

Lafayette Public Library  
 Monthly Report -  
 May

Total Checkouts (including renewals)	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	13,442	17,805	20,138	22,227	23,472	-25%	
Warehouse	411	882	1,090	1,213	-	-53%	
Outreach	845	881	1,178	1,269	1,629	-4%	-48%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	14,698	19,568	22,406	24,709	25,101	-25%	-41%
Broussard	1,526	3,681	3,571	4,332	4,007	-59%	-62%
Butler	13	7	29	26	25	86%	-48%
Chenier	1,882	2,140	2,966	2,963	3,231	-12%	-42%
Duson	1,051	974	1,355	1,999	1,405	8%	-25%
East Regional	4,519	-	-	-	-		
Milton	2,993	3,142	3,940	4,979	4,252	-5%	-30%
North Regional	18,499	18,927	21,063	21,041	21,040	-2%	-12%
Scott	4,383	4,796	4,907	5,327	5,789	-9%	-24%
South Regional	73,573	76,790	78,216	79,948	77,502	-4%	-5%
Youngsville	2,475	7,335	8,194	9,386	9,637	-66%	-74%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	110,914	117,792	124,241	130,001	126,888	-6%	-13%
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	125,612	137,360	146,647	154,710	151,989	-9%	-17%
<i>% total ckos</i>	91%	92%	94%	96%	98%		
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	12,601	11,144	9,287	6,240	2,367	13%	432%
<i>% total ckos</i>	9%	8%	6%	4%	2%		
<b>Total checkouts</b>	138,213	148,504	155,934	160,950	154,356	-7%	-10%

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Checkouts (excl. renewals)	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	7,814	11,420	13,216	14,503	14,894	-32%	-48%
Warehouse	257	705	921	826	-	-64%	
Outreach	530	581	798	948	1,099	-9%	-52%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	<i>8,601</i>	<i>12,706</i>	<i>14,935</i>	<i>16,277</i>	<i>15,993</i>	<i>-32%</i>	<i>-46%</i>
Broussard	754	2,501	2,449	2,892	2,698	-70%	-72%
Butler	4	4	13	25	25	0%	-84%
Chenier	1,372	1,362	2,107	2,146	2,275	1%	-40%
Duson	856	760	985	1,476	1,008	13%	-15%
East Regional	4,292	-	-	-	-		
Milton	1,996	2,071	2,764	3,432	2,755	-4%	-28%
North Regional	12,840	12,622	14,651	15,155	14,777	2%	-13%
Scott	2,874	3,268	3,475	3,837	4,242	-12%	-32%
South Regional	50,572	52,825	53,867	55,291	54,421	-4%	-7%
Youngsville	917	4,734	5,544	6,641	6,856	-81%	-87%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	<i>76,477</i>	<i>80,147</i>	<i>85,855</i>	<i>90,895</i>	<i>89,057</i>	<i>-5%</i>	<i>-14%</i>
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	<i>85,078</i>	<i>92,853</i>	<i>100,790</i>	<i>107,172</i>	<i>105,050</i>	<i>-8%</i>	<i>-19%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>87%</i>	<i>89%</i>	<i>92%</i>	<i>94%</i>	<i>98%</i>		
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	<i>12,601</i>	<i>11,144</i>	<i>9,287</i>	<i>6,240</i>	<i>2,367</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>432%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>13%</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>8%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>2%</i>		
<b>Total non-renewal checkouts</b>	<b>97,679</b>	<b>103,997</b>	<b>110,077</b>	<b>113,412</b>	<b>107,417</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>-9%</b>
<b>Renewals done:</b>							
Via automated phone line	-	5,697	5,658	6,485	6,388	-100%	-100%
Via online catalog	29,201	28,741	30,580	29,358	29,651	2%	-2%
Over the phone	8,927	7,928	7,091	8,467	7,836	13%	14%
Walk in	2,406	2,141	2,528	3,228	3,064	12%	-21%
<b>Total Renewals</b>	<b>40,534</b>	<b>44,507</b>	<b>45,857</b>	<b>47,538</b>	<b>46,939</b>	<b>-9%</b>	<b>-14%</b>
Renewals as % of total ckos	29%	30%	29%	30%	30%		

