



Southborough LibGuide: Ancestry Library Edition

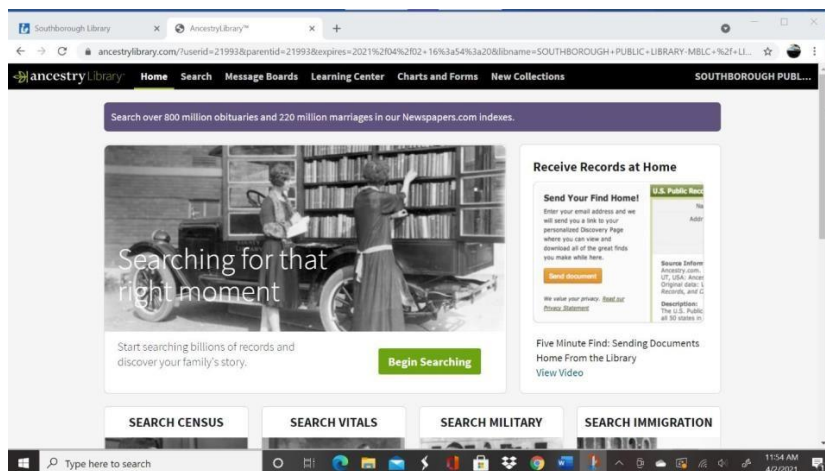
What Is Ancestry Library?

Discover your ancestors' incredible journeys. A family tree takes you back generations—the world's largest collection of online family history records makes it possible. Ancestry has gathered search tips to help organize your research through its Learning Center, Ancestral Charts and Message Boards. Patrons can access billions of names in thousands of genealogical databases including census and vital records, birth, marriage and death notices, the Social Security Death Index, passenger lists and naturalizations, military as well as holocaust records and more.

How Do I Use Ancestry Library?

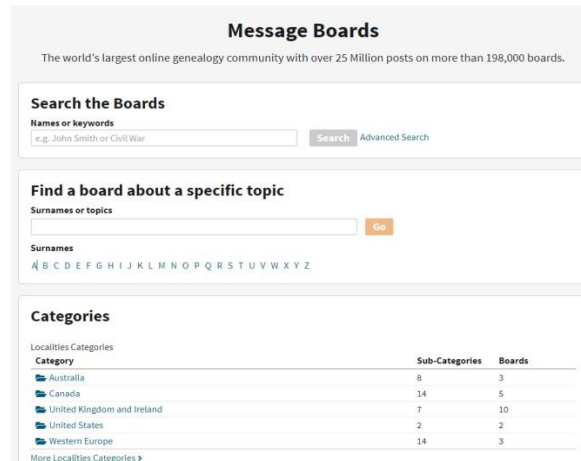
Please note: *patrons can only access this as an in-library resource.

1. Visit our website Research Database page:
<https://www.southboroughlib.org/databases.asp> and click on Ancestry Library
2. Patrons accessing Ancestry Library from the Southborough Library do not need to log in or create an account.



What Are Some Features of Ancestry Library?

1. The experts at Ancestry have assembled a variety of tips and tricks to get your research moving again. You can visit the Learning Center [here](#).
2. Patrons can use [Message Boards](#) to ask questions or find new information that may not have been included in previous searches. Go through different categories or start your own thread, and you can connect to people searching for similar places or people (i.e. biological family).



3. Ancestry Library also offers free [charts and forms](#), such as ancestral charts, research calendars and correspondence records, which patrons can download. These tools can help patrons organize their research.

