



**7,394,731** people visited  
New Mexico public libraries

**1,059,930**

registered library card holders



{ That's more than **HALF** of New Mexico's population! }

Average items checked out  
each library visit

**8.61**

Items checked out every  
hour, statewide



**45.92**

\*Includes eBooks available 24/7

**1,424,306**

reference questions asked



{ That's more than **3,900** questions per day! }

**672**

full-time public library employees



{ That's **1** library employee for every **10,959** annual visitors! }

Average number of computers per library



**1,145** computer sessions a day, statewide



**FREE** educational programs offered

**21,219**

Total attendance for all library programs

**485,664**

Source: FY15 New Mexico Public Library Survey

