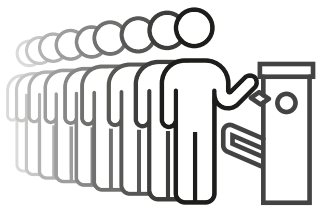


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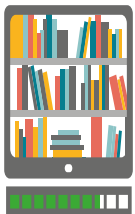
4 Libraries serving a population of 125,000



Over 600,000 visits a year



51,000 Hours of public IT use



3,000 ebooks downloaded



120,000 books loaned



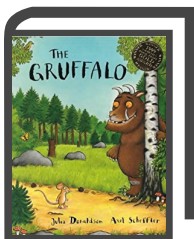
4,500 new members a year



1150 hours of learning activities delivered a year



1000 children taking part in the Summer Reading Challenge



Most popular childrens book  
The Gruffalo  
by Julia Donaldson  
96 issues



Most popular adult book  
Night School by Lee Child  
176 issues

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## What we offer

**Child & adult learning** – eg code clubs, IT clinics, work clubs, lego club.

**Events** – e.g. Summer Reading Challenge activities, author visits.

**Book lending** – including free reservations from all 4 Halton libraries, large print and audio books on CD

**Online library service** – free ebooks and eaudio to download  
Book sets for reading groups

**Local history collections and research facilities**

**Newspapers and magazines** – both physical and online

**Home library service & community library service**

**Memory boxes**

**Free public computer facilities and free wifi**

**Staff help and support** – to get online, book recommendations, etc.

**Digital skills development** – code club, micro:bit and codebug lending, IT clinics, 1-2-1 digital support

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