

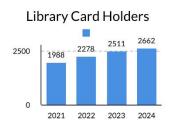
2025 BUDGET



Edwardsburgh Cardinal Public Library

2024 Annual Report

Quick Facts



151 new library cards were issued in 2024

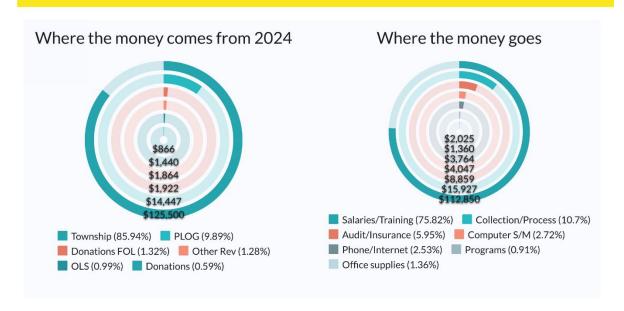
9,497 Library Visits





14,171 items were circulated

In addition to large collections of fiction and non fiction books, both branches offer, DVDs, Internet access, and frequent special programs for children and adults.



Support for the library in 2024 cost only

\$1.39



Budget Information and Comparisons

2024 municipal grant = \$125,500 (Population 2022 census 7505 – Households 3285)

= \$16.72 per capita \$1.39 per month = \$38.20 per household \$3.18 per month

Proposed 2025 municipal grant = \$130,300

Increase of \$4,800 4% increase from 2024 Grant

Edwardsburgh Cardinal: \$130,300 municipal grant (2025 proposed)

\$17.36 per capita (Pop. 2022 census 7505) \$1.44 per month \$39.66 per household (Households 3285) \$3.30 per month

Weekly hours of operation 31.5

Comparisons to neighbouring municipalities

Most recent information publicly available: 2023 for neighbouring municipalities

https://www.ontario.ca/page/ontario-public-library-statistics

Prescott: \$160,888 municipal grant (2023 Library Stats) Weekly hours of operation 50 \$ 39.45 per capita (4078 population) \$ 72.77 per household (2211 households)

Augusta: \$129,828 municipal grant (2023 Library Stats) Weekly hours of operation 26 \$17.58 per capita (7386 population) \$41.18 per household (3152 households)

Gananoque: \$216,000 municipal grant (2023 Library Stats) Weekly hours of operation 27 \$40.13 per capita (5383 population) \$82.13 per household (2630 households)

Merrickville-Wolford \$115,00 municipal grant (2023 Library Stats) Weekly hours of operation 34 \$36.68 per capita (3135 population) \$38.94 per household (2953 households)

^{*}Note – the above Library Systems have one Branch

Yearly Comparison 2020-2024

Total circulation 2020		Total Circulation 2021		Total Circulation 2022		Total Circulation 2023		Total Circulation 20	24
Cardinal Branch	5811	Cardinal Branch	5411	Cardinal Branch	6376	Cardinal Branch	6376	Cardinal Branch	7971
Spencerville Branch	2957	Spencerville Branch	3644	Spencerville Branch	4620	Spencerville Branch	6212	Spencerville Bran	6200
Electronic (ebooks)	2210	Electronic (ebooks)	4759	Electronic (ebooks)	3466	Electronic (ebooks)	5373	Electronic (ebook	6236
Total	10978	Total	13814	Total	14462	Total	17961	Total	20407

Active Card Users 2020	Active Users 2021	Active Users 2022	Active Users 2023	Active Users 2024
796	656	877	1075	1100

ECPL 2020 71 new library card holders

40 new Overdrive users (ebooks)

ECPL 2021 83 new library card holders

30 new Overdrive users

ECPL 2022 221 new library card holders

41 new Overdrive users

ECPL 2023 233 new library card holders

44 new Overdrive users

ECPL 2024 151 new library card holders

52 new Overdrive users

241 items were borrowed through ILL (inter-library loans)

2,843 visits to our website

1004 Facebook followers

92 Instagram followers

ECPL offered 377 programs program attendance was 1383 – 344 craft kits were distributed

10 Library visits were made to SE Public School

2321 Student visits from Centennial PS

	E/C Library 2025 Budget								Increase by %
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Revenue	Grant Prov of Ontaio	\$	14,447.00	\$	14,447.00	\$	14,447	\$ 14,447	0%
	Grant SOLS conductivity	\$	1,440.00	\$	1,440.00	\$	1,320	\$ 1,320	0%
	Grant Municipal	•	130,300.00		125,500.00		105,500	\$ 90,500	4%
	Printing & photocopies	\$	800.00	\$	800.00	\$	800	\$ 800	0%
	Membership & Book sales	\$	40.00		40.00	\$	40	\$ 40	0%
	Interest	\$	800.00		800.00	\$	1,200	\$ 269	0%
	Donations	\$	1,000.00		1,000.00	\$	1,000	\$ 1,200	0%
	Donations - Friends	\$	2,000.00		2,000.00	\$	1,000	\$ -	0%
	2019 Surplus Carried forward	•	_,000.00	Ψ	2,000.00	\$		\$ 27,480	0,0
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Expenditure	s								
	Salaries & benefits	\$	106,600.00	\$	101,977.00	\$	96,192	\$88,000	5%
	Collections	\$	24,000.00	\$	24,000.00	\$	23,000	\$23,000	0%
	Board remunerations	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00	\$	1,500	\$1,750	0%
	Audit	\$	2,500.00	\$	2,500.00	\$	2,300	\$2,300	0%
	Insurance	\$	5,000.00	\$	4,300.00	\$	4,000	\$4,000	16%
	Office supplies	\$	827.00	\$	950.00	\$	500	\$766	-13%
	Postage					\$	100	\$100	
	Computer supplies & Mtee	\$	3,500.00	\$	3,500.00	\$	2,500	\$2,500	0%
	Phone (both libraries)	\$	2,000.00	\$	2,000.00	\$	1,800	\$2,000	0%
	Internet (both Libraries)	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,500.00	\$	1,500	\$1,500	0%
	Conventions & travel	\$	800.00	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,000	\$1,000	-20%
	Memberships							\$40	
	Licenses & copyright	\$	300.00	\$	300.00	\$	1,000	\$2,500	0%
	Library programs	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,000.00	\$	1,000	\$600	0%
	Computer purchases							\$0	
	Workstations							\$5,000	
	Staff training	\$	800.00	\$	1,000.00	\$	500	\$1,000	-20%
		\$	150,827.00	\$	146,027.00	\$	136,892	\$136,056	

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Approved by ECPL Board November 26, 2024

Surplus (deficit)