

## Library Books

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## Texas Smart Buy #715-M2

The three major book suppliers for public libraries all offer the same contract pricing for library books.

- •Discounts off the publisher's list price for each title
- •Pricing for cataloging and shelf-ready library processing options (book jackets, spine labels, barcode labels, RFID tags and catalog records)

Circulatio n Statistics 192,612 physical items checked out in the last year

3,245 titles were added in FY22

Each item in the collection checks out 3.19 times/year on average

## Leasing Bestsellers

Leasing multiple copies of bestselling titles meets short-term demand and keeps wait times low for library customers.

## Recommendation

Approve the minute order for Brodart Books & Library Services in the amount not to exceed \$67,415 for the lease/purchase of library books for the Burleson Public Library.