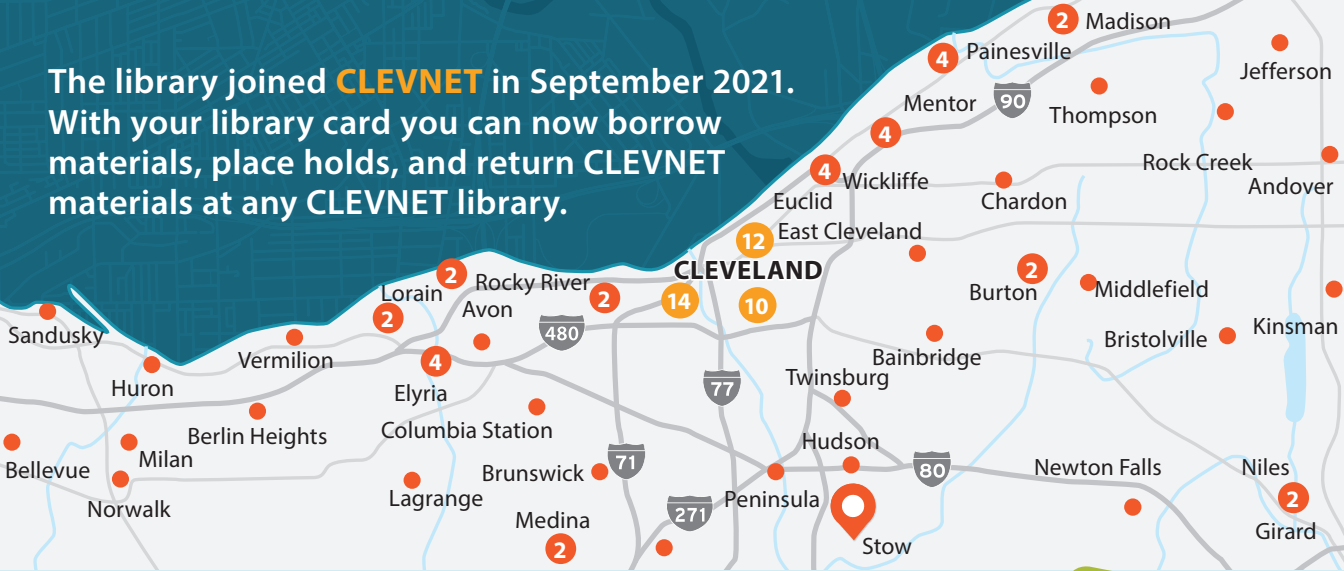


The library joined **CLEVNET** in September 2021. With your library card you can now borrow materials, place holds, and return CLEVNET materials at any CLEVNET library.



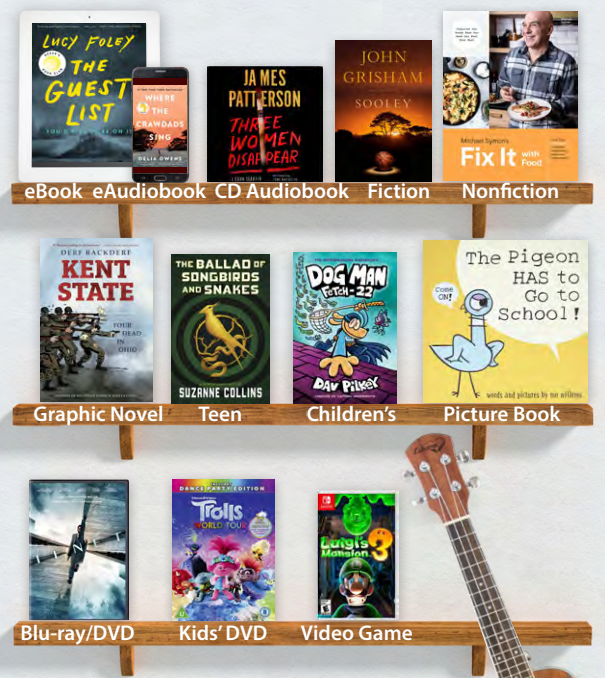
12,498 new items were added to the library's collection in 2021 **NEW**

520,541 items were borrowed in 2021. **48%** of all physical items checked out were children's and teen materials.



- OverDrive** 92,398 eBook, eAudiobook, magazine, and movie titles were downloaded.
- hoopla** 21,719 eBooks, eAudiobooks, comics, music albums, movies, and TV shows were streamed.
- freegal** 34,773 songs and music videos were downloaded or streamed.
- kanopy** 4,256 movies and documentaries were streamed.
- Flipster** 3,512 online magazines were downloaded.

