

RSA Functionality by Membership Level Overview

See RSA Functionality by Membership Level Detail document for more information.

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Basic Online membership: A library that uses limited parts of the existing application programs and services for cataloging, circulation, holds and the online catalog. Their patrons are in the database for resource sharing and have limited access to system functions. This level of membership is intended to replace standalone automation systems and allow RSA-wide holds only and does not have access to advanced functionality.

Full Online membership: a library that uses all existing application programs and services. Their patrons have full access to all the benefits of the system.

To determine your library's RSA membership level, please refer to the RSA membership list, accessible at <https://support.librariesofrsa.org/about/member-libraries/>.

	Basic Online	Full Online
RSA Member Functionality (Functionality indicated by level with X)		
Cataloging Functions		
Basic Cataloging Level	X	X
Bibliographic Record Exports	X	X
Brief Record Upgrade Service	X	X
Call Number Assistance	X	X
Cataloging Maintenance Center (CMC) Record Loads	X	X
Cataloging Parameter Support	X	X
Cataloging Site Visits	X	X
Cataloging Virtual Office Hours	X	X
Collection Batch Change Service – Call Numbers	X	X
Collection Batch Change Service – Items	X	X
Database Maintenance	X	X
OCLC Cataloging Level	X	X
OCLC Holding Batch Updates	X	X
WorkFlows Bound-With Wizard	X	X
Batch Editing Level		X
WorkFlows Serial Control Module		X

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Circulation Functions		
WorkFlows Circulation Module	X	X
WorkFlows Offline Circulation Module	X	X
Integrated Billing	X	X
Patron Registration and Management	X	X
User Batch Changes	X	X
User Batch Adding or Deleting	X	X
Circulation Training	X	X
Holds Training	X	X
Inventory Control	X	X
System-wide Holds	X	X
MobileStaff app loaded on library owned devices		X
Outreach/Homebound Module		X
3 rd Party Collections (Unique)		X
Acquisitions Module (WorkFlows, most functions depreciated)		X
Academic Reserves Module		X
Report Functions		
Custom Reports / Requests from RSA Support Staff for Reports	X	X
WorkFlows Symphony Reports Module	X	X
BLUEcloud Analytics – Non Personally Identifiable Information (PII) Reports	X	X
BLUEcloud Analytics – Reports Containing PII	X	X
Reports Training	X	X
RSAcac Functions		
Patron Accounts in RScac	X	X
Patron Lists in RScac	X	X
Patron Initiated Holds in RScac	X	X
ADML Digital Title integration in RScac	X	X
ADML Advantage/Advantage Plus Digital Title integration in RScac (for an additional annual fee)	X	X
eRead Illinois Digital Title integration in RScac (for an additional annual fee)	X	X
Hoopla Digital Title integration in RScac (for an additional annual fee)	X	X
Online Bill Pay in RScac Mobile App	X	X
RScac Online Catalog	X	X
RScac Mobile App (BlueCloud Mobile)	X	X
Enhanced Content + (Syndetics Unbound) for RScac	X	X

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Enhanced Content (Book Covers, Reviews, Author Notes) for RSACat & RSACat Mobile	X	X
BLUEcloud Visibility / Linked Data Service	X	X
CloudSource Open Access Resources	X	X
Online Bill Pay in RSACat via ProPay (web version)		X
RSACat App template (allows library specific customization)		X
RSACat Digital Asset Management (likely ending in Jan 2025)		X
RSACat Rooms Content Management (limited RSACat page customizations)		X
RSA Staff Support Functions		
RSA Support Staff Help for Day-to-Day Automation System Issues	X	X
RSA Staff Support Website, RSA Help Desk, Toll-free Telephone Support	X	X
System Maintenance, Troubleshooting, and Support	X	X
Technical Help for WorkFlows Desktop Issues	X	X
RSA Member Library Site Visits	X	X
Database Backup and Maintenance	X	X
RSA assigned and controlled, System Use Specific, Library Email account (ag.als.xxx.rsa@gmail.com)	X	X
Overdrive Consortium Group Purchase	X	X
RSA NFP YouTube Channel	X	X
RSA Listserv Subscription	X	X
Text Messaging Service (Shoutbomb)	X	X
eRead Illinois Membership, (for all public libraries and a membership per automated school branches)	X	X
SIP/SIP2 and Web Services Access		X
3 rd Party Product Support		X
AnyConnect (VPN support for offsite special events)		X
Symphony Web (Symphony in a web browser. RSA is currently limited to 25 simultaneous connections system wide. Extra connections can be paid for)		X
Resource Sharing Support		
User Committees and Users Group (to be replaced with non-governmental Membership Groups in July 2024)	X	X
Resource Sharing policy updates	X	X
RSA Newsletter	X	X
Annual RSA Day	X	X
Email listservs for each membership group (like the current ADML listserv, coming 2024)	X	X

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Future Functionality Under Development		
BLUEcloud Online Cataloging (currently not secure enough for consortia)	X	X
BLUEcloud Online Circulation (daily use functionality, in testing)	X	X
BLUEcloud Online Acquisitions (in development. Available when released)		X