

Monthly Report - Overview for Jan 2026

Locations on this report: Grand Rapids Area Library

Checkout

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
1st Time	7150	7166	-1	9886	-28	7150	9886	7150	9886	-28
Phone Renewal	150	179	-17	149	0	150	149	150	149	0
Renewal	103	114	-10	206	-50	103	206	103	206	-50
Opac Renewal	513	781	-35	506	1	513	506	513	506	1
Offline 1st Time	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offline Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dayend Auto Renew	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7916</b>	<b>8240</b>	<b>-4</b>	<b>10747</b>	<b>-27</b>	<b>7916</b>	<b>10747</b>	<b>7916</b>	<b>10747</b>	<b>-27</b>

Checkout Stock Rotation

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
1st Time	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Phone Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Opac Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offline 1st Time	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offline Renewal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dayend Auto Renew	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>0</b>									

Checkin

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
Normal	5807	7198	-20	7903	-27	5807	7903	5807	7903	-27
Late	1818	1856	-3	1902	-5	1818	1902	1818	1902	-5
Offline Normal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offline Late	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>7625</b>	<b>9054</b>	<b>-16</b>	<b>9805</b>	<b>-23</b>	<b>7625</b>	<b>9805</b>	<b>7625</b>	<b>9805</b>	<b>-23</b>

Requests Placed

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
Placed	1644	1465	12	2201	-26	1644	2201	1644	2201	-26
<b>Total</b>	<b>1644</b>	<b>1465</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>2201</b>	<b>-26</b>	<b>1644</b>	<b>2201</b>	<b>1644</b>	<b>2201</b>	<b>-26</b>

### Requests Resolved

Description	Jan	2026	Dec	2025	%chg	Jan	2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
Cancelled		79		192	-59		154	-49		79		154	-49
Filled		2363		2394	-2		3172	-26		2363		3172	-26
Expired		7		6	16		6	16		7		6	16
<b>Total</b>		<b>2449</b>		<b>2592</b>	<b>-6</b>		<b>3332</b>	<b>-27</b>		<b>2449</b>		<b>3332</b>	<b>-27</b>

### Holds Resolved

Description	Jan	2026	Dec	2025	%chg	Jan	2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
Picked Up		1476		1310	12		2176	-33		1476		2176	-33
Cancelled		6		5	20		3	100		6		3	100
Expired		157		111	41		123	27		157		123	27
<b>Total</b>		<b>1639</b>		<b>1426</b>	<b>14</b>		<b>2302</b>	<b>-29</b>		<b>1639</b>		<b>2302</b>	<b>-29</b>

### Overdues

Description	Jan	2026	Dec	2025	%chg	Jan	2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
1st Notice		587		582	0		568	3		587		568	3
2nd Notice		5		2	150		9	-45		5		9	-45
3rd Notice		1		0	100		4	-75		1		4	-75
4th Notice		0		0	0		1	-100		0		1	-100
5th Notice		0		0	0		1	-100		0		1	-100
Final Notice		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0
Notice # 7		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0
Notice # 8		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0
Notice # 0		185		185	0		237	-22		185		237	-22
<b>Total</b>		<b>778</b>		<b>769</b>	<b>1</b>		<b>820</b>	<b>-6</b>		<b>778</b>		<b>820</b>	<b>-6</b>

### Borrower Delta

Description	Jan	2026	Dec	2025	%chg	Jan	2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
New (Manual)		34		52	-35		87	-61		34		87	-61
Deleted (Manual)		1		4	-75		10	-90		1		10	-90
New (Batch)		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0
Deleted (Batch)		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0
<b>Total</b>		<b>35</b>		<b>56</b>	<b>-38</b>		<b>97</b>	<b>-64</b>		<b>35</b>		<b>97</b>	<b>-64</b>

### Bib Delta

Description	Jan	2026	Dec	2025	%chg	Jan	2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
New (Manual)		93		114	-19		168	-45		93		168	-45
Deleted (Manual)		158		147	7		859	-82		158		859	-82
New (Batch)		140		94	48		33	324		140		33	324
Deleted (Batch)		0		0	0		0	0		0		0	0

Total	391	355	10	1060	-64	391	1060	-64
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#### Auth Delta

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
New (Manual)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deleted (Manual)	2	0	100	0	100	2	0	0	100	0
New (Batch)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deleted (Batch)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	2	0	100	0	100	2	0	0	100	0

#### Item Delta

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
New (Manual)	275	301	-9	482	-43	275	482	-43	482	-43
Deleted (Manual)	617	410	50	1380	-56	617	1380	-56	1380	-56
New (Batch)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deleted (Batch)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	892	711	25	1862	-53	892	1862	-53	1862	-53

