

Missouri State Library: FY25 PLS Usage and Service Comparisons

Library	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Pop.	Visits per Reg. Borrower	Circ. Per Reg. Borrower	Ref Questions per Reg. Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circ. Per Hour Open	LSA pop. Per FTE
Adair County Public Library	25,314	2.24	8.94	13.57	1.72	20.55	31.17	3,723
Adrian Community Library	1,730	0.88	0.46	0.92	0.25	1.08	2.13	13,308
Advance Community Library	1,349	1.22	0.95	3.13	0.02	1.64	5.41	2,698
Albany Carnegie Public Library	1,670	2.71	5.30	15.85	0.85	1.81	5.42	759
Appleton City Library	1,032	1.94	6.53	8.70	0.50	1.61	2.14	1,290
Atchison County Library	5,305	2.20	2.86	6.73	0.25	2.28	5.35	995
Barry-Lawrence Regional Library	72,535	2.49	7.93	13.88	4.15	9.70	16.97	1,964
Barton County Library	11,637	2.44	2.73	4.61	0.22	6.97	11.78	2,476
Bernie Public Library	1,859	0.71	1.29	1.08	0.02	0.85	0.71	2,479
Bethany Public Library	2,915	1.58	1.10	2.70	0.02	2.69	6.61	1,943
Bloomfield Public Library	1,755	2.02	8.90	17.46	0.88	1.62	3.18	1,671
Bollinger County Library	10,567	0.98	3.58	6.66	0.49	6.13	11.41	3,871
Bonne Terre Memorial Library	6,903	1.16	5.28	11.16	0.17	3.84	8.11	2,963
Boonslick Regional Library	59,455	1.80	3.77	12.86	1.44	11.15	38.04	2,886
Bowling Green Public Library	4,195	3.08	2.62	6.18	0.53	5.77	13.61	2,397
Branson/Hollister Library Subdistrict	41,768	0.91	4.79	17.41	0.36	15.03	54.69	4,397
Brentwood Public Library	8,233	8.89	14.71	27.14	0.93	21.65	39.96	1,269
Brookfield Public Library	4,111	1.79	4.34	11.46	0.21	3.21	8.48	1,517
Caldwell County Library	6,867	0.79	5.43	9.52	0.03	2.08	3.65	3,924
Camden County Library	42,745	3.88	7.10	8.79	6.96	13.64	16.88	1,945
Cameron Public Library	8,513	3.27	6.44	6.82	0.71	11.45	12.12	2,240
Canton Public Library	2,724	3.16	10.56	14.24	0.55	4.14	5.58	1,892
Cape Girardeau Public Library	36,170	3.81	9.96	16.36	1.16	38.97	63.97	2,208
Carnegie (Shelbina) Public Library	1,613	4.08	5.25	11.95	0.45	3.33	7.58	1,068
Carrollton Public Library	3,514	6.04	4.75	8.34	2.29	7.71	13.54	797
Carter County Library	5,202	3.76	4.44	6.19	0.05	5.37	7.50	1,224
Carthage Public Library	15,522	2.33	4.22	7.28	0.02	14.18	24.47	908
Caruthersville Public Library	5,562	4.76	4.17	5.44	1.27	11.08	14.45	1,264
Cass County Public Library	107,824	1.97	7.03	17.44	0.47	12.04	29.89	2,252
Cedar County Library District	14,188	2.39	6.06	8.53	0.75	6.40	9.02	2,365
Centralia Public Library	4,053	6.71	4.87	8.41	0.75	8.72	15.06	1,023
Chaffee Public Library	3,057	1.86	1.92	3.56	0.48	2.54	4.71	2,446
Christian County Library	88,842	1.89	7.26	16.28	0.64	13.75	30.82	2,018
Clarence Public Library	738	0.89	1.99	2.24	-	0.32	0.36	1,942
Conran Memorial Library	2,493	1.00	5.27	2.82	0.06	1.42	0.76	2,833
Crawford County Library	21,563	0.90	2.67	5.82	0.35	2.59	5.64	2,573
Crystal City Public Library	4,740	2.04	7.44	6.84	0.04	4.04	3.72	1,975
Dade County Library	6,763	1.14	1.93	3.80	0.18	3.25	6.41	3,220
Dallas County Library	17,071	1.93	7.79	12.25	0.07	12.33	19.39	5,051

