



# 2024 Michigan Libraries Snapshot

Michigan Boasts **396** Public Libraries



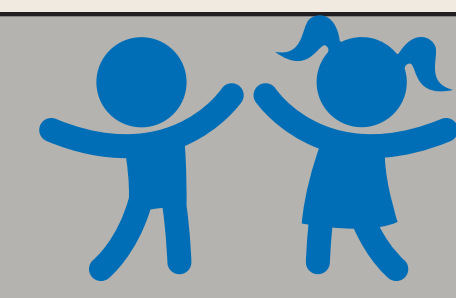
**75 Million**

Items Borrowed (including books and ebooks)



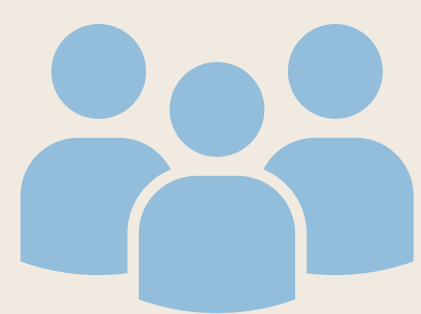
**97.44%**

Libraries offer WiFi



**653,713**

Attendance at Early Literacy Programs by Michigan Children



**30 Million**

Library Visits



**3.1 Million**

Attendance at Library Events

## Impactful Use of **\$4.8 Million** LSTA Federal Funds



Allotted by IMLS through the Grants to States Programs



**MeL** Michigan eLibrary  
Supporting Michigan Libraries

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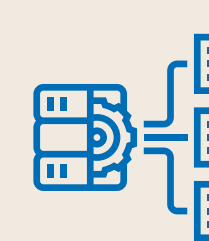
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MeLCat Items Loaned in 2024



**10 Million**

MeLCat Items Loaned since 2015



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Trusted Articles and Journals Accessed



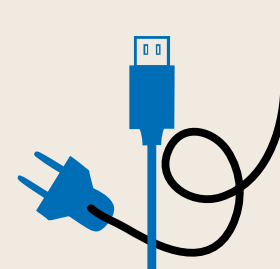
**\$26.96**

For every \$1 spent



**\$384,715**

Awarded to Libraries Directly



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Internet Hotspots Borrowed



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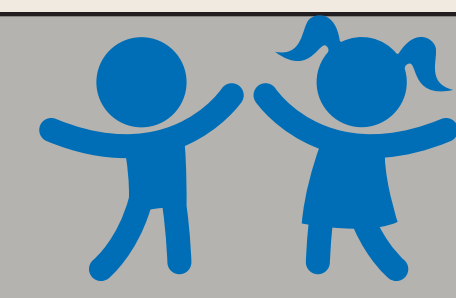
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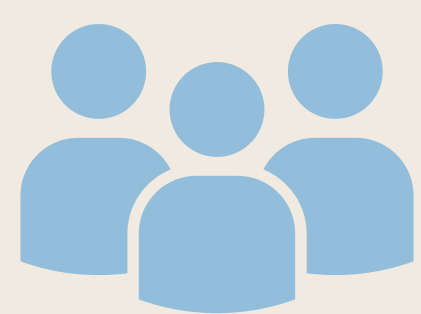
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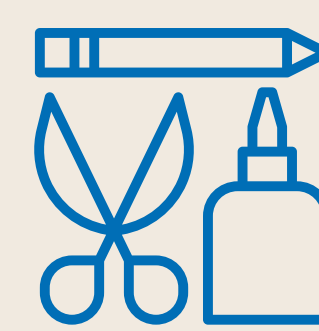
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### \$30,615

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### 377,350

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