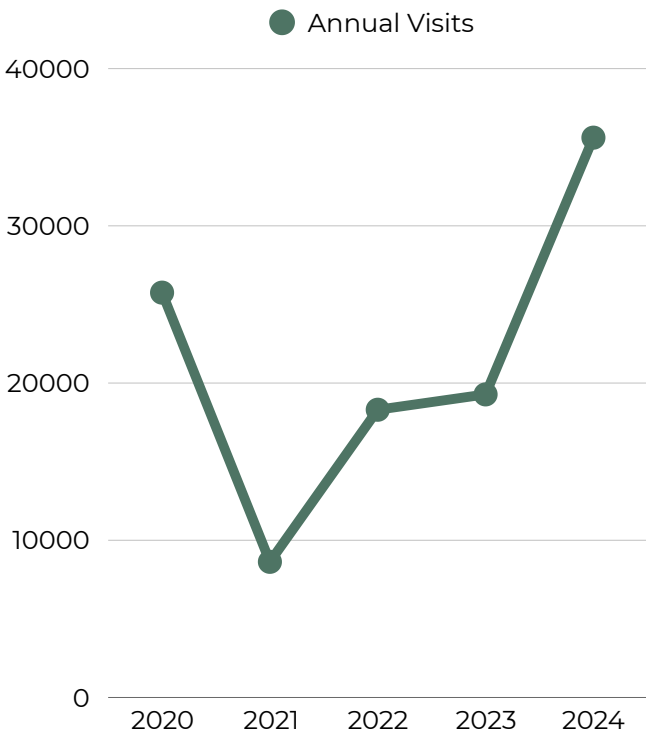


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ANNUAL VISITS



My favorite thing is the animal programs. -Cecilia S.

I love that we can be ourselves at the library. We don't have to worry that we're being too loud. -Cecilia's Mom

2024 VISITS 35,609

Visitors to Patterson Library enjoyed and used:



Printer, Copier, Scanner, and Fax Machine



Nintendo Switch, Mario Kart Live, PS4, STEM kits, Craft Supplies, Legos, Train Table, Play Kitchen, Dollhouse



Portable CD/DVD Drive, Vision Impaired Computer, Newspapers, Puzzle Swap, Silhouette Cutting Machine, Digitization tools for film and video, Local history information

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MORE TO EXPLORE

AVAILABLE TO BORROW:

- DVDs
- Video Games
- Board Games
- Adventure Passes

Nintendo Switch, PS4, and more

- Free and discounted admission to museums and zoos
- Launchpads: Pre-K Educational Tablets
- Knitting Needles

DIGITAL RESOURCES AVAILABLE:

- Ancestry Library Edition,
- Booklist e-Magazine,
- Comics Plus,
- Craftsy Tutorials,
- Family Search Genealogy,
- The Great Courses Online,
- Kanopy e-Videos,
- The New York Times e-Edition
- NovelNY Databases,
- Tech Talk Tutorials

TOTAL CATALOGUED BOOKS 35,681

WHO HAS A LIBRARY CARD?

Population of Westfield **4,553**



Westfield Residents with Library Cards **3,668**



Non-Resident Library Cards **1,797**



COMPUTER USE

Public Computers **16**

Computer Sessions **3,039**

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THE VALUE OF A LIBRARY

Library Materials & Services	2024 Usage	Value of Our Use
Adult Books Borrowed	9,165	\$155,805
Children's Books Borrowed	11,328	\$192,576
Audiobooks Borrowed	183	\$1,821
Interlibrary Loan Requests	16	\$400
eBooks Downloaded	20,493	\$307,395
Magazines Read	30	\$150
Newspapers Read	894	\$8,493
Movies Borrowed	4,004	\$16,016
CDs Borrowed	189	\$1,881
Meeting Room Use (per hour)	56	\$1,400
Adult Program Attendance	667	\$10,005
Young Adult Program Attendance	44	\$528
Childrens' Program Attendance	1419	\$9,933
Museum Passes Borrowed	20	\$400
Computer Use (per hour)	3039	\$36,468
Reference Assistance	1,265	\$8,855



WESTFIELD'S TOTAL LIBRARY VALUE
\$752,125

LIBRARY OPERATING EXPENSES 2024
\$364,155

2024 LIBRARY SAVINGS
\$387,970



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