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Daniel Boone Regional Library	223,840	2.19	5.19	30.48	1.63	40.06	235.34	1,693
Daviess County Library	8,430	1.40	4.62	13.61	0.24	3.66	10.77	2,278
De Soto Public Library	6,449	6.31	13.63	13.90	0.71	15.98	16.29	1,181
Desloge Public Library	4,823	1.02	0.89	1.04	0.03	2.37	2.77	3,215
Doniphan-Ripley County Library District	10,679	1.12	1.48	3.85	0.04	4.12	10.71	1,942
Douglas County Public Library	11,578	1.33	3.51	5.54	0.09	6.91	10.91	3,664
Dulany Memorial Library	1,563	2.72	4.98	13.84	0.79	3.28	9.10	1,737
Dunklin County Library	28,283	3.44	5.01	11.66	0.27	9.16	21.33	2,519
Farmington Public Library	18,217	3.71	5.89	10.16	0.13	23.80	41.04	1,844
Ferguson Municipal Public Library	18,527	3.70	7.84	5.11	0.07	21.95	14.31	2,203
Festus Public Library	12,706	4.78	10.17	13.01	0.76	22.03	28.17	2,225
Gentry County Library	4,492	5.35	9.88	21.29	0.09	11.27	24.28	1,473
Grundy County-Jewett Norris Library	9,808	0.84	3.48	14.40	0.19	3.29	13.58	1,682
Hamilton Public Library	1,690	2.26	1.83	3.58	0.15	1.57	3.07	1,320
Hannibal Free Public Library	17,086	2.09	6.01	12.43	5.81	15.28	31.57	1,942
Heartland Regional Library System	33,154	1.21	6.73	14.85	7.37	6.89	15.22	2,515
Henry County Library	21,946	2.66	10.32	11.45	0.25	12.43	13.79	2,438
Hickory County Library	8,279	1.23	0.92	2.25	0.14	4.36	10.70	2,250
Howard County Public Library	9,094	0.80	1.81	3.55	0.02	3.87	7.59	4,042
James Memorial Library	3,935	2.76	4.09	6.31	0.95	6.96	10.74	2,186
Jefferson County Library	135,409	2.27	6.58	10.80	0.37	24.60	40.34	2,438
Joplin Public Library	48,784	4.42	6.02	11.69	0.33	67.98	131.98	1,626
Kansas City Public Library	232,498	5.74	4.27	8.08	0.21	42.70	80.81	969
Keller Public Library of Dexter	7,927	2.85	2.84	4.66	0.13	11.22	18.41	2,872
Kirkwood Public Library	29,461	6.07	8.03	23.51	1.44	50.61	148.26	998
LaPlata Public Library	1,257	1.35	2.67	5.58	0.39	2.03	4.25	2,793
Lebanon-Laclede County Library	36,039	2.39	2.33	4.12	0.01	26.31	46.44	2,777
Lewis Library of Glasgow	1,087	1.81	1.25	2.16	0.12	1.58	2.73	1,144
Litbourn Memorial Library	822	0.18	0.60	4.24	-	0.18	1.30	2,055
Little Dixie Regional Libraries	31,406	6.10	12.96	10.93	0.01	23.70	19.99	1,795
Livingston County Library	14,557	5.05	8.34	15.15	0.51	13.64	24.79	798
Louisiana Public Library	3,199	1.97	1.90	1.18	0.02	3.09	1.92	2,666
Macon Public Library	5,457	10.49	10.93	19.20	0.31	25.02	43.96	936
Maplewood Public Library	8,269	0.36	0.58	9.72	0.02	N/A	N/A	1,148
Marceline Carnegie Library	2,123	2.92	2.69	5.70	1.83	2.98	6.30	1,179
Marion County Library District	6,734	3.31	8.08	21.64	3.20	8.75	23.44	1,992
Marshall Public Library	13,806	1.67	6.24	7.63	0.18	8.85	10.81	2,245
Maryville Public Library	10,633	2.12	5.83	18.10	0.04	8.82	27.41	2,127
McDonald County Library	23,303	1.05	1.76	2.55	0.14	3.53	5.12	3,541

