
- Prepare a <u>resume or cover letter</u>, <u>learn a language</u>, or study for school and career <u>exams</u> online and at your own pace.

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You received this email because you recently received a Metro Library card. If you would like to us subscribe from these marketing emails, click <u>here.</u>

Opt-out



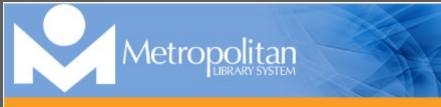
### Email #2-Library Services You Won't Want to Miss



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#### Links:

- Mango Languages
- Little Pim
- Signing Savvy



Your Library card gives you access to languagelearning platforms for FREE!



FIND OUT WHAT THE HECK YOU JUST ORDERED. 35 percent of the emails opened as of 1/28/19

Most popular link: main picture/Little Pim/Mango pics (goes to Downloads/Streaming page)

2<sup>nd</sup>: Signing Savvy link 3<sup>rd</sup>: Check Out link (catalog)



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Links:

- Mango Languages
- Little Pim
- Signing Savvy
- Downloads page

Learn from over 70 foreign languages (including Pirate!)



Little Pim (for kids) and Mango provide online language-learning through conversations, films and videos.



Learn American Sign Language!



Signing Savvy is a sign language dictionary containing several thousand high resolution videos of American Sign Language (ASL) signs, fingerspelled words, and other common signs used within the United States and Canada.

Signing Savvy is a great resource for communicating with babies too!





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### Email #3 – Never Buy Another Magazine



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#### Links:

- RBDigital
- Consumer Reports
- National Geographic
- Nat'l Geographic Kids
- Hoopla
- Overdrive



- Read an unlimited number of current and back issues of magazines with no due dates and no limits using your new Library card and <u>RBDigital</u>.
- Access the latest Consumer Reports.
- Read current and back issues of <u>National Geographic</u> and <u>National Geographic Kids</u> - for free!
- And fans of comic books get free editions of your favorite titles from <u>Hoopla</u> and <u>Overdrive</u>.



# 23 percent of the emails opened as of 1/28/19

Most popular link: Start Here button

2<sup>nd</sup>: RBDigital 3<sup>rd</sup>: Consumer Reports



### Email #4 – The Information Experts - Anytime!



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#### Links:

- Tailored Titles
- Ask a Librarian page
- Catalog
- Suggest a Title page
- Downloads page



Your Library card puts the information experts at your service.

25 percent of the emails opened as of 1/28/19

Most popular link: Main image (homepage)

2<sup>nd</sup>: Tailored Titles 3<sup>rd</sup>: 24/7 link



### **Email #4 – The Information Experts - Anytime!**

#### Links:

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- Need a good book? Reading recommendations are one of our favorite things to do! Use <u>Tailored Titles</u> to get genrebased email newsletters and reading recommendations.
- Use our <u>Ask a Librarian</u> service to ask us a question anytime or get help researching any topic. You can connect with us by chat, email, text or phone.
- Find something you like at one of our other libraries? Place a hold on it <u>online</u> and have it sent to your home library location.
- Find a title you want that we don't have in our catalog? Suggest a title.
- Access the library <u>24/7</u> by checking out eBooks, eAudiobooks and movies from your mobile device.





### Email #5-Learn New Things at Your Local Library



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#### Links:

- Hoopla
- Kanopy
- Lynda.com
- LearningExpress
- *Oklahoman* digital archives
- New York Times (ebsco)
- Access Newspaper Archives

Your Library card is your key to learn new things at your neighborhood branch.

- Access movies and documentaries on <u>Hoopla</u> or <u>Kanopy</u>.
- Get free access to tutorials at <u>Lynda.com</u> and <u>LearningExpress Library</u>! Take courses in business, coding, photography and more.
- Browse digital newspapers like the <u>Oklahoman</u> or the <u>New</u> <u>York Times</u> as well as archives on <u>Access Newspaper</u> <u>Archives</u> and the <u>Oklahoman Digital Archives</u>.

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- LearningExpress •
- Oklahoman digital archives •
- New York Times (ebsco)
- Access Newspaper Archives •

- Access homework help resources on Science Reference Center, Britannica Online, CultureGrams and more!
- Explore your family history on <u>America's GenealogyBank</u> and HeritageQuest. Access Ancestry.com at the library.



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You received this email because you are a Metro Library cardholder. If you would like to

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### Email #6 – Your Library Card Gives you More



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Links:

- Catalog
- RBDigital
- Hoopla
- Tailored Titles
- Ask a Librarian

#### Your Library Card is your Passport to the World!



26 percent of the emails opened as of 1/28/19

Most popular link: Start Here button

2<sup>nd</sup>: Hoopla 3<sup>rd</sup>: books (goes to the catalog)



### Email #6 – Your Library Card Gives you More

#### Links:

- Catalog
- RBDigital
- Hoopla
- Tailored Titles
- Ask a Librarian



#### Access a world of possibility from anywhere.

You've had a library card for almost three months! If you haven't used it yet, you should!

- · Check out the newest books, magazines and more.
- Stream movies and TV shows.
- Use <u>Tailored Titles</u> to get personalized recommendations.
- · Ask a librarian for help with research.

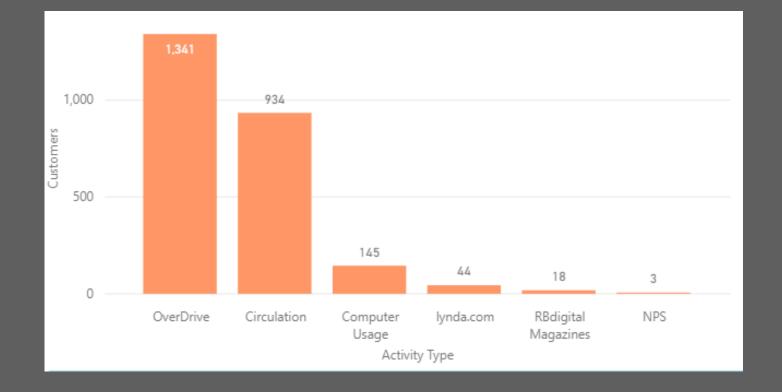








#### Activity Within 7 Days After Opening Message





### Where did they go after 3 months?

Cluster Movement After Receiving Message										
From Cluster Be	edtime Stories	Bright Future	Dependables	Digitarians	Double Feature	Occasionals	Page Turners	Staying Connected	Transitionals	Unknown
New Cardholders	444	135	41	808	11	1,614	362	616	39	41

- 1. Occasionals (haven't used their card since getting it)
- 2. Digitarians (eBook/audio, Hoopla, Kanopy, etc., users)
- 3. Staying Connected (Computer users)
- 4. Bedtime Stories (adults who check out children's books for their kids)
- 5. Page Turners (check out physical books)

