

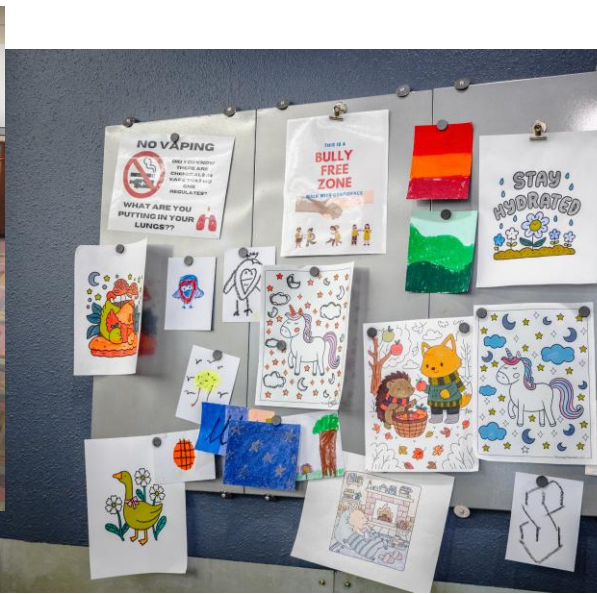


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Teen Services at DPL





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Teen Volunteering

Volunteer Orientation 1x/season

Virtual Volunteer Orientation

Projects: shelving, shelf cleaning, displays, program preparation, program assistance, collection maintenance, merchandising, playroom/story time toy cleaning

Teen Volunteer Hours FY26:
275+ hours



Teen Programs

Afterschool Average: 73

May '25-'26

Total Teen Programs: 156

Teen Attendance: 5,692

Topics: financial literacy, disaster preparedness, writing, STEM, art, and school/college readiness



Teen Collections

New Teen Fiction

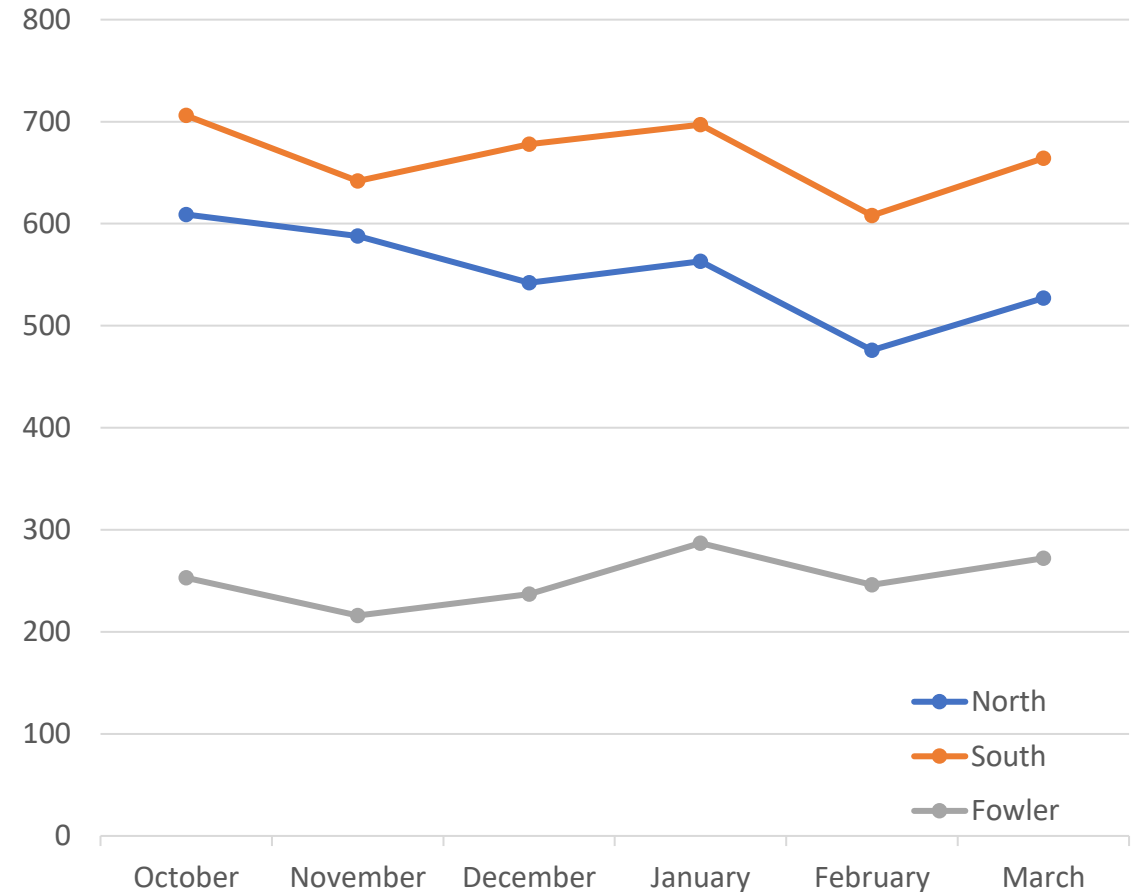
- Books added in the last 6-12 months
- Circulation increased by 71.7% at North Branch by moving the collection *outside* of the Teen Room



