

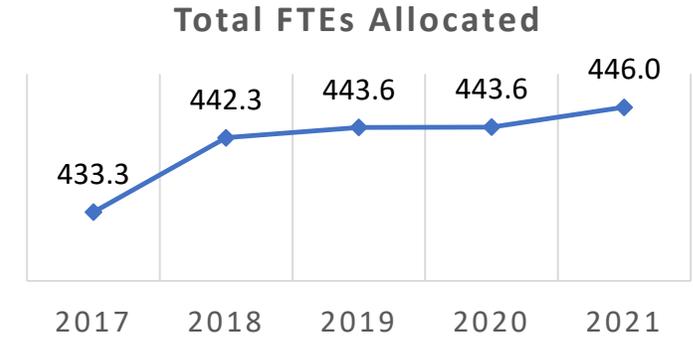
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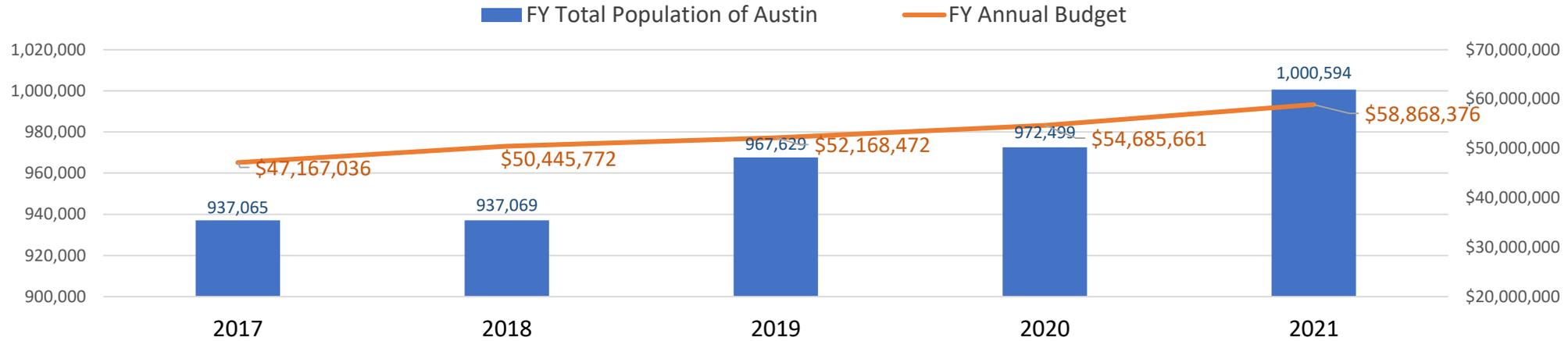
Fiscal Year 2021 and Trends

**AUSTIN  
PUBLIC  
LIBRARY**

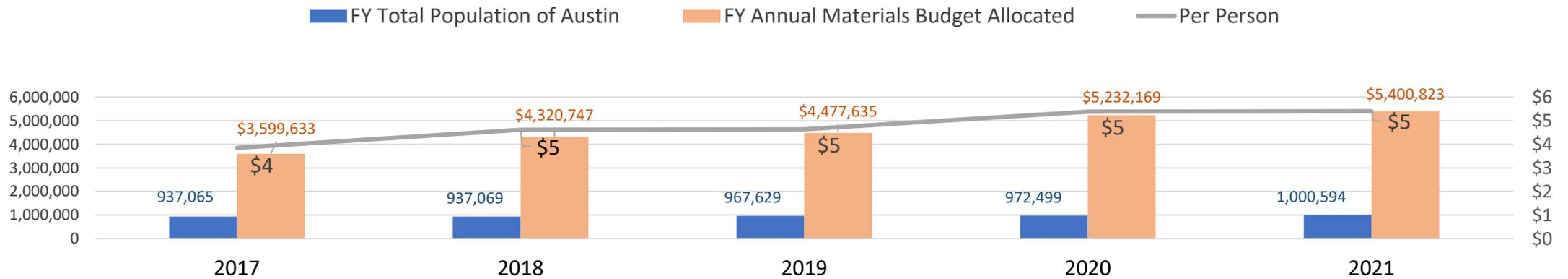
# Budget



Department Budget for Legal Service Area



Materials Budget Per Resident



# COVID IMPACTS

- Libraries closed to the public in March 2020.
- May 2020 Library programs pivoted to virtual and outdoor events.
- June 2020 Book drops opened and curbside services offered.
- June 2021 Library locations reopened to the public at limited capacity. Austin History Center opened 2 days/week to offer remote reference and e-document services.
- Social distancing reduced the number of public computers.
- Library staff volunteered to work at Emergency Operation Centers.

