Check It Out ... public Library Use in Idaho

7 in 10 Idaho public libraries serve populations of 10,000 or down

nearly 8.6 million visits per year

What's in Idaho's public libraries?

5,615,930 items

- Books: 365,756
- Videos: 338,562
- eAudios: 288,880
- Audios: 229,437
- Other: 93,761

How Idaho ranks nationally ...

(FY 2015)

- 3rd highest in the U.S. per capita in circulation of children's materials
- Young adult program attendance jumped to 3rd in the U.S. per capita

27.9% of public elementary school libraries receive $100 or less per year to purchase new books.*

53,900 students participated in library summer reading programs & an additional 59,600 were served through library outreach programs.

Electronic material use has more than doubled in the past 4 years to 1,215,016 in FY16.