

DANBURY LIBRARY -- THE YEAR AT A GLANCE
2006- 2007 Fiscal Year

	July 06	Aug. 06	Sept. 06	Oct. 06	Nov. 06	Dec. 06	Jan. 07	Feb. 07	YTD TOTAL	YTD TOTAL	+/-	%
Days open per month	25	27	28	31	28	29	29	25	2005-06	2006-07		
Number of people who walked through our doors ¹	38,835	47,194	29,558	49,695	51,461	38,774	41,503	39,457	320,923	336,477	15,554	5%
Residents with active library cards ²	27,367	27,759	28,352	28,780	29,120	29,510	29,124	29,128	27,436	29,128	1,692	6%
Residents of other CT towns with active registrations ²	5,763	5,857	5,903	5,978	6,013	6,065	6,020	5,609	5,534	5,609	75	1%
Program attendance (adult, Jr, computer workshops & ESL classes) ³	2,332	1,264	1,807	2,028	1,897	1,378	1,816	1,412	11,427	13,934	2,507	22%
Computer usage	10,822	12,086	8,650	12,221	12,583	11,285	12,938	11,381	61,051	91,966	30,915	51%
Total items checked out ⁴	60,327	60,674	51,030	50,223	50,774	46,278	54,749	49,096	401,216	423,151	21,935	5%
adult books	18,332	19,777	16,599	16,073	15,085	14,335	17,217	14,882	122,477	132,300	9,823	8%
music CDs	3,007	3,241	2,841	3,141	3,132	3,128	3,494	3,244	25,304	25,228	(76)	-0.3%
books on tape	802	894	749	776	713	629	669	581	7,203	5,813	(1,390)	-19%
books on CD	1,054	1,052	1,128	1,181	1,077	1,024	1,121	987	6,332	8,624	2,292	36%
DVDs	13,535	14,167	12,708	12,499	13,526	13,131	14,984	13,443	85,971	107,993	22,022	26%
videos	4,842	4,497	3,737	3,556	3,648	2,946	3,645	3,535	50,736	30,406	(20,330)	-40%
children's items	18,213	16,588	12,790	12,577	13,149	10,722	13,046	12,002	99,857	109,087	9,230	9%
items reserved	3,153	3,495	3,163	2,853	3,004	2,868	3,361	2,763	23,310	24,660	1,350	6%
items borrowed from other libraries for our customers	305	243	218	224	242	147	235	199	1,498	1,813	315	21%
items renewed by customers themselves	5,267	5,980	4,677	5,047	4,426	4,640	4,506	4,606	38,277	39,149	872	2%
items checked out by customers themselves	41,960	41,751	34,886	33,750	34,999	31,272	37,731	32,622	275,502	288,971	13,469	5%
% self is of total	0.70	0.69	0.68	0.69	0.69	0.68	0.69	0.66	0.69	0.68		
reference questions asked (in-person, via phone or email)	5,340	6,141	5,640	5,762	4,777	3,874	5,164	4,544	33,128	41,242	8,114	24%
use of State-funded iCONN databases	940	866	1,393	1,800	2,072	612	1,047		23,101	8,730	(14,371)	-62%
use of Danbury Library's databases ⁵	342	262	207	304	293	282	312	270	3,891	2,272	(1,619)	-42%
visits to danburylibrary.org (external only) ⁶	57,063	57,351	50,449	72,679	66,933	60,140	63,639	57,834	431,286	486,088	54,802	13%
volunteer hours	234	147	125	92	63	49.3	205.0	57	1,036	971	(65)	-6%

The people counts for October and November were adjusted due to the LTC counter going over 10,000.
 An active card is one that has been used in the past 18 months.

There were no Talk Time or computer workshops in July 2006, and February 2007 figures were corrected with new information.
 The details that follow are samples of what we loan and do not add up to the total items checked out.

There are 6 fewer databases in 2006-07 than in 2005-06.

Blogs allowing trackbacks skewed totals for October.