*“All this stuff is new, but like any new process, you’re getting used to it,” Fitzgerald (a library customer) said. “During these times, as long as it’s good for public safety, we’re good.”*

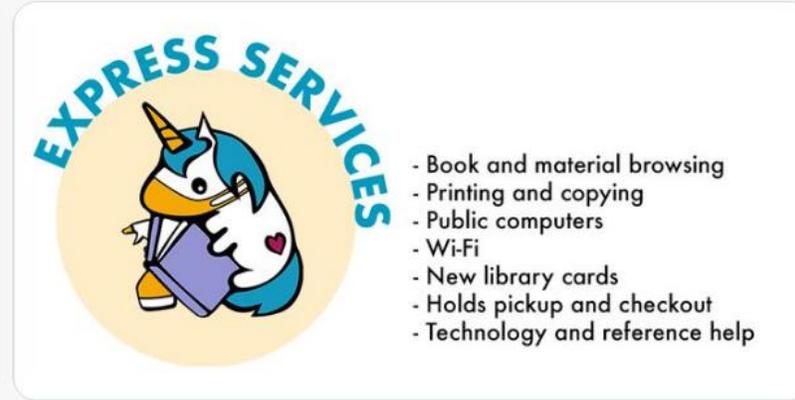
*~Austin Monitor October 2, 2020*

Austin Public Library

10.6K Tweets

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These locations are operating at modified hours because they also serve as @AusPublicHealth vaccine clinics. Review all our hours and locations here: [bit.ly/3jhy89m](https://bit.ly/3jhy89m)



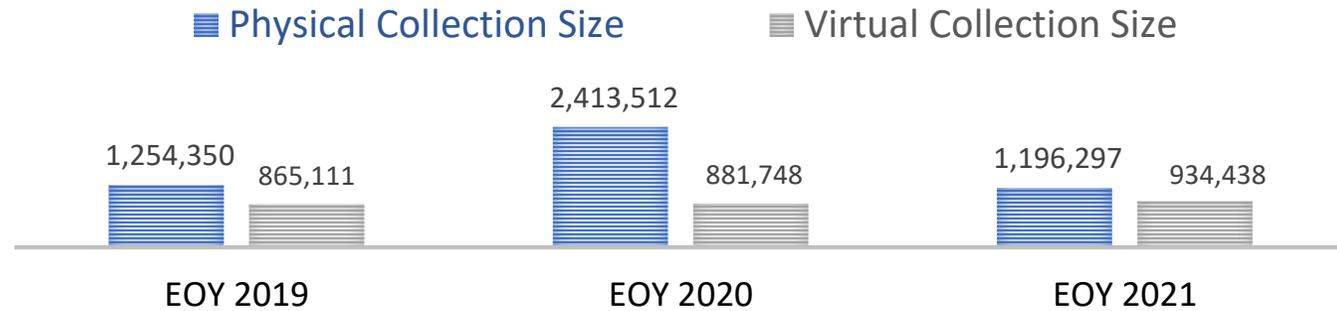
## Branch Closures

1. Little Walnut Creek - vaccination clinic
2. Southeast - vaccination clinic
3. Terrazas - Downtown Austin Community Court
4. Cepeda - renovation
5. University Hills - renovation
6. Yarborough - renovation
7. Pleasant Hill - renovation

