



# Canaan Town Library Information and Statistics for 2008

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## Hours of Operation

Monday 3pm-9pm	Thursday 1pm-5pm
Tuesday 1pm-5pm	Friday 9am-12pm
Wednesday 1pm-9pm	Saturday 9am-3pm

## Library Offerings

Audio Books Adult Book Group Book Fairs Book Sales Children's Craft Programs Children's Story Hour Community Group Meeting Space Downloadable Audio Books DVDS Free Cable Internet Access Genealogy Assistance Handicap Accessibility Home Schooling Retreats Inter-Library Loan Knitting Instruction Large Print Materials Library Blog Library Website	Local Artist Exhibits Meetinghouse Readings Online Card Catalog Online Databases Online Encyclopedia Play Group Photocopying Programming (author visits, speakers, etc.) Reference Assistance School Class Visits Story Hour Summer Reading Program (Adult) Summer Reading Program (Children) Tax Materials Wireless Internet Access Writer's Group
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## Circulation

YEAR	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
TOTAL	27172	28730	35186	34902	30565	30593	33919

## Internet Usage (included in above circulation figures)

Individual Sessions	2220
Wireless Sessions	151
<b>Total</b>	<b>2371</b>

The wireless service is also available when the library is not open, to allow our patrons 24/7 access.

Collections

Adult	15777
Juvenile	11590
Total Books	27367
Adult Videos	728
Juvenile Videos	543
Total Videos	1271
Adult Audios	525
Juvenile Audios	327
Total Audios	852
Magazines	1296
Music CDs	188
Inter-Library Loans (currently checked out)	54
Artifacts	46

Total Registered Borrowers\*

	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
Canaan	821 (77%)	965 (77.88%)	1117 (76.1%)	1207 (75.6%)	1367 (74.9%)	1462 (74.9%)	1637 (76.2%)
Dorchester	22 (2.0%)	24 (1.9%)	37 (2.5%)	43 (2.6%)	47 (2.5%)	49 (2.5%)	59 (2.7%)
Enfield	16 (1.5%)	17 (1.37%)	34 (2.3%)	39 (2.4%)	43 (2.3%)	49 (2.5%)	49 (2.2%)
Grafton	117 (10.98%)	143 (11.5%)	185 (12.6%)	210 (13.1%)	256 (14.0%)	272 (13.9%)	283 (13%)
Orange	67 (6.29%)	74 (5.97%)	84 (5.8%)	89 (5.5%)	97 (5.3%)	101 (5%)	110 (5.1%)
Patron	22 (2.06%)	16 (1.2%)	10 (.6%)	8 (.5%)	11 (.6%)	19 (.9)	8 (.3%)
Total	1065	1239	1467	1596	1824	1952 (10/3/07)	2146

\* These figures represent number of library cards and do not take into account the many families who have multiple users on one card.