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People Checking Out Items (sessions)	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	2,273	3,064	3,389	3,644	3,988	-26%	-43%
Warehouse	184	380	342	305	-	-52%	
Outreach	52	63	86	96	100	-17%	-48%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	2,509	3,507	3,817	4,045	4,088	-28%	-39%
Broussard	239	670	705	791	782	-64%	-69%
Butler	1	2	2	15	10	-50%	-90%
Chenier	394	372	525	548	539	6%	-27%
Duson	212	210	206	373	199	1%	7%
East Regional	768	-	-	-	-		
Milton	509	548	655	812	662	-7%	-23%
North Regional	2,919	2,946	3,534	3,498	3,431	-1%	-15%
Scott	744	853	859	927	953	-13%	-22%
South Regional	10,402	10,861	11,370	11,297	11,653	-4%	-11%
Youngsville	299	1,113	1,224	1,432	1,426	-73%	-79%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	16,487	17,575	19,080	19,693	19,655	-6%	-16%
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	18,996	21,082	22,897	23,738	23,743	-10%	-20%
<i>% total ckos</i>	67%	74%	80%	85%	94%		
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	9,202	7,476	5,640	4,163	1,622	23%	467%
<i>% total ckos</i>	33%	26%	20%	15%	6%		
<b>Grand Total</b>	28,198	28,558	28,537	27,901	25,365	-1%	11%

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Circulation By Type - System Wide	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Adult Fiction Books	21,253	24,683	25,795	27,380	27,690	-14%	-23%
Adult Non-Fiction Books	12,583	14,182	14,655	15,446	16,393	-11%	-23%
<i>subtotal - Adult Books</i>	<i>33,836</i>	<i>38,865</i>	<i>40,450</i>	<i>42,826</i>	<i>44,083</i>	<i>-13%</i>	<i>-23%</i>
Juvenile Fiction Books	28,208	29,188	30,402	30,260	30,732	-3%	-8%
Juvenile Non-Fiction Books	7,368	7,360	7,269	7,416	7,144	0%	3%
<i>subtotal - Juv Books</i>	<i>35,576</i>	<i>36,548</i>	<i>37,671</i>	<i>37,676</i>	<i>37,876</i>	<i>-3%</i>	<i>-6%</i>
Subtotal - Physical books	69,412	75,413	78,121	80,502	81,959	-8%	-15%
Subtotal - Electronic books	10,238	8,905	7,279	5,475	1,639	15%	525%
<b>Total Books (all formats)</b>	<b>79,650</b>	<b>84,318</b>	<b>85,400</b>	<b>85,977</b>	<b>83,598</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>-5%</b>
Periodicals - (physical)	799	1,031	1,085	1,459	1,111	-23%	-28%
Periodicals - (electronic)	279	605	850	-	-	-54%	
<b>Total Periodicals (all formats)</b>	<b>1,078</b>	<b>1,636</b>	<b>1,935</b>	<b>1,459</b>	<b>1,111</b>	<b>-34%</b>	<b>-3%</b>
Music audio	4,817	6,663	7,261	7,621	8,019	-28%	-40%
Spoken audiobooks	2,971	3,189	3,475	4,021	3,801	-7%	-22%
Electronic audiobooks	2,029	1,562	1,158	765	728	30%	179%
Subtotal - Audiobooks	5,000	4,751	4,633	4,786	4,529	5%	10%
<b>Total Audio (all formats)</b>	<b>9,817</b>	<b>11,414</b>	<b>11,894</b>	<b>12,407</b>	<b>12,548</b>	<b>-14%</b>	<b>-22%</b>
DVD (VHS) video	46,418	49,440	54,370	58,475	54,410	-6%	-15%
Streaming video	55	72	-	-	-	-24%	
<b>Total Video</b>	<b>46,473</b>	<b>49,512</b>	<b>54,370</b>	<b>58,475</b>	<b>54,410</b>	<b>-6%</b>	<b>-15%</b>
<b>CD-ROMS &amp; Games</b>	<b>871</b>	<b>1,116</b>	<b>1,630</b>	<b>1,896</b>	<b>1,842</b>	<b>-22%</b>	<b>-53%</b>
Baskets	189	259	457	483	492	-27%	-62%
ILLs	135	249	248	253	355	-46%	-62%
Bulk loans	-	-	-	-	-		
<b>Other items</b>	<b>324</b>	<b>508</b>	<b>705</b>	<b>736</b>	<b>847</b>	<b>-36%</b>	<b>-62%</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>138,213</b>	<b>148,504</b>	<b>155,934</b>	<b>160,950</b>	<b>154,356</b>	<b>-7%</b>	<b>-10%</b>