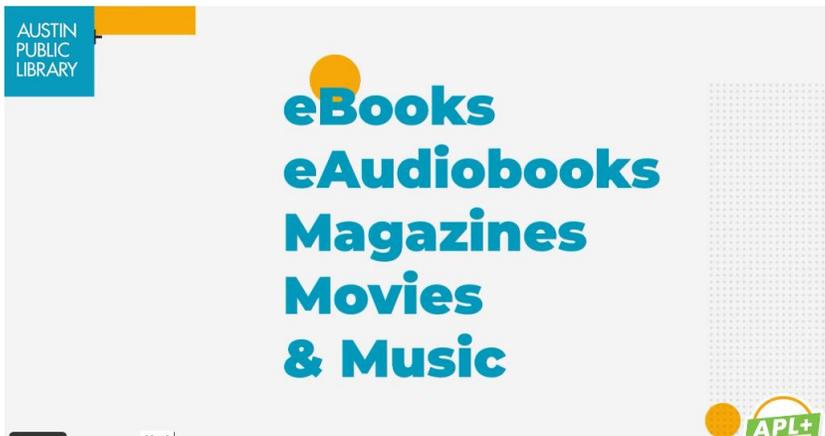
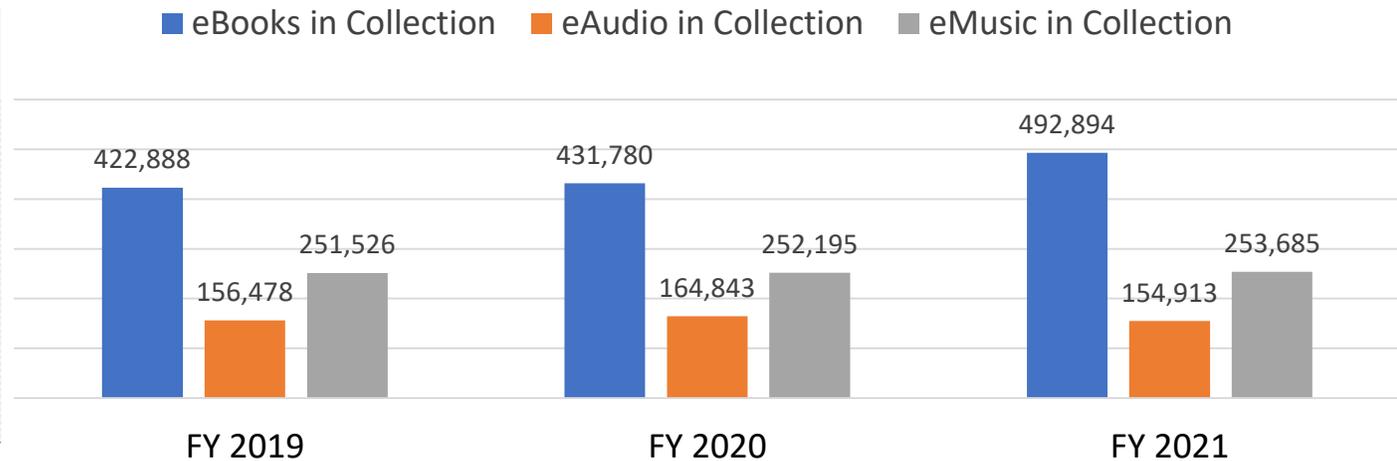
# Collection



COLLECTIONS SIZE  
TRENDS



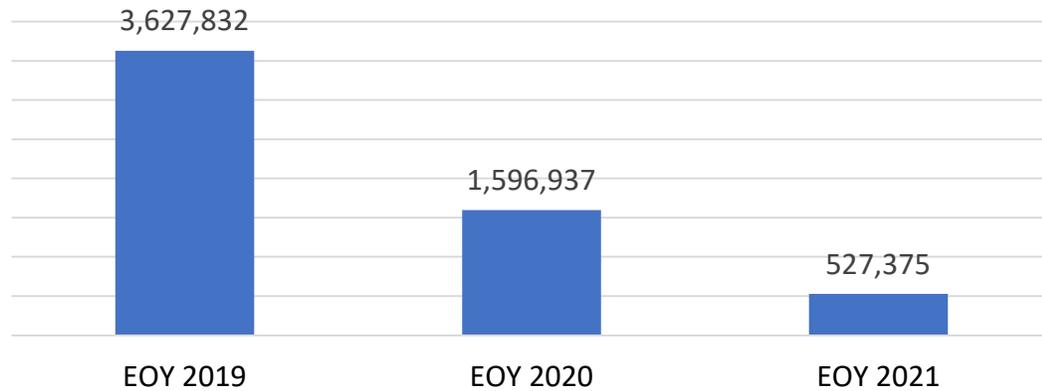
e-MATERIALS  
