

LAWTON PUBLIC LIBRARY FISCAL YEAR 2019: AT A GLANCE

The Lawton Public Library continues to find new & improved services to offer!

The newest addition is Hoopla Digital, which bolstered the library's offerings by over half a million titles!

Youth Services now offers story time to child care centers & preschools.

A Health Literacy grant from the Oklahoma Department of Libraries provided Tai Chi & other health classes for seniors!



📖 2 Location for You. The Main Library is open 60 hrs/wk and the Kathleen Wyatt Nicholson Branch Library is open 15 hrs/wk.

📖 The library had over 173,000 visits last year.

📖 47 online databases available to our community for research, genealogy, legal forms, auto repair, and much more. These databases had 34,426 searches.

📖 The Library has 10 full-time and 13 part-time library employees. plus one AARP Senior Community Service Employment Program worker, three high school summer interns, three Cameron interns, one Lawton Public School intern, one Platt College work study student, and about 40 Teen Summer Reading Program volunteers!

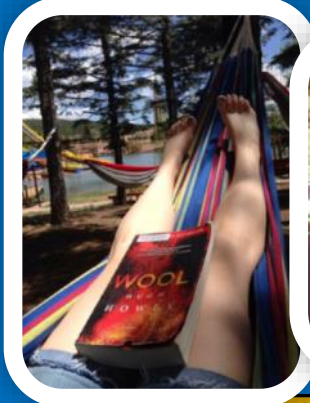
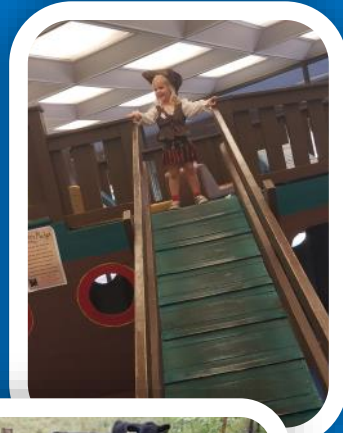
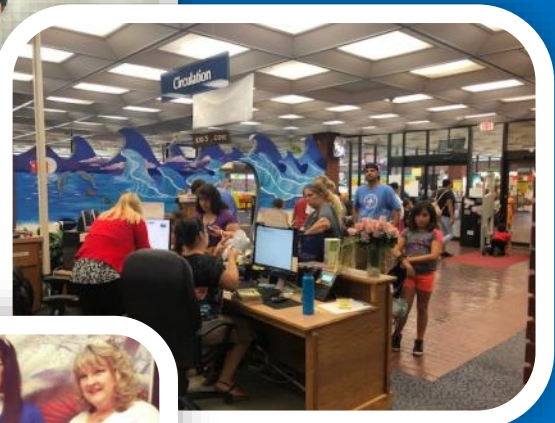
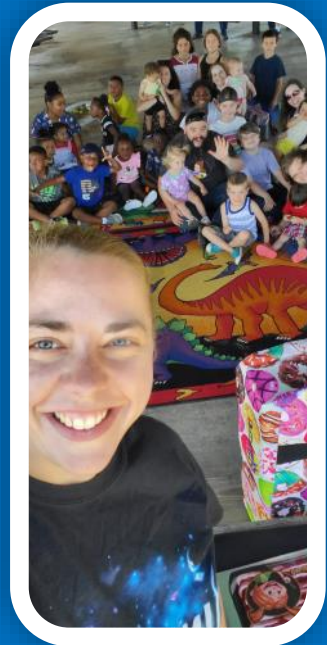
BOOKS & ITEMS USED	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Checkouts, Main Library	181,048	183,647	186,946	183,035
Checkouts, Branch Library	11,858	10,536	10,588	10,659
Electronic Books	26,949	31,438	36,085	44,411
Total Checkouts	219,855	225,621	233,619	238,105
Interlibrary Loan, Borrowed	1,242	1,118	1,229	1,098
Interlibrary Loan, Loaned	1,406	1,439	821	711
CUSTOMERS	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Main Library Customers	29,034	29,083	30,641	26,446
Branch Library Customers	756	750	616	680
Computer Only Users	n/a	2,723	4,928	6,485
Total Customers	29,790	32,556	36,185	33,611
BOOKS, CDs, DVDs, & MORE!	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Total Physical Items in Collection	139,509	137,556	124,848	124,311
E-Books, E-Audio, E-Video	42,025	48,102	54,546	713,759
PROGRAMS, EVENTS, ACTIVITIES!	FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19
Programs	280	339	351	294
Total Attendance	10,859	12,908	11,474	7,906
COMPUTER USE				
Public computer use	43,232	37,531	36,069	30,702

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