Teen Collections

Teen Fiction

- National trends reflected locally
- Merchandising
- Promote series
- Uptick around reading initiatives and holidays



Teen Collections

Teen Graphic Novels

- Western Style
- Manga moved to Junior or Adult GN July 2025
- Focus on displaying newer titles and series



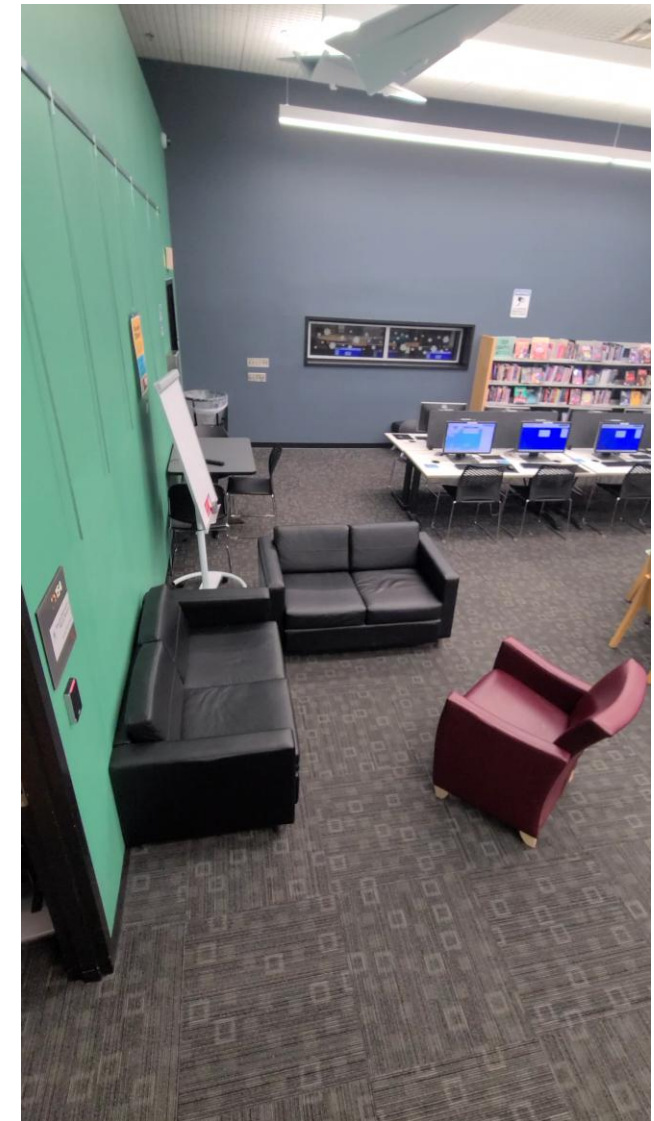
Teen Collections

Teen Discovery Kits

- Sewing
- Ukulele
- Retro Gaming: Gameboy
- Dungeons & Dragons
- Mindfulness



North Branch



Emily Fowler



South Branch



We invite you to...

- Share about teen art exhibit space
- Borrow a graphic novel or new teen fiction book
- Share your expertise with teens through programming
- Share how youth can get free library cards, no matter where they live

