QUICK FACTS

about Idaho public libraries



4,974,031 visits to

Idaho's 164 public libraries in FY22 (includes branches and bookmobiles)



559,927people attended one of 24,572 programs

held by libraries
(in person and virtual)

811,507

Idahoans have a current

library card

(about 42.3% of the state)





\$40.42

average
per capita
Idahoans pay
annually
to support
their public
library



11,336,355 physical & 3,315,610 electronic items



3,652 different volunteers donated 71,627 hours to their library

from fiscal year 2021-2022 (FY22) Idaho public library statistics (October 1, 2021 - September, 30, 2022)

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Idaho public libraries have 9,963,230



total items in their collections.

51.5% downloadables

48.5% physical items



42% print books



4.5% videos





37.6% e-books

13.8% audio

2.1% other materials
(i.e., video & board games,
puzzles, sports equipment,
cake pans, kits, hotspots,
musical instruments. & more!)



Library internet usage increased 61% from the previous year, with 2,989,352 uses of library public internet services