

Lafayette Public Library
Monthly Report - September

Total Checkouts (including renewals)	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	36,596	37,843	-	-	-	-3%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	17,021	21,113	20,865		
Warehouse	-	-	695	1,121	845		
Outreach	930	1,033	1,031	1,064	1,165	-10%	-20%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	<i>37,526</i>	<i>38,876</i>	<i>18,747</i>	<i>23,298</i>	<i>22,875</i>	<i>-3%</i>	<i>64%</i>
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	3,500	3,795	3,855		-100%
Butler	20	41	34	16	6	-51%	233%
Chenier	1,403	1,555	2,151	2,621	3,268	-10%	-57%
Duson	80	1,338	1,153	1,957	1,096	-94%	-93%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	17,919	-	-	-	-		
Milton	2,318	3,044	3,135	3,200	4,202	-24%	-45%
North Regional	14,529	17,813	18,753	20,327	21,698	-18%	-33%
Scott	4,030	4,200	4,742	4,953	4,185	-4%	-4%
South Regional	50,481	55,311	69,838	73,550	75,480	-9%	-33%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	8,223	7,864	8,095		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	<i>90,780</i>	<i>83,302</i>	<i>111,529</i>	<i>118,283</i>	<i>121,885</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>-26%</i>
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	<i>128,306</i>	<i>122,178</i>	<i>130,276</i>	<i>141,581</i>	<i>144,760</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>-11%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>89%</i>	<i>90%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>94%</i>	<i>96%</i>		
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	<i>15,454</i>	<i>13,392</i>	<i>12,107</i>	<i>9,387</i>	<i>6,220</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>148%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>11%</i>	<i>10%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>6%</i>	<i>4%</i>		
Total checkouts	143,760	135,570	142,383	150,968	150,980	6%	-5%

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Checkouts (excl. renewals)	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	21,047	24,654	-	-	-	-15%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	10,754	13,691	13,157		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	515	922	703		-100%
Outreach	732	715	771	719	897	2%	-18%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	<i>21,779</i>	<i>25,369</i>	<i>12,040</i>	<i>15,332</i>	<i>14,757</i>	<i>-14%</i>	<i>48%</i>
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	2,342	2,616	2,539		-100%
Butler	15	34	34	16	5	-56%	200%
Chenier	846	1,149	1,542	1,683	2,214	-26%	-62%
Duson	-	1,161	909	1,509	820	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	13,311	-	-	-	-		
Milton	1,469	2,078	2,184	2,151	2,809	-29%	-48%
North Regional	10,954	12,160	13,170	14,472	14,784	-10%	-26%
Scott	2,721	2,936	3,265	3,324	2,969	-7%	-8%
South Regional	34,111	36,347	45,805	48,913	50,011	-6%	-32%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	5,608	5,442	5,583		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	<i>63,427</i>	<i>55,865</i>	<i>74,859</i>	<i>80,126</i>	<i>81,734</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>-22%</i>
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	<i>85,206</i>	<i>81,234</i>	<i>86,899</i>	<i>95,458</i>	<i>96,491</i>	<i>5%</i>	<i>-12%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>85%</i>	<i>86%</i>	<i>88%</i>	<i>91%</i>	<i>94%</i>		
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	<i>15,454</i>	<i>13,392</i>	<i>12,107</i>	<i>9,387</i>	<i>6,220</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>148%</i>
<i>% total ckos</i>	<i>15%</i>	<i>14%</i>	<i>12%</i>	<i>9%</i>	<i>6%</i>		
Total non-renewal checkouts	100,660	94,626	99,006	104,845	102,711	6%	-2%
Renewals done:							
Via automated phone line	998	-	-	5,805	6,197		-84%
Via online catalog	27,983	33,714	30,492	29,802	31,543	-17%	-11%
Over the phone	-	10,687	10,230	8,100	7,882	-100%	-100%
Total Renewals	43,100	47,015	43,377	46,123	48,269	-8%	-11%
Renewals as % of total ckos	30%	35%	30%	31%	32%		

