

Year in Review 2023-2024



51,442

LIBRARY VISITORS

4,858

LIBRARY CARD
HOLDERS

577

NEW CARDS
ISSUED



22,198

VIRTUAL ITEMS
USAGE

EBOOKS	9,292
AUDIOBOOKS	11,991
MAGAZINES	915



65,605

PHYSICAL ITEMS USAGE

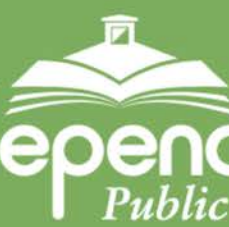
ADULT BOOKS	22,332
YOUNG ADULT BOOKS	2,147
CHILDREN BOOKS	30,378
MAGAZINES	658
DVDS	6,698
AUDIOS	2,485
OTHER	907



\$1.3 Million

COLLECTIVELY
SAVED BY
COMMUNITY
MEMBERS BY
BORROWING
MATERIALS!



**IOWA**
Independence
Public Library

237 PROGRAMS
OFFERED

6,356 PEOPLE
ATTENDED

《》 **ADULT & FAMILY PROGRAMS**

113 live programs
1,908 attended

《》 **CHILDREN PROGRAMS**

95 live programs
4,084 attended

《》 **TEEN PROGRAMS**

25 live programs
354 attended

《》 **VIRTUAL PROGRAMS**

4 programs
10 attended



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12,389

COMPUTER USAGE



4,525

DESKTOPS

4,509

WIRELESS

SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBSITE

35,402

WEBSITE
USAGE

2,778

FACEBOOK
FOLLOWERS

1,593

INSTAGRAM
LIKES

867,859

FACEBOOK
REACH

2,633

EARLY LITERACY
COMPUTERS

722

LAPTOPS &
CARD CATALOG

IN-HOUSE USAGE

416

STUDY
ROOMS

49

COMMUNITY ROOM
USAGE BY
OUTSIDE GROUPS



LIBRARY OF THINGS USAGE

214

HOTSPOTS

578

JIGSAW PUZZLES

23

CAKE PANS

102

GAMES/SPORTS
EQUIPMENT

565

LEGOS

34

GAMES

161


ART KITS &
FLOWER
KITS

353

ACTIVITY
TABLES

162

WIRELESS
HEADPHONES


Independence IOWA
Public Library

42,386

PHYSICAL ITEMS OWNED



36,318

BOOKS

2,107

AUDIOS



3,528

VIDEOS

433

OTHER



155,334

VIRTUAL ITEMS OWNED



105,544
EBOOKS

49,790

AUDIOBOOKS