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% of total circulation	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011
Adult Fiction Books	15.38%	16.62%	16.54%	17.01%	17.94%
Adult Non-Fiction Books	9.10%	9.55%	9.40%	9.60%	10.62%
<i>subtotal - Adult Books</i>	24.48%	26.17%	25.94%	26.61%	28.56%
Juvenile Fiction Books	20.41%	19.65%	19.50%	18.80%	19.91%
Juvenile Non-Fiction Books	5.33%	4.96%	4.66%	4.61%	4.63%
<i>subtotal - Juv Books</i>	25.74%	24.61%	24.16%	23.41%	24.54%
Subtotal - Physical books	50.22%	50.78%	50.10%	50.02%	53.10%
Subtotal - Electronic books	7.41%	6.00%	4.67%	3.40%	1.06%
<b><i>Total Books (all formats)</i></b>	<b>57.63%</b>	<b>56.78%</b>	<b>54.77%</b>	<b>53.42%</b>	<b>54.16%</b>
Periodicals - (physical)	0.58%	0.69%	0.70%	0.91%	0.72%
Periodicals - (electronic)	0.20%	0.41%	0.55%	0.00%	0.00%
<b><i>Periodicals</i></b>	<b>0.78%</b>	<b>1.10%</b>	<b>1.24%</b>	<b>0.91%</b>	<b>0.72%</b>
Music audio	3.49%	4.49%	4.66%	4.74%	5.20%
Spoken audiobooks	2.15%	2.15%	2.23%	2.50%	2.46%
Electronic audiobooks	1.47%	1.05%	0.74%	0.48%	0.47%
Subtotal - Audiobooks	3.62%	3.20%	2.97%	2.97%	2.93%
<b><i>Total Audio (all formats)</i></b>	<b>7.10%</b>	<b>7.69%</b>	<b>7.63%</b>	<b>7.71%</b>	<b>8.13%</b>
DVD (VHS) video	33.58%	33.29%	34.87%	36.33%	35.25%
Streaming video	0.04%	0.05%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
<b><i>Total Video</i></b>	<b>33.62%</b>	<b>33.34%</b>	<b>34.87%</b>	<b>36.33%</b>	<b>35.25%</b>
<b><i>CD-ROMS &amp; Games</i></b>	<b>0.63%</b>	<b>0.75%</b>	<b>1.05%</b>	<b>1.18%</b>	<b>1.19%</b>
Baskets	0.14%	0.17%	0.29%	0.30%	0.32%
ILLs	0.10%	0.17%	0.16%	0.16%	0.23%
Bulk loans	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
<b><i>Other items</i></b>	<b>0.23%</b>	<b>0.34%</b>	<b>0.45%</b>	<b>0.46%</b>	<b>0.55%</b>
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>	<b>100.00%</b>

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Electronic usage	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
<b>E-collection</b>							
E-audio checkout	2,029	1,562	1,158	765	728	30%	179%
E-music checkout	-	-	-	-	-		
E-video checkout	55	72	-	-	-	-24%	
E-book checkout	10,221	8,872	7,151	5,475	1,639	15%	524%
Proj Gutenberg checkouts	17	33	128	-	-	-49%	
E-periodical checkout	279	605	850	-	-	-54%	
<i>Total electronic checkouts</i>	12,601	11,144	9,287	6,240	2,367	13%	432%
New Registrations	226	267	379	327	231	-15%	-2%
E-book catalog searches	-	56,773	39,750	-	-	-100%	
E-collection holds placed	3,946	3,609	2,034	2,301	1,164	9%	239%
Database use	7,362	5,904	6,677	4,747	3,619	25%	103%
Visits to website	55,186	55,356	57,779	57,354	64,432	0%	-14%
<b>Online catalog (web product)</b>							
Patron visits	42,592	50,682	50,986	49,762	47,149	-16%	-10%
Searches	153,388	101,336	269,228	143,147	90,724	51%	69%
Holds placed	11,655	13,161	13,319	14,567	14,197	-11%	-18%
<b>Mobile app (LPL Mobile)</b>							
total users (sessions)	8,194	1,935	7,551	-	-		
total checkouts	144	133	73	-	-		
catalog searches using app	141,353	72,356	38,675				
Total catalog searches	294,741	230,465	347,653	-	-	28%	

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New Library Cards	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	102	140	167	179	145	-27%	-30%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	2	(5)	1	-	1	-140%	100%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	104	135	168	179	146	-23%	-29%
Broussard	11	21	30	31	31	-48%	-65%
Butler	-	-	1	3	13		-100%
Chenier	27	33	40	53	39	-18%	-31%
Duson	6	10	50	46	7	-40%	-14%
East Regional	75	-	-	-	-		
Milton	10	5	6	27	12	100%	-17%
North Regional	112	103	147	156	119	9%	-6%
Scott	19	18	15	23	28	6%	-32%
South Regional	527	433	460	391	388	22%	36%
Youngsville	4	21	34	36	47	-81%	-91%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	791	644	783	766	684	23%	16%
Grand Total	895	779	951	945	830	15%	8%

