



HOURS:

Monday - Thursday 11:00 am - 8:00 pm
Friday 11:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm
(In Summer, between Memorial Day and Labor Day, we close at 6:00 pm Mon.-Thurs.)

**Carthage Public Library District
FY 2018-2019 in review**

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BOOKS

Our users borrowed 20,880 books, saving \$344,068 in book purchases.

ebooks were downloaded 943 times, \$9,430 saved by using your library card.

MEDIA

6,095 DVDs, videos & BluRays were checked out, a \$54,855 value.

Our audio books & music CDs circulated 1,537 times and 754 e-audiobooks were downloaded, a \$27,521 value.

InterLibrary Loan

We borrowed 2631 items from other libraries for our patrons, a \$63,144 value.

We loaned 4,759 items to other libraries for their patrons.

COMPUTERS

You used our computers 3,755 times, a \$45,060 value, plus our free wifi was used 3,906 times.

Children used our early literacy i-pads 706 times.

PROGRAMS

We held 188 library programs (for adults, teens and children) with 2,918 people attending.

We also participated in community events and offered "passive programs" such as reading logs, contests, and DIY story hours or activities.

SPACE

During our patron count, Oct. 15-19, 2018, 456 people came into the library, for an average of 76 per day.

Our upstairs playroom, program room & meeting room were used by other organizations or individuals 38 times.

Thank you for using Carthage Public Library!

Values calculated using the American Library Association's Library Value Calculator at: <http://www.ala.org/advocacy/library-value-calculator>