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People Checking Out Items	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	-	6,101	-	-	-	-100%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	2,992	3,527	3,441		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	306	365	346		-100%
Outreach	-	77	85	75	90	-100%	-100%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	-	6,178	3,383	3,967	3,877	-100%	-100%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	659	682	672		-100%
Butler	-	8	10	7	3	-100%	-100%
Chenier	-	340	453	455	488	-100%	-100%
Duson	-	233	191	312	192	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	-	-	-	-	-		
Milton	-	530	611	581	698	-100%	-100%
North Regional	-	2,936	3,105	3,374	3,252	-100%	-100%
Scott	-	795	875	810	726	-100%	-100%
South Regional	-	7,741	9,952	10,481	10,704	-100%	-100%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	1,302	1,229	1,223		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	-	12,583	17,158	17,931	17,958	-100%	-100%
<i>Checked out from locations</i>	-	18,761	20,541	21,898	21,835	-100%	-100%
<i>Checked out electronically</i>	10,988	9,879	8,550	6,031	4,192	11%	162%
<i>% total ckos</i>	100%	34%	29%	22%	16%		
Grand Total	10,988	28,640	29,091	27,929	26,027	-62%	-58%

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Circulation By Type - System Wide	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Adult Fiction Books	20,905	23,800	22,981	25,621	26,480	-12%	-21%
Adult Non-Fiction Books	14,735	15,108	12,791	13,958	14,492	-2%	2%
<i>subtotal - Adult Books</i>	<i>35,640</i>	<i>38,908</i>	<i>35,772</i>	<i>39,579</i>	<i>40,972</i>	<i>-8%</i>	<i>-13%</i>
Juvenile Fiction Books	30,520	33,216	28,265	29,685	29,005	-8%	5%
Juvenile Non-Fiction Books	7,943	8,635	7,748	7,868	7,388	-8%	8%
<i>subtotal - Juv Books</i>	<i>38,463</i>	<i>41,851</i>	<i>36,013</i>	<i>37,553</i>	<i>36,393</i>	<i>-8%</i>	<i>6%</i>
Subtotal - Physical books	74,103	80,759	71,785	77,132	77,365	-8%	-4%
Subtotal - Electronic books	11,266	10,323	9,647	7,349	5,472	9%	106%
Total Books (all formats)	85,369	91,082	81,432	84,481	82,837	-6%	3%
Periodicals - (physical)	900	1,069	1,050	1,034	1,102	-16%	-18%
Periodicals - (electronic)	843	594	730	750	-	42%	
Total Periodicals (all formats)	1,743	1,663	1,780	1,784	1,102	5%	58%
Music audio	4,547	5,753	5,306	7,022	7,438	-21%	-39%
Spoken audiobooks	2,760	3,173	3,347	3,665	3,462	-13%	-20%
Electronic audiobooks	3,345	2,407	1,684	1,288	748	39%	347%
Subtotal - Audiobooks	6,105	5,580	5,031	4,953	4,210	9%	45%
Total Audio (all formats)	10,652	11,333	10,337	11,975	11,648	-6%	-9%
Streaming video	-	68	46	-	-	-100%	
Total Video	45,178	49,882	47,372	50,733	52,585	-9%	-14%
CD-ROMS & Games	627	710	982	1,413	2,175	-12%	-71%
Baskets	85	393	260	342	380	-78%	-78%
ILLs	106	224	220	240	253	-53%	-58%
Bulk loans	-	-	-	-	-		
Other items	191	617	480	582	633	-69%	-70%
Grand Total	143,760	155,287	142,383	150,968	150,980	-7%	-5%

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% of total circulation	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012
Adult Fiction Books	14.54%	15.33%	16.14%	16.97%	17.54%
Adult Non-Fiction Books	10.25%	9.73%	8.98%	9.25%	9.60%
<i>subtotal - Adult Books</i>	24.79%	25.06%	25.12%	26.22%	27.14%
Juvenile Fiction Books	21.23%	21.39%	19.85%	19.66%	19.21%
Juvenile Non-Fiction Books	5.53%	5.56%	5.44%	5.21%	4.89%
<i>subtotal - Juv Books</i>	26.76%	26.95%	25.29%	24.87%	24.10%
Subtotal - Physical books	51.55%	52.01%	50.42%	51.09%	51.24%
Subtotal - Electronic books	7.84%	6.65%	6.78%	4.87%	3.62%
Total Books (all formats)	59.38%	58.65%	57.19%	55.96%	54.87%
Periodicals - (physical)	0.63%	0.69%	0.74%	0.68%	0.73%
Periodicals - (electronic)	0.59%	0.38%	0.51%	0.50%	0.00%
Periodicals	1.21%	1.07%	1.25%	1.18%	0.73%
Spoken audiobooks	1.92%	2.04%	2.35%	2.43%	2.29%
Electronic audiobooks	2.33%	1.55%	1.18%	0.85%	0.50%
Subtotal - Audiobooks	4.25%	3.59%	3.53%	3.28%	2.79%
Total Audio (all formats)	7.41%	7.30%	7.26%	7.93%	7.71%
DVD (VHS) video	31.43%	32.08%	33.24%	33.61%	34.83%
Streaming video	0.00%	0.04%	0.03%	0.00%	0.00%
Total Video	31.43%	32.12%	33.27%	33.61%	34.83%
CD-ROMS & Games	0.44%	0.46%	0.69%	0.94%	1.44%
Baskets	0.06%	0.25%	0.18%	0.23%	0.25%
ILLs	0.07%	0.14%	0.15%	0.16%	0.17%
Bulk loans	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%
Other items	0.13%	0.40%	0.34%	0.39%	0.42%
Grand Total	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%	100.00%