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Library Visitors (to a facility)	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	17,518	18,772	17,143	20,173	12,041	-7%	45%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	52	63	86	96	100	-17%	-48%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	17,570	18,835	17,229	20,269	12,141	-7%	45%
Broussard	962	2,541	2,179	2,418	2,483	-62%	-61%
Butler	-	170	282	333	306	-100%	-100%
Chenier	3,474	3,322	3,170	2,795	2,407	5%	44%
Duson	1,829	1,473	1,875	1,727	1,084	24%	69%
East Regional	-	-	-	-	-		
Milton	2,732	2,170	2,416	3,023	2,709	26%	1%
North Regional	8,588	9,205	9,427	9,105	8,337	-7%	3%
Scott	2,970	3,382	3,449	3,769	3,828	-12%	-22%
South Regional	29,248	30,293	29,212	27,158	31,452	-3%	-7%
Youngsville	1,524	2,661	2,878	3,313	3,614	-43%	-58%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	51,327	55,217	54,888	53,641	56,220	-7%	-9%
Grand Total	68,897	74,052	72,117	73,910	68,361	-7%	1%

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Patron Questions	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	1,083	1,122	1,541	1,740	1,910	-3%	-43%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	1,083	1,122	1,541	1,740	1,910	-3%	-43%
Broussard	90	220	173	188	205	-59%	-56%
Butler	-	-	-	-	-		
Chenier	483	820	550	458	250	-41%	93%
Duson	200	238	245	174	50	-16%	300%
East Regional	504	-	-	-	-		
Milton	115	133	139	144	131	-14%	-12%
North Regional	1,222	2,301	3,011	1,456	1,333	-47%	-8%
Scott	142	163	138	140	159	-13%	-11%
South Regional	4,863	4,701	3,998	3,624	3,717	3%	31%
Youngsville	125	239	211	208	180	-48%	-31%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	7,744	8,815	8,465	6,392	6,025	-12%	29%
<i>Asked in person/phone</i>	8,827	9,937	10,006	8,132	7,935	-11%	11%
<i>% total ckos</i>	99%	100%	100%	99%	100%	0%	0%
<i>Asked electronically</i>	46	33	38	45	8	39%	475%
<i>% total ckos</i>	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	57%	415%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>8,873</b>	<b>9,970</b>	<b>10,044</b>	<b>8,177</b>	<b>7,943</b>	<b>-11%</b>	<b>12%</b>

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Use of Library Computers (sessions)	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main	-	-	-	-	-		
Jefferson Street	7,583	7,897	8,667	9,963	9,108	-4%	-17%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	7,583	7,897	8,667	9,963	9,108	-4%	-17%
Broussard	243	649	638	499	674	-63%	-64%
Butler	-	173	353	338	506	-100%	-100%
Chenier	2,165	2,308	2,546	2,301	2,341	-6%	-8%
Duson	725	572	720	945	356	27%	104%
East Regional	605	-	-	-	-		
Milton	323	192	286	250	322	68%	0%
North Regional	4,345	5,094	4,795	5,191	4,653	-15%	-7%
Scott	1,031	1,004	1,242	1,249	1,399	3%	-26%
South Regional	10,845	10,949	11,433	12,119	11,593	-1%	-6%
Youngsville	211	563	542	730	1,064	-63%	-80%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	20,493	21,504	22,555	23,622	22,908	-5%	-11%
Grand Total	28,076	29,401	31,222	33,585	32,016	-5%	-12%

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Programs	May 2015	May 2014	May 2013	May 2012	May 2011	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
<b>Children's</b>							
Number of programs	10	17	12	13	12	-41%	-17%
Attendance	3,915	3,576	3,743	328	2,650		
Avg attendance/prog	391.50	210.35	311.92	25.23	220.83	86%	77%
<b>Teens</b>							
Number of programs	2	7	4	5	11	-71%	-82%
Attendance	29	255	187	99	101		
Avg attendance/prog	14.50	36.43	46.75	19.80	9.18	-60%	58%
<b>Adult</b>							
Number of programs	22	15	20	28	56	47%	-61%
Attendance	571	632	573	542	685		
Avg attendance/prog	25.95	42.13	28.65	19.36	12.23	-38%	112%
<b>Grand Total</b>							
<i>Number of programs</i>	34	39	36	46	79	-13%	-57%
<i>Attendance</i>	4,515	4,463	4,503	969	3,436		
<i>Avg attendance/prog</i>	132.79	114.44	125.08	21.07	43.49	16%	205%