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Mercer County Library	3,538	0.97	2.59	6.19	0.02	1.53	3.68	1,273
Mexico-Audrain County Library District	24,962	1.92	3.97	7.12	0.87	6.11	10.96	1,742
Mid-Continent Public Library	840,292	3.16	5.73	23.14	0.34	22.78	92.00	1,619
Mississippi County Library District	12,577	3.14	11.00	4.46	0.21	8.15	3.31	2,500
Missouri River Regional Library	90,553	1.96	3.64	11.43	0.44	28.08	88.23	2,322
Moniteau County Library	12,553	0.75	1.55	4.74	0.09	4.16	12.70	4,212
Monroe City Public Library	2,522	1.86	3.19	7.51	0.00	2.55	6.01	2,232
Montgomery City Public Library	2,811	8.17	14.84	15.30	0.67	8.75	9.02	1,111
Morgan County Library	21,006	1.56	11.05	26.32	3.03	13.55	32.28	3,566
Mound City Public Library	1,004	7.46	8.52	14.69	0.23	4.95	8.52	930
Mountain View Public Library	2,533	9.61	11.88	11.59	0.01	9.75	9.51	749
Neosho Newton County Library	54,445	1.71	8.17	22.79	0.22	23.02	64.22	4,950
Nevada Public Library	8,212	4.96	8.27	12.50	0.97	16.30	24.63	1,897
New Madrid County Library	14,829	0.96	2.76	4.43	0.12	1.74	2.79	1,797
Newburg Public Library	333	0.96	1.52	1.24	-	0.16	0.13	N/A
Norborne Public Library	634	1.26	17.35	26.26	0.28	0.38	0.58	634
North Kansas City Public Library	4,467	14.96	3.78	8.05	0.06	19.77	42.07	495
Northeast Missouri Library Service	17,686	0.96	7.45	16.52	0.43	2.07	4.59	2,181
Oregon County Library District	8,635	2.68	12.34	11.40	0.02	3.01	2.78	2,334
Oregon Public Library	837	2.16	1.30	1.40	0.48	1.39	1.50	1,288
Ozark Regional Library	22,163	1.42	2.98	3.46	0.66	4.45	5.16	2,360
Park Hills Public Library	8,587	2.18	1.04	1.42	0.08	9.19	12.53	2,642
Piedmont Public Library	1,897	5.02	2.65	3.08	0.05	4.58	5.32	862
Polk County Library	31,519	2.12	5.73	14.64	0.26	7.62	19.48	2,352
Poplar Bluff Public Library	16,225	4.84	2.18	4.83	0.67	16.62	36.75	1,040
Price James Memorial Library	2,920	2.13	4.90	13.91	0.08	3.63	10.30	1,640
Pulaski County Library	52,759	1.00	4.89	6.92	0.03	7.14	10.09	4,711
Putnam County Public Library	4,681	3.82	7.58	8.13	1.86	7.63	8.20	1,545
Puxico Public Library	873	2.48	4.31	4.40	-	1.79	1.83	1,164
Ralls County Library	10,065	0.95	7.63	24.89	0.20	3.78	12.34	3,145
Ray County Public Library	23,158	1.10	3.11	4.26	1.16	9.77	13.36	3,088
Reynolds County Library District	6,096	1.46	11.58	24.73	0.52	1.25	2.68	1,355
Rich Hill Memorial Library	1,232	2.11	3.53	10.28	0.04	2.49	7.25	2,240
Richmond Heights Memorial Library	9,286	18.15	25.25	18.55	4.00	50.63	37.20	872
Riverside Regional Library	85,846	1.77	4.81	5.82	1.25	13.62	16.47	4,418
Robertson Memorial Library	4,261	2.02	2.09	3.34	0.04	5.17	8.27	3,278
Rock Hill Public Library	4,750	3.01	6.91	15.97	2.05	6.11	14.12	1,209
Rolla Public Library	19,943	7.57	21.33	29.67	3.60	45.38	63.12	2,122
Rolling Hills Consolidated	41,674	3.95	7.74	17.33	0.10	18.87	42.23	1,483