#### Acquisitions Activities

Description	Jan 2026	Dec 2025	%chg	Jan 2025	%chg	2026	YTD	2025	YTD	%chg
Lines Ordered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Items Ordered	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lines Received	178	139	28	196	-10	178	196	196	-10	-10
Items Rcvd by Ven	196	140	40	199	-2	196	199	199	-2	-2
Claims	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	374	279	34	395	-6	374	395	395	-6	-6

# **Grand Rapids Area Library**

## **Reference Statistics**

**January 2026**

	<b>January</b>	<b>YTD 2026</b>
<b>Door Count</b>	<b>3,326</b>	<b>3,326</b>
<b>Reference Questions</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>148</b>
<b>Computer Help Over 5 Minutes</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>
<b>Tests Proctored</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Public Computer Use: Sessions</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>127</b>
<b>Public Computer Use: Hours</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>98</b>
<b>Special Computer Sessions</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>71</b>
<b>Passports Accepted</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>64</b>

# January 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4 220925	5 221239 7	6 221523 8	7 221626 7	8	9	10 22
11	12 222189 6	13 222483 6	14 222784 3	15	16	17 15
18	19 ML King Day	20 223165 5	21 223380 6	22	23	24 11
25	26 223653 6	27 223965 4	28 224261 6	29	30	31 16
		Notes				64

$$224261 - 221239 = 3,022$$

# January 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 New Year's Day	2	3
4	5 11 np/ 1 <del>11</del> c/ 1	6 12 np/ 1 <del>11</del> c/ 1	7 8 np/ 1 <del>11</del> c/ 1	8	9	10
11	12 32 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	13 13 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	14 22 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	15	16	17
18	19 ML King Day CLOSED	20 13 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	21 7 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	22	23	24
25	26 8 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 1	27 10 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 11	28 12 np/ <del>11</del> c/ 11	29	30	31
		Notes				

## Children's in January

And so it begins. Our new library schedule has been hitting our patrons, hard. We have been fielding much concern from the public, and our days are significantly busier than "normal?" It's been a month of adjusting, for everyone. Some highlights:

1. Page Turners Book Club met
2. Tracy did two programs for KAXE this month, one standard review plus a Newbery (and other awards announced by the American Library Association on Monday, Jan. 26) blurb, and a second, post-Newbery announcement program discussing the outcomes.
3. Tracy and Amy were guests at the Library Foundation meeting, where we discussed what programming we could continue throughout the year. We will continue Book Clubs, Book Time, and Artastic, and possibly, return Lego Club this summer. We will NOT be hosting Summer Celebration this year, as most available additional funds need to be put toward our book budget.
4. Ms. Diana filmed another Artastic segment, focusing on winter trees...they are wonderful! Kits are being distributed this week.

Happy Reading!

# **GRAL Children's Library Monthly Statistics**

## **January 2026**

### **Artastic**

Programs: 1

Facebook plays: 261

YouTube views: 25

**Total views: 286**

**Kits handed out: 150**

1/06	Book Time	41
1/12	Page Turners	4
1/13	Book Time	32
1/20	Book Time	24
1/27	Book Time	43

**Total Programs: 5 People: 144**

Book Times : 4 People: 140

Library Programs: 1 People: 4

**Reference Questions 2026: 291**

**Reference Questions 2025: 419**

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## JANUARY

2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 <i>291</i>
4	5 <i>22</i>	6 <i>14</i>	7 <i>41</i>	8	9	10 <i>79</i>
11	12 <i>25</i>	13 <i>23</i>	14 <i>26</i>	15	16	17 <i>74</i>
18	19 <i>CLOSED</i>	20 <i>NO C1 MAI</i>	21 <i>14</i>	22	23	24 <i>31</i>
25	26 <i>38</i>	27 <i>32</i>	28 <i>34</i>	29	30	31 <i>104</i>

## GRAND RAPIDS AREA LIBRARY: 2026 Volunteer Report

Month	Regular Volunteers		RSVP Volunteers		Library Board		Library Friends		Library Foundation		Total	Total
	# Vol	Hours	# Vol	Hours	# Vol	Hours	# Vol	Hours	# Vol	Hours		
January	40	160.75	4	43.75	9	29.00	10	60.00	10	14.00	44	204.50
February											0	0.00
March											0	0.00
April											0	0.00
May											0	0.00
June											0	0.00
July											0	0.00
August											0	0.00
September											0	0.00
October											0	0.00
November											0	0.00
December											0	0.00
<b>Total</b>		<b>160.75</b>		<b>43.75</b>		<b>29.00</b>		<b>60.00</b>		<b>14.00</b>	*	<b>204.50</b>