DANBURY LIBRARY – THE YEAR AT A GLANCE
Fiscal Year 2006 - 2007
Mayor and Common Council

	July 06	Aug. 06	Sept. 06	Oct. 06	Nov. 06	Dec. 06	Jan. 07	Feb. 07	Mar. 07	Apr. 07	May 07	YTD TOTAL 2005-06	YTD TOTAL 2006-07	+/-	%
Days open	25	27	28	31	28	29	29	25	29	28	29	**2005-06**	**2006-07**		
# of people who walked through our doors	38,835	47,194	29,558	49,695	51,461	38,774	41,503	39,457	45,799	45,164	**39,173**	**443,731**	**466,613**	**22,882**	5%
Residents with active library cards [1]	27,367	27,759	28,352	28,780	29,120	29,510	29,124	29,128	29,120	28,923	29,099	**27,102**	**29,099**	**1,997**	7%
Program attendance (adult, Jr, computer workshops & ESL classes)	2,332	1,264	1,807	2,028	1,897	1,378	1,816	1,412	2,060	1,506	1,086	**13,230**	**18,586**	**5,356**	40%
Computer usage	10,822	12,086	8,650	12,221	12,583	11,285	12,938	11,381	13,407	12,978	11,756	**90,086**	**130,107**	**40,021**	44%
Total items checked out [2]	**60,312**	**60,674**	**51,086**	**50,265**	**50,822**	**46,352**	**54,770**	**49,189**	**54,169**	**50,846**	**44,773**	**554,568**	**618,031**	**63,463**	11%
adult books	18,332	19,777	16,599	16,073	15,085	14,335	17,217	14,882	16,859	16,306	15,422	**172,102**	**180,887**	**8,785**	5%
music CDs	3,007	3,241	2,841	3,141	3,132	3,128	3,494	3,244	3,590	3,514	2,815	**34,195**	**35,147**	**952**	3%
books on CD	1,054	1,052	1,128	1,181	1,077	1,024	1,121	987	1,140	1,118	1,119	**9,937**	**12,001**	**2,064**	21%
DVDs	13,535	14,167	12,708	12,499	13,526	13,131	14,984	13,443	14,811	13,163	11,308	**122,164**	**147,275**	**25,111**	21%
children's items	18,213	16,588	12,790	12,577	13,149	10,722	13,046	12,002	13,018	12,495	10,824	**136,697**	**145,424**	**8,727**	6%
language center	963	994	908	870	921	813	1,118	967	1,076	846	952	**6,736**	**10,428**	**3,692**	55%
Items reserved	3,153	3,495	3,163	2,853	3,004	2,868	3,361	2,763	3,431	2,957	2,822	**32,532**	**33,870**	**1,338**	4%
Items borrowed from other libraries for our customers	305	243	218	224	242	147	235	199	216	223	164	**2,152**	**2,416**	**264**	12%
Items renewed by customers themselves	5,267	5,980	4,677	5,047	4,426	4,640	4,506	4,606	5,101	4,845	4,201	**54,664**	**53,296**	**(1,368)**	-3%
Items checked out by customers themselves	41,960	41,751	34,886	33,750	34,999	31,272	37,731	32,622	36,447	34,789	30,084	**379,712**	**390,291**	**10,579**	3%
% self is of total	70%	69%	68%	67%	69%	67%	69%	66%	67%	68%	67%	**68%**	**63%**		
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	6,006	5,533	4,574	**47,987**	**57,355**	**9,368**	20%
Visits to danburylibrary.org (external only)	57,063	57,351	50,449	72,679	66,933	60,140	63,639	57,834	64,947	60,906	66,699	**619,368**	**678,640**	**59,272**	10%
Volunteer hours	234	147	125	92	63	49	205.0	57	89	115	109	**1,581**	**1,284**	**(297)**	-19%

1 An active card is one that has been used in the past 18 months

2 The details that follow are samples of what we loan & do not add up to the total items checked out.