



2024-25 Library System Board Grants

The Operating Grant for library system boards is based on the total population of participating jurisdictions as approved by the Minister. These grants are calculated by multiplying the combined municipal population as determined by the 2019 Municipal Affairs Population List (MAPL) by the maximum rate of \$4.75 per capita.

The Library Services grant is paid to library system boards on behalf of residents of participating jurisdictions that do not have a local municipal or intermunicipal library board. This grant is calculated by multiplying the eligible 2019 Municipal Affairs population to a maximum of \$5.60 per capita.

Library system boards that received the minimum five per cent increase from the 2022-23 to 2023-24 Operating Grant and/or Library Services Grant have had their grant amount(s) maintained for 2024-25.

Library System Board	2019 MAPL Population	Operating Grant @ \$4.75 per capita	Library Services Grant @ \$5.60 per capita	2024-25 Projected Total Grant
Chinook Arch				
Operating Grant	210,462	\$999,695		
Library Services Grant	23,951		\$134,126	
Total grant				\$1,133,820
Marigold				
Operating Grant	316,889	\$1,505,223		
Library Services Grant	85,229		\$479,819	
Total grant				\$1,985,042
Northern Lights				
Operating Grant	179,929	\$878,532		
Library Services Grant	62,328		\$358,574	
Total grant				\$1,237,106
Parkland				
Operating Grant	220,051	\$1,045,242		
Library Services Grant	80,880		\$452,928	
Total grant				\$1,498,170
Peace				
Operating Grant	175,246	\$843,663		
Library Services Grant	11,582		\$66,562	
Total grant				\$910,225
Shortgrass				
Operating Grant	107,349	\$521,753		
Library Services Grant	3,581		\$20,054	
Total grant				\$541,807

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Yellowhead				
Operating Grant	295,454	\$1,403,407		
Library Services Grant	11,079		\$62,042	
Total grant				\$1,465,449
Total System Operating		\$7,197,514		
Total Library Services			\$ 1,574,105	
TOTAL				\$8,771,619

**Subject to Alberta Legislative Approval of Government of Alberta Budget 2024*