

2023 Community Report

Mission Statement

The Penfield Public Library engages the community in life-long learning through educational, cultural, recreational, and technological exploration in a welcoming, inclusive atmosphere. By providing these materials, programs, and services, the Library promotes individual and community growth.

Vision Statement

To serve as the heart of the Penfield community where all people gather to connect, grow, and embrace life-long learning.

General















20,187



50 visits to senior homes, schools, & community fairs

Items Owned



49,640

103,528

11,076

16,313 DVDs & Blu-rays

9,920

Additions to Collection





31,550

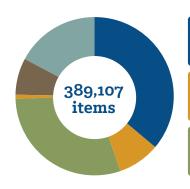


2,382



Thank you to our programs sponsor, Friends of Penfield Public Library! Thank you to the Penfield Public Library Foundation, Inc.!

Items Circulated



83,705

20,353

68,591

1,933

17,401 audio materials

39,698

eMaterial Circulation

70,749 checkouts

Overdrive eBook & eAudio, Hoopla, & Kanopy

19,532 checkouts

Database content use including Consumer Reports, Ancestry, and New York Times News & Games

Interlibrary Loans



Programs



Adult Programs

319 adult programs with 2,528 attendees



Teen Programs

85 teen programs with 1,424 attendees



Children's Programs 371 children's programs with 9,929 attendees



Programs for All Ages
14 programs designed for all ages with 1,925 attendees



One-on-One Sessions

236 one-on-one sessions with 3,137 attendees



Early Literacy Sessions 249 early literacy sessions with 4,872 attendees



1,000 Books & Baby Bird Engagements
407 participants in 1,000 Books before Kindergarten & Early Birds



Summer Reading Game

3.131 patrons of all ages participated in the Summer Reading Game. 609 kids read a whopping 446,877 minutes, the equivalent of 310.33 days of reading!