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Electronic usage	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
E-collection							
E-audio checkout	3,345	2,407	1,684	1,288	748	39%	347%
E-music checkout	-	-	-	-	-		
E-video checkout	-	68	46	-	-	-100%	
E-book checkout	11,266	10,308	9,597	7,310	5,472	9%	106%
Proj Gutenberg checkouts	-	15	50	39	-	-100%	
E-periodical checkout	843	594	730	750	-	42%	
New Registrations	215	232	291	291	268	-7%	-20%
E-book catalog searches	74,408	70,042	57,690	38,722	-	6%	
E-collection holds placed	7,405	4,762	-	2,239	2,059	56%	260%
Database use	1,908	24,559	32,090	15,236	8,634	-92%	-78%
Visits to website	-	67,923	60,005	52,914	54,463	-100%	-100%
Online catalog (web product)							
Patron visits	-	45,622	53,412	50,962	50,014	-100%	-100%
Searches	-	117,278	115,389	121,839	153,355	-100%	-100%
Holds placed	-	12,332	12,314	13,614	13,817	-100%	-100%
Mobile app (LPL Mobile)							
total users (sessions)	9,630	9,313	2,214	14,463	-		
total checkouts	998	461	307	98	-		
catalog searches using app	116,298	113,351	84,374	59,157			
Total catalog searches	190,706	300,671	257,453	219,718	-	-37%	

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New Library Cards	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	432	491	-	-	-	-12%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	143	185	154		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	1	1	(1)	-	-100%	
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	432	492	144	184	154	-12%	181%
Butler	1	1	4	-	6	0%	-83%
Chenier	25	29	45	47	57	-14%	-56%
Duson	-	6	12	16	7	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	153	-	-	-	-		
Milton	7	4	3	9	3	75%	133%
North Regional	141	173	134	172	129	-18%	9%
Scott	25	26	10	26	22	-4%	14%
South Regional	316	420	425	431	442	-25%	-29%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	54	40	28		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	668	659	721	764	736	1%	-9%
Grand Total	1,100	1,151	865	948	890	-4%	24%

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Library Visitors (to a facility)	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	27,510	27,903	-	-	-	-1%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	20,081	17,044	18,539		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	77	85	75	90	-100%	-100%
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	27,510	27,980	20,166	17,119	18,629	-2%	48%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	2,222	2,087	2,239		-100%
Chenier	-	3,537	3,374	3,190	2,952	-100%	-100%
Duson	-	2,061	1,819	2,012	1,926	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	8,082	-	-	-	-		
Milton	2,209	2,128	2,316	2,163	2,401	4%	-8%
North Regional	10,620	9,824	8,242	8,343	8,109	8%	31%
Scott	3,709	3,088	3,350	3,117	3,464	20%	7%
South Regional	23,856	24,127	26,797	24,886	25,728	-1%	-7%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	3,067	2,990	2,839		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	48,676	45,023	51,593	49,169	50,230	8%	-3%
Grand Total	76,186	73,003	71,759	66,288	68,859	4%	11%

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Patron Questions	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	3,913	3,273	-	-	-	20%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	1,476	1,119	1,757		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	3,913	3,273	1,476	1,119	1,757	20%	123%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	202	162	176		-100%
Butler	-	-	-	-	-		
Chenier	451	675	799	675	580	-33%	-22%
Duson	-	211	202	229	167	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	2,110	-	-	-	-		
Milton	141	144	135	112	119	-2%	18%
North Regional	1,602	2,652	2,096	2,217	1,297	-40%	24%
Scott	153	135	155	108	112	13%	37%
South Regional	5,648	4,510	4,786	3,479	3,227	25%	75%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	235	197	160		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	10,105	8,327	8,610	7,179	5,838	21%	73%
<i>Asked in person/phone</i>	14,018	11,600	10,086	8,298	7,595	21%	85%
<i>% total ckos</i>	99%	100%	100%	100%	100%	0%	0%
<i>Asked electronically</i>	91	45	41	31	29	102%	214%
<i>% total ckos</i>	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	67%	70%
Grand Total	14,109	11,645	10,127	8,329	7,624	21%	85%

