

Pikes Peak Library District 2025 Highlights

The information below provides a snapshot of some of PPLD's highlights in 2025. Percentages were rounded to the nearest whole number.

Two facilities purchased!

Two facilities were purchased in November, reducing the number of leased buildings in the District.

- Ruth Holley Library
- Ute Pass Library

New Library system and bookmobile!

PPLD updated its integrated library system (ILS), the software that controls checkouts, the catalog, and patron accounts. Almost three million records, including all the materials in the collection, were migrated to the new system to make this happen.

The Mobile Library Service launched its new bookmobile in December to more effectively serve outlying areas.

District services remained strong!

The Colorado Department of Education announced that PPLD's Adult Education students had the top fiscal year 2024-2025 skills gained for GED and ESL classes for all similarly funded programs in the state.

Three Maker Camps were offered for teens. Each was filled to capacity with attendees learning skills on 3D printers, sewing machines, and more.

Access was added!

Regional History & Genealogy launched PPLD Digital Collections, a robust, connected online platform where nearly one million archival items, like photographs, genealogical records, news articles, oral histories, and more, can be accessed from anywhere in the world.

And More!

31,514: Total new library cards

↑ 12% over 2024

~63,000: Average unique library card users each month

↑ 8% over 2024

2,068,681: Physical materials checked out

↓ 5% under 2024*

4,089,426: eResources checked out

↑ 15% over 2024

32,584: Meeting room reservations

0% change from 2024

108,113: Program attendance

↑ 2% over 2024

230,448: Computer sessions

↑ 3% over 2025

103,751: Public Wi-Fi sessions

↑ 47% over 2024

103,083: Questions asked at service desks

↑ 4% over 2024

Record
Breaking!



More information about the Library can be found at ppld.org.

*Some decrease was likely due to limited access during the ILS transition.