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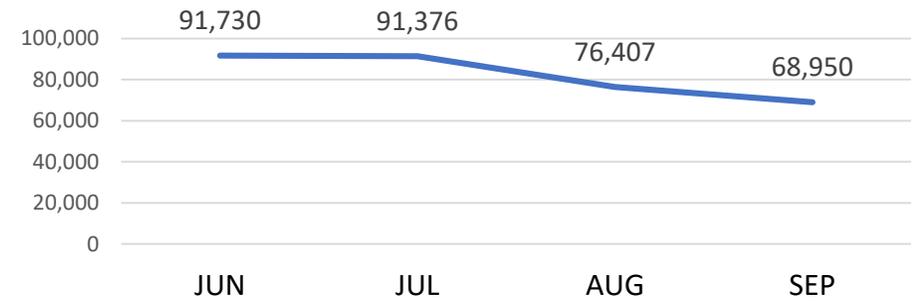
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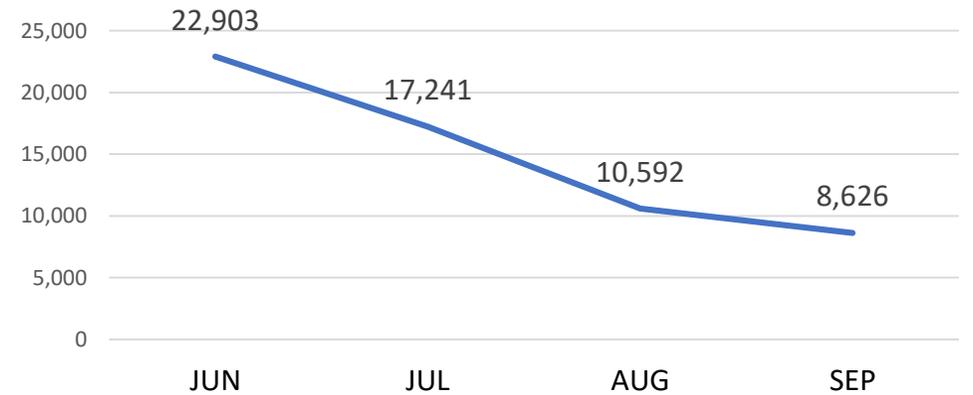
VISITORS  
EOY TRENDS



