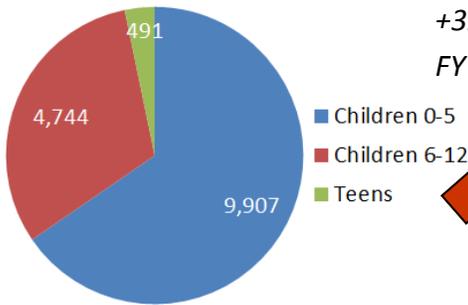
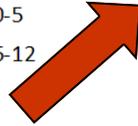


Youth Literacy Program Attendance by Age



+39% from
FY 16 YTD



Youth Literacy

"It is great to provide the children with story time like this to get them **interacting** with other babies. Plus, the children are **exposed** to the **new words, new songs**. Thank you for providing this for them!"

-Grandmother of story time participant



International Story Time celebrating Nigeria at the Cordova Library.

95% of survey respondents attending youth literacy programs agreed or strongly agreed that they will spend more time singing, reading, talking, writing or playing with their children as a result of attending the program.



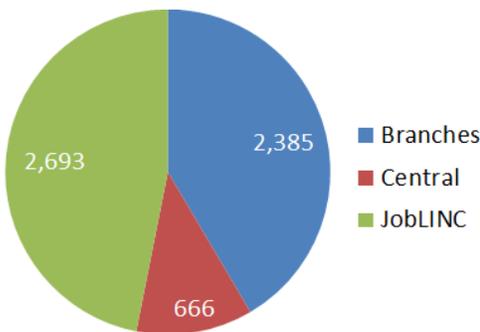
International Story Time celebrating China at the Benjamin L. Hooks Central Library.

"I taught my boy how to check out eBooks from the Library and he has been reading like **a book and half a day.**"

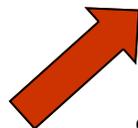
- Tracy O'Connor, Library customer

Job, Career, and Entrepreneurship

Job, Career, Ent. Program Attendance by Location



+32% from
FY 16 YTD

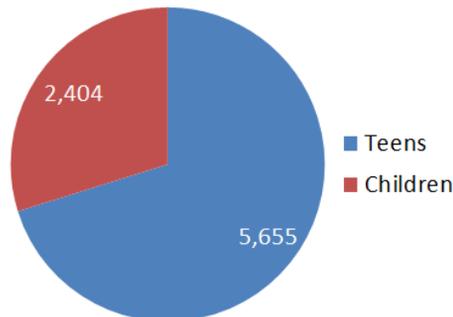


"I got the job! Thank you so much. The **Library was such a big help** and I am so happy I started going. Thank you for all you did and for all of the **encouragement** you all gave me, because I truly love my new office. It is such a blessing."

-Ms. Alexander, JobLINC Customer

96% of polled program attendees stated that they learned something new that will help them.

Youth STEAM Program Attendance by Age



+168% from
FY16 YTD



Youth STEAM

95% of polled program attendees stated that they learned something new that will help them.



CLOUD901 building a robot for a robotics competition.

<p>Goal 1: Ensures that all Memphians have access to technology needed to increase knowledge, learning, and access to the economy.</p>	<p>Goal 2: Reaches beyond its walls with creative partnerships that make a difference in people's lives.</p>	<p>Goal 3: Communicates in ways that move libraries from a supporting player to a leadership role that is highly valued in today's public space.</p>	<p>Goal 4: A platform for three overriding purposes: literacy, education accelerator, and jobs center.</p>	<p>Goal 5: Advances a culture of excellence in operations and outreach.</p>
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