



Fiscal Year 2024 Library Goals

3rd Quarter Review

Community Engagement

- Increase awareness
- Build community relationships
- Extend library services outside the walls of the building (partner programs)
- Invest to create a safe and welcoming destination for our community
 - What we've done:
 - Partner programs
 - Parks & Recreation Nature Walk at Storytime
 - Outreach
 - Bluebonnet Trails Mental Health Parents as Teachers event
 - Bastrop Juneteenth Celebration

History & Culture

- Expand collaborations with historical, cultural, and artistic organizations
- Encourage curiosity and exploration of our city
- Increase knowledge of our collections and resources
 - What we've done:
 - History
 - Teen Museum Scavenger Hunt
 - History Talk – The McDade Outlaws
 - Cultural programs:
 - Día de los Niños
 - Bilingual Storytime
 - Platica con Cafecito

Lifelong Learning

- Increase accessibility to technology tools and support
- Provide meaningful and enjoyable learning experiences
- Partner with educational resources
 - What we've done:
 - Solar Day
 - Financial Literacy series of three programs
 - Seed Library / Gardening programs
 - Partner with Texas Master Gardeners
 - School Tours
 - McDade Elementary 2nd grade
 - Calvary Episcopal School Pre-Kindergarten
 - Acquired five additional hotspots to circulate
 - Rotary Birdhouses

Books & Reading

- Foster a love of reading and a culture of curiosity
- Increase the quality and depth of the collection
- Promote collection to increase usage
 - What we've done:
 - Continued deselection schedule
 - Read with a friend – Teen volunteers
 - Summer Reading Program
 - Genres Survey

Culture of Service

- Meet and exceed customer needs and expectations
- Ensure equitable and inclusive access to library services
- Create a plan for future growth
 - What we've done:
 - Extended Summer hours
 - Policy / procedure updates
 - Google staff calendar
 - Training / Backup
 - Amie Cuvelier & Eva Bernal attended Texas Library Association Conference
 - Self-serve reserve shelf

Administrative

- What we've done:
 - Hiring / Onboarding
 - FY 2025 budget
 - E-rate funding approved
 - TSLAC
 - Annual report approval and maintain of funding
 - ILL reimbursement
 - New Ill system