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Use of Library Computers (sessions)	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	15,827	18,213	-	-	-	-13%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	8,186	8,746	9,085		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	15,827	18,213	8,186	8,746	9,085	-13%	74%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	601	678	559		-100%
Butler	221	215	293	371	546	3%	-60%
Chenier	2,425	2,220	2,302	2,359	2,165	9%	12%
Duson	-	711	686	734	791	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	3,349	-	-	-	-		
Milton	297	317	371	309	245	-6%	21%
North Regional	6,021	4,847	5,645	5,187	4,955	24%	22%
Scott	1,193	1,163	1,082	1,156	1,004	3%	19%
South Regional	11,253	10,669	11,800	10,835	11,896	5%	-5%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	616	527	632		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	24,759	20,142	23,396	22,156	22,793	23%	9%
Grand Total	40,586	38,355	31,582	30,902	31,878	6%	27%

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Programs	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Children's							
Number of programs	129	121	68	75	64	7%	102%
Attendance	3,273	2,463	1,785	1,988	1,614		
Avg attendance/prog	25.37	20.36	26.25	26.51	25.22	25%	1%
Teens							
Number of programs	33	27	6	14	14	22%	136%
Attendance	296	312	44	188	220		
Avg attendance/prog	8.97	11.56	7.33	13.43	15.71	-22%	-43%
Adult							
Number of programs	72	48	38	32	22	50%	227%
Attendance	457	638	879	757	617		
Avg attendance/prog	6.35	13.29	23.13	23.66	28.05	-52%	-77%
Grand Total							
<i>Number of programs</i>	<i>234</i>	<i>196</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>19%</i>	<i>134%</i>
<i>Attendance</i>	<i>4,026</i>	<i>3,413</i>	<i>2,708</i>	<i>2,933</i>	<i>2,451</i>		
<i>Avg attendance/prog</i>	<i>17.21</i>	<i>17.41</i>	<i>24.18</i>	<i>24.24</i>	<i>24.51</i>	<i>-1%</i>	<i>-30%</i>

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Computer Usage (Users)	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	3,676	3,981	-	-	-	-8%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	2,282	2,169	1,854		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	-	-	-		
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	3,676	3,981	2,282	2,169	1,854	-8%	98%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	214	203	174		-100%
Butler	31	35	64	57	72	-11%	-57%
Chenier	545	663	624	606	595	-18%	-8%
Duson	-	158	172	162	143	-100%	-100%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	935	-	-	-	-		
Milton	61	56	83	99	84	9%	-27%
North Regional	1,810	1,787	2,042	2,006	1,688	1%	7%
Scott	317	330	325	318	306	-4%	4%
South Regional	3,101	3,228	3,933	3,549	3,354	-4%	-8%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	268	236	242		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	6,800	6,257	7,725	7,236	6,658	9%	2%
Grand Total	10,476	10,238	10,007	9,405	8,512	2%	23%

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Renewals done via Online Catalog	Sep 2016	Sep 2015	Sep 2014	Sep 2013	Sep 2012	% Change (curr vs prev)	% Change (5 years)
Main (reopened 7/2015)	11,109	8,654	-	-	-	28%	
JSB (closed 6/2015)	-	-	3,685	4,531	4,442		-100%
Warehouse	-	-	1	43	51		-100%
Outreach	-	-	-	-	-		
<i>subtotal - Main</i>	11,109	8,654	3,686	4,574	4,493	28%	147%
Broussard (closed 6/2015)	-	-	816	730	763		-100%
Butler	-	-	-	-	-		
Chenier	305	204	250	320	481	50%	-37%
Duson	80	64	89	322	134	25%	-40%
East Regional (opened 6/2015)	2,785	-	-	-	-		
Milton	384	548	559	680	838	-30%	-54%
North Regional	2,035	4,296	4,282	3,554	4,744	-53%	-57%
Scott	770	624	801	909	686	23%	12%
South Regional	10,515	14,744	18,407	17,249	17,817	-29%	-41%
Youngsville (closed 6/2015)	-	-	1,602	1,464	1,587		-100%
<i>subtotal - Branches</i>	16,874	20,480	26,806	25,228	27,050	-18%	-38%
Grand Total	27,983	29,134	30,492	29,802	31,543	-4%	-11%