

Library Report

Dates included: November 1, 2025 – November 30, 2025

Circulation Statistics: 4,294 Checkouts (749 more than November 2024)

Cards issued: 51 total new cards | 40 in-person cards | 11 website sign-ups

Materials Added: 7 Items Value: \$132.93

Materials Weeded: 121 Items Value: \$2,521.60

Overdrive (WT Digital Consortium) – 3,819 eBooks, 33,608 eAudiobooks, and 522 eMagazines

Overdrive New User Registrations – 58 new users (21 more than November 2024)

Total number of visitors: 1,897

Total number of computer users: 174

Total number of reference questions: 832

Meeting Room reservations: 12

Program totals: 32 Total Programs: (4 more programs than November 2024)

Family – 2 | Preschool – 22 | School Age – 1 | Teen – 1 | Adult – 5 | Outreach – 1 | Passive – 0 |

Total Participation: 584 Total

53 Giveaways (83 sponsored by Literacy Lubbock) |

293 Babies/Toddlers (0-5) | 18 Children (6-11) | 15 Teens (12-18) | 258 adults

Volunteer Hours: 26 hours (23.75 more than November 2024)

We have finished our large weeding project of our fiction collection and will begin working on our non-fiction collection, kids, and teens as we finish out the year. We have also made our first large order of materials for the new fiscal year and will work on getting all those added to the collection. We are already seeing more circulation since removing older, non-relevant titles from the collection. The shelves look cleaner, more organized, and are much easier to browse for our patrons. As we continue working with increased usage and limited space, we will diligently work to keep our physical collection updated and relevant to our community.

It is already time for us to start preparing for our annual summer reading program. The theme for 2026 will be Dinosaurs, which is a fantastic theme to keep kids reading throughout the summer. We are planning to host a kick-off party at Patterson Park again this year, instead of an end of summer party. We are planning this event for Friday after Memorial Day weekend. As we end the year, we plan to continue working on additional outreach opportunities in the community in 2026. Our goal is to continue being the cornerstone of the community and creating an environment that supports learning, community involvement, and families.