



# SALEM TOWNSHIP LIBRARY

## CHECKOUTS 2026

Physical Items **5,992**



Digital Items **1,779**



Hotspots **26**



Steam Kits & LOT Items **53**



## CHECKOUTS 2025

Physical Items **6,273**



Digital Items **1,490**



Hotspots **22**



Steam Kits & LOT Items **69**



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-5%

+16%

+15%

+16%

## ITEMS LOANED OUT

Number of physical items that were borrowed by other libraries

**2026**

420

**2025**

447

## 196 ITEMS ADDED

Number of physical items that were added to our collection

## 14 NEW PATRONS

## VISITS

Number of patrons who visited the library

### 2026

801 Adults    505 Kids    1,306 Total

### 2025

815 Adults    620 Kids    1,435 Total

## APRIL PROGRAMS

Library programs provided and participant counts

- Book Clubs: 19
- Play-Doh Fun: 16
- Knitting and Crocheting Nights: 11
- Perler Beads: 8
- Open Legos: 10
- Snap Circuits: 4
- Play N' Learn: 13
- Lego Club: 13
- Edible Plants: 9
- Board Game Afternoons: 6

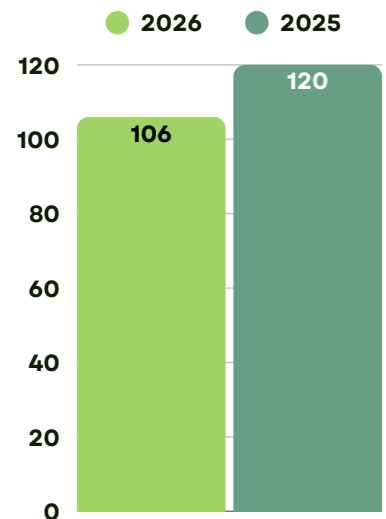
## MAY PROGRAMS

Current & upcoming library programs and events

- May 4: Knitting & Crocheting @ 6pm; PM Book Club @ 7pm
- May 5: Closed for summer reading prep
- May 7: Play-Doh Fun @ 11am
- May 9: Lego Club @ 11am
- May 11: Wearable Art Sewing Class @ 5pm
- May 14: Play 'N Learn @ 11am
- May 18: AM Book Club @ 8:30am; Knitting & Crocheting @ 6pm;  
Mother- Daughter Hair Night/Tea Party @ 6pm
- May 20: Board Game Afternoons @ 1pm
- May 21: Air Clay @ 4pm
- May 23-25 Library Closed for Memorial Day
- May 27: Last Story Time until September
- May 29: Homeschool Curriculum Swap @ 1pm
- May 30: Spring Reading Challenge Ends

## REFERENCES

When patrons ask for information



## LIBRARY NEWS

What's happening at your library

- Our Assistant Director resinged. The Library will be hiring in the coming months.
  - We have a temporary cataloger who will begin on May 18<sup>th</sup>. She will help us until we hire a new employee.
- Summer Reading begins on June 8 with a Touch-a-Truck event @ 2pm.