

Library Use



GPPL was visited 235,859 times



In 2017, GPPL had 18,629 members



The GPPL website was visited 128,002 times

Programs & Events

5,000 adults learned new skills or increased their knowledge in 581 programs.



388 teens participated in 83 programs



2,587 children improved their early literacy skills in 367 programs



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2017 Year in Review

Borrowing & Lending

GPPL's collection contains 161,384 items



Library members downloaded 45,522 eBooks & eAudiobooks.



458,829 items were borrowed from GPPL in 2017



Volunteers

GPPL Volunteers work in Outreach, Library Operations and Programs



81 volunteers contributed 1,216.50 hours in 2017

Highlights



Superhero Scavenger Hunt

Over 100 participants with extremely positive feedback.

Membership Fees

GPPL memberships became free in 2017! Membership grew by 28%.

Welcome Booklet

Includes useful information for new GPPL members related to borrowing, materials and other library services

Renovations

The Children's Play Zone was redesigned to better meet the needs of users and new furniture was ordered to complete the space.

Indigenous Reading Corner

Made possible by the Indigenous Population grant from the provincial government. Features the new First Nations Metis Indigenous collection, a teaching rug, teepee and dreamcatchers

Technology

There were 34,738 sessions on GPPL's 47 public computers located in the Adult, Teen and Children's areas of GPPL.

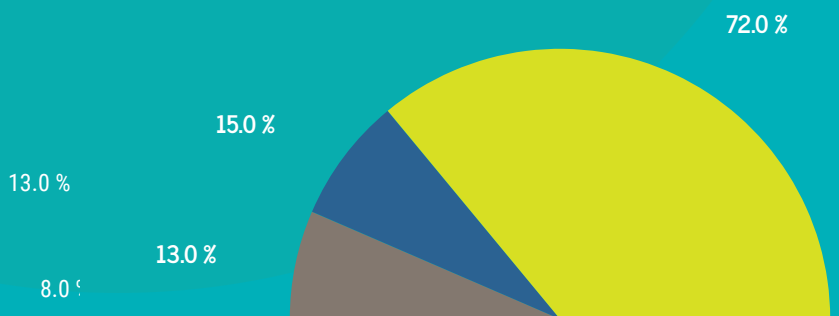


In 2017, 66,475 mobile devices connected to GPPL's public Wi-Fi network.

Financial



● City of Grande Prairie
 ● Province of Alberta
● County of Grande Prairie & MD of Greenview
 ● Revenue



● Materials
 ● Operations
 ● Salaries & Benefits