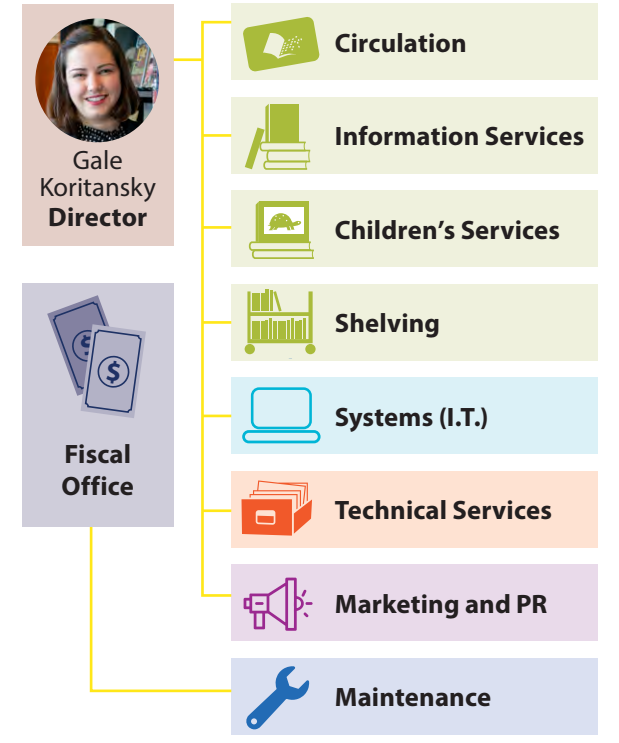
Titles of most popular items by category



Meet the Board of Trustees

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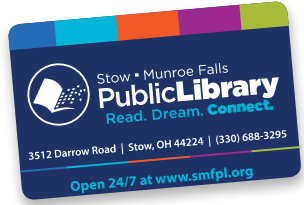


* Acorn TV, discontinued in June 2021, had 912 downloads.



People in **1** out of **3** households in Stow and Munroe Falls used the library in 2021.

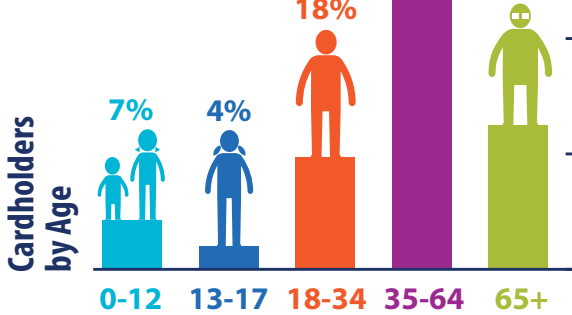
The library had **90,483** visitors in 2021. On average, **303** people walked through the doors every day the library building was open.



The library welcomed **1,850** new full-service cardholders and **51** new digital-only cardholders in 2021.

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unique cardholders used the library.



62,469 people checked out items inside.



12,844 people picked up items at the Drive-Up Window.



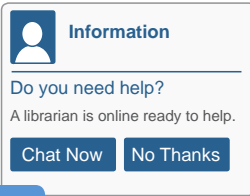
8,818 Covid Test Kits were distributed at the Drive-Up Window October - December.



Circulation Staff answered **4,920** phone calls.

Staff answered **59,906** reference questions:

- Information Services: **41,559**
- Children's Services: **16,265**
- Circulation: **2,082**



People visited the library's website, www.smfpl.org, **107,349** times.

People downloaded or streamed items from the digital collection **157,570** times.

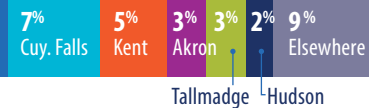


Patrons logged on for **2,886** computer sessions

and **6,105** Wi-Fi sessions.



70% of active cardholders live in Stow or Munroe Falls



What's New?



The library joined CLEVNET, one of the largest library resource sharing networks in the United States.



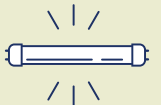
Your eligible items now renew up to three times automatically.



The library is now fine free for late returns on most items.



The library added two study rooms that can be reserved online.



Energy-saving LED lighting was installed throughout the library.



1,461 people attended **63** in-person programs, **5,846** people attended **243** virtual programs, and **12,028** people watched archived virtual programs.



Kids took home **7,451** Carry-Out Craft kits.

745 people attended outdoor Story Time during June - October, and **508** people attended indoor Story Time in November and December.

47 Story Time at Home episodes aired on Facebook and YouTube in 2021 and were watched **14,206** times.

Children's outreach staff paid **89** visits to **8** area day cares and preschools. They presented **173** Story Times to **2,808** children.



1,396 kids, **231** teens, and **439** adults participated in the 2021 Summer Reading Program.