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Saint Charles City-County Library District	405,262	2.86	4.26	21.83	0.57	40.07	205.41	2,496
Saint Clair County Library	8,252	6.12	6.89	7.39	2.95	11.79	12.66	1,466
Saint Joseph Public Library	61,254	2.20	6.13	10.25	0.54	11.58	19.37	1,413
Saint Louis County Library	863,407	3.72	3.75	12.95	0.49	45.55	157.31	1,573
Saint Louis Public Library	301,578	4.40	8.92	17.04	0.23	36.35	69.45	918
Salem Public Library	4,608	5.41	4.68	6.66	2.69	11.99	17.05	1,454
Sarcoie Public Library	1,406	0.85	6.63	4.98	-	0.44	0.33	1,875
Scenic Regional Library	147,730	2.35	7.29	13.23	0.46	12.80	23.21	2,618
Schuyler County Library	4,032	0.97	8.62	23.28	0.55	1.95	5.26	1,938
Scotland County Memorial Library	4,716	1.84	3.36	12.73	0.11	3.83	14.52	1,626
Sedalia Public Library	20,022	1.20	2.17	5.37	0.31	8.72	21.63	2,868
Seymour Community Library	993	11.40	7.22	17.69	0.07	4.63	11.35	794
Sikeston Public Library	14,435	1.71	3.38	4.05	0.03	9.15	10.95	2,830
Slater Public Library	1,834	0.65	4.20	9.66	1.26	1.54	3.54	2,445
Springfield-Greene County Library District	298,915	4.13	11.92	26.25	1.27	45.95	101.16	1,550
Steele Public Library	1,853	0.75	8.51	6.82	0.30	1.68	1.34	4,633
Stone County Library	31,076	1.15	6.12	8.90	1.19	5.20	7.57	2,918
Sullivan County Public Library	5,999	0.54	0.83	0.97	0.04	2.33	2.73	4,285
Sweet Springs Public Library	1,316	2.01	8.89	15.95	0.02	2.55	4.57	1,755
Texas County Library	24,487	1.54	5.24	10.12	0.12	4.50	8.69	4,027
Trails Regional Library	82,736	1.06	3.98	11.27	2.46	4.70	13.31	1,929
University City Public Library	35,065	2.21	2.97	11.05	0.52	21.67	80.72	1,332
Valley Park Community Library	3,140	2.45	7.06	8.19	0.04	4.00	4.64	1,926
Washington County Library	23,514	1.64	1.83	2.01	0.24	13.90	15.28	4,470
Washington Public Library	8,771	13.29	14.63	15.00	0.44	33.12	33.97	975
Webb City Public Library	13,031	2.46	6.42	9.13	0.06	11.22	15.97	2,922
Webster County Library	38,092	1.92	6.23	13.13	0.21	15.11	31.84	3,976
Webster Groves Public Library	24,010	4.78	9.87	22.78	0.03	33.44	77.14	1,554
Wellsville Public Library	998	1.15	1.64	2.21	0.20	0.94	1.27	1,692
West Plains Public Library	12,184	4.79	10.80	24.26	1.45	22.88	51.38	1,625
Willow Springs Public Library	2,164	2.98	6.27	12.14	1.65	3.69	7.13	1,328
Worth County Library	1,973	0.40	2.39	21.70	0.02	0.76	6.89	3,946
Wright County Library	18,188	1.57	5.97	10.69	0.18	5.50	9.85	3,368

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Average	37,792	2.97	5.83	10.77	0.70	11.23	23.65	2,242
Median	8,611	2.13	5.22	9.92	0.26	6.91	11.41	1,975
Statewide	5,668,852	3.13	5.24	14.85	0.61	19.86	56.34	1,723

75,000+ (N=14)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	278,909	2.82	6.05	16.15	0.77	27.36	84.55	2,058
Median	185,785	2.31	5.46	14.76	0.48	26.34	75.13	1,973
Group	3,904,732	3.29	5.14	16.57	0.52	30.02	96.72	1,608

30,000-74,999 (N=17)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	43,996	2.55	6.45	12.70	1.46	19.03	39.98	2,662
Median	41,674	2.20	6.13	12.86	0.36	15.03	31.84	2,352
Group	747,940	2.49	5.99	11.80	1.34	15.18	29.90	2,248

15,000-29,999 (N=23)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	21,376	2.62	6.33	11.26	0.94	15.24	28.47	2,614
Median	21,563	1.93	5.89	10.16	0.31	12.43	19.39	2,438
Group	491,657	2.65	5.24	9.95	0.76	12.04	22.86	2,152

9,500-14,999 (N=17)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	12,343	2.20	5.59	10.20	0.32	8.72	15.77	2,496
Median	12,553	1.71	5.83	7.63	0.19	6.97	11.78	2,365
Group	209,833	2.27	5.30	9.12	0.33	8.22	14.14	2,108

6,000-9,499 (N=19)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	7,911	4.23	7.70	11.51	0.81	11.97	15.77	2,154
Median	8,252	2.68	6.44	11.16	0.24	8.97	12.33	2,240
Group	150,300	4.44	6.68	8.95	0.81	11.53	15.45	1,748

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3,000-5,999 (N=24)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	4,410	3.74	4.69	8.57	0.61	6.82	12.11	1,798
Median	4,480	2.60	4.26	6.78	0.23	5.27	8.38	1,531
Group	105,837	3.82	4.22	7.61	0.60	6.99	12.60	1,409

1,500-2,999 (N=20)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	2,132	2.78	5.32	9.59	0.50	3.08	5.48	2,457
Median	1,935	2.20	4.94	10.62	0.28	2.62	5.79	1,704
Group	42,642	2.93	4.27	7.07	0.40	3.46	5.73	1,537

Under 1,499 (N=17)	LSA Pop.	Visits per LSA Population	Visits per Registered Borrower	Circulation per Registered Borrower	Reference Questions per Registered Borrower	Visits per Hour Open	Circulation Per Hour Open	LSA population Per FTE
Average	994	2.45	4.68	7.82	0.15	1.69	3.34	1,620
Median	1,001	1.58	3.10	4.69	0.05	1.59	1.98	1,692
Group	15,911	2.49	3.50	6.87	0.16	1.66	3.27	1,466