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Trends FY 2021



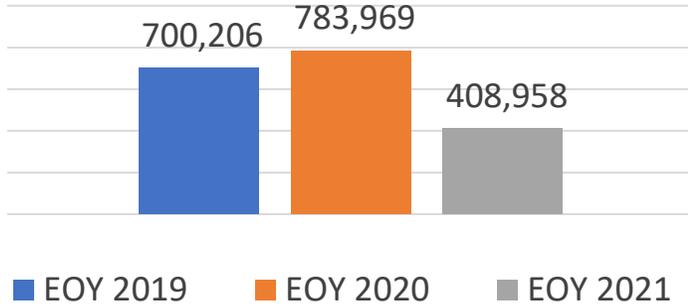
Central Visitors  
Trends FY 2021



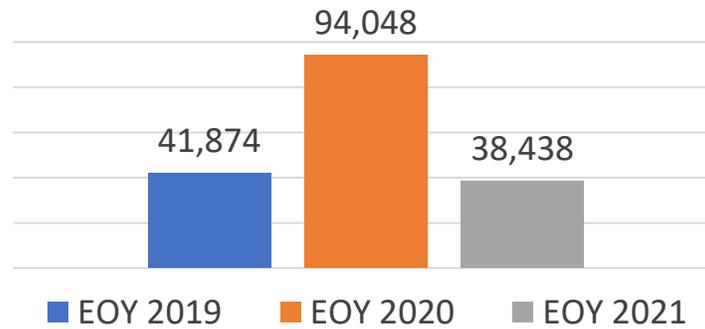


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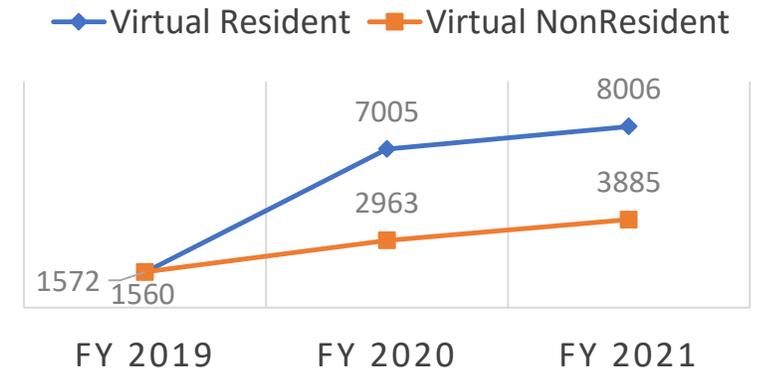
CARDHOLDERS  
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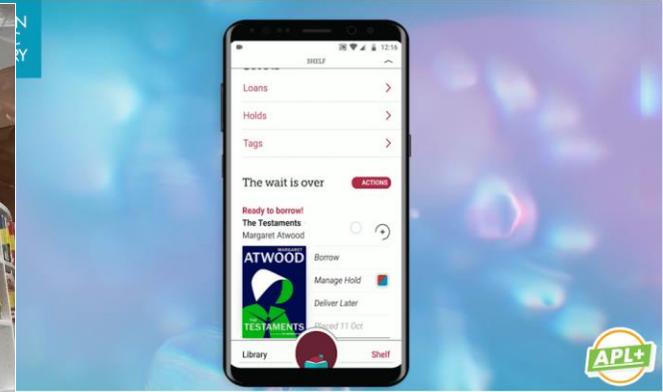
NEW CARDHOLDERS  
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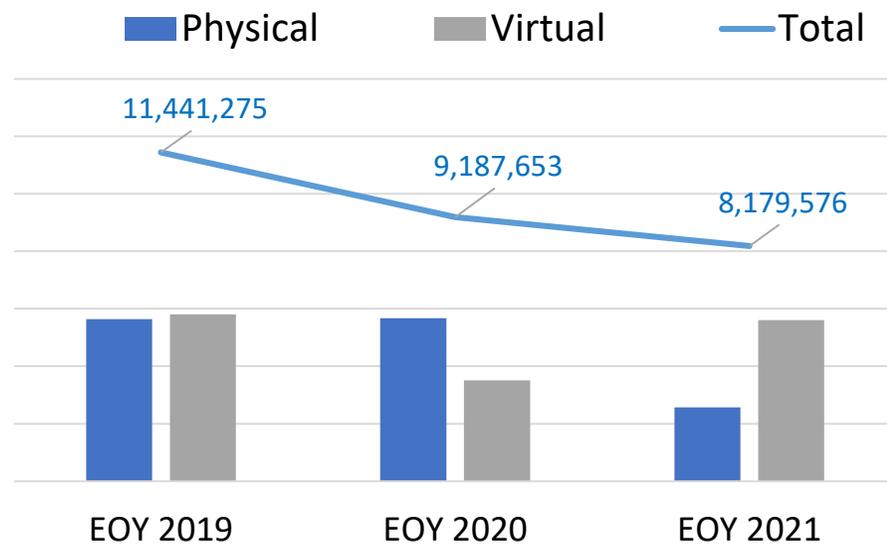
VIRTUAL LIBRARY  
E-CARDS



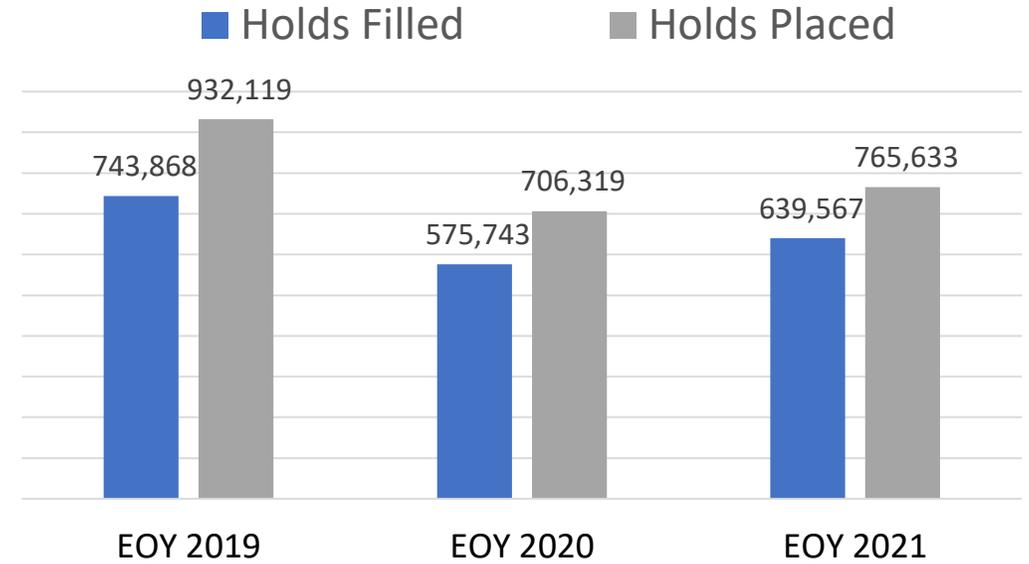
# Circulation



CIRCULATION  
EOY Trends



HOLDS  
EOY TRENDS



# Technology



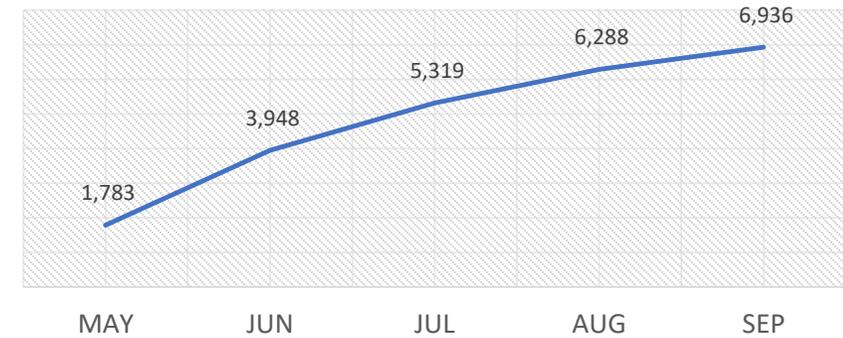
**COMPUTER SESSIONS**  
EOY Trends



**Wi-Fi CONNECTIONS**  
FY 2021 Trends



**BRANCH**  
PUBLIC COMPUTER SESSIONS



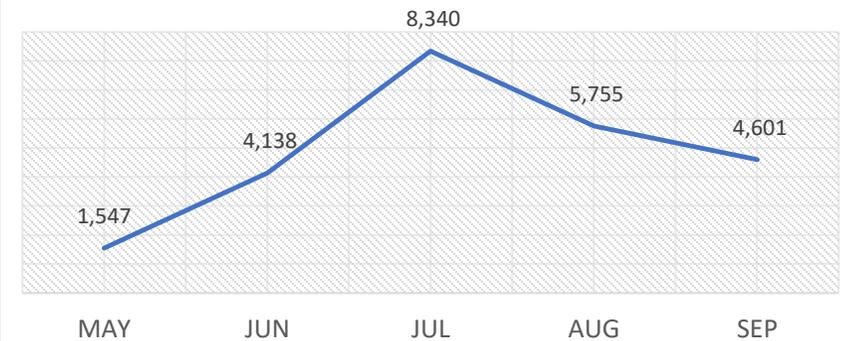
**WIFI CONNECTIONS**  
EOY Trends



**WEBSITE HITS**  
FY 2021 Trends



**CENTRAL**  
PUBLIC COMPUTER SESSIONS





今天我带大家唱一首非常熟悉的儿童歌曲  
 Today I'm going to sing a very familiar kid's song with

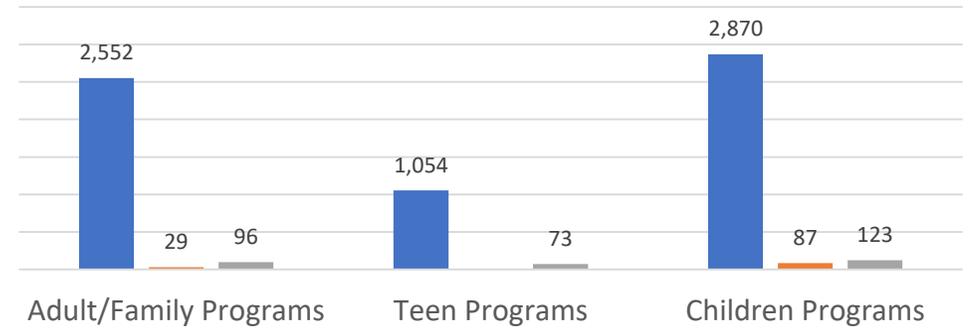


The Urban Libraries Council announced Austin Public Library as one of 10 Top Innovators during the 2020 Innovations Celebration in December.

# Programs

PROGRAMS BY AUDIENCE  
 EOY Trends

■ EOY 2019 ■ EOY 2020 ■ EOY 2021



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Adult Programming



# Library Cards for All Students Campaign



Independent School Districts  
Public Charter Schools  
Private Schools  
Daycare and Childcare Centers  
Homeschools



*"We are very excited to be able to expand access to library materials to all students in Travis County," Austin Public Library Director Roosevelt Weeks said in a press release. "One of the Austin Public Library's six core priorities is 'Literacy Advancement,' and lifting a financial barrier to accessing the Library's resources for tens of thousands of Travis County students will provide a significant boost to literacy and learning in the Greater Austin community."*



**2021**  
**Nearly**  
**90,000!**



Let's welcome in 2022!