

Library Programs

CHILDREN

Born to Read Kids' Book Club Toddling To Read Ready, Set, Kindergarten Family Literacy Day Pyjama Party Family Storytime PA Day Programs March Break Headquarters **Reading Buddies** Summer Reading Club

TEENS

Early Harvest Competition Teen Summer Reading Challenge Reading Buddies Volunteers Red Cross Babysitting Training Teen Library Volunteers

ADULTS

Business Programs Book Clubs ESL Programs Senior Social Chinese Information Series

EVERYONE

Asian Heritage Month Black History Month Computer & Technology Training Italian Heritage Month Jewish Heritage Month Movie Programs

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1,013,116 visits to VPL's website

customers visited libraries

2,208,506

We're proud of this list too.

4.466 eBooks available for download

30,300 eBooks were checked out

98.265 customers attended 3,248 programs

1.598 tweets were posted on VPL's Twitter account

183 new fans followed VPL on Facebook

Libraries were open 17,973 hours

12,892 new customers joined the library

551,961 customer questions were answered by staff

74.968 new items added to VPL's collections



Thank You Your comments made us feel TOPS!

I love the library and all the community programs that you have for children.

Nice puppet show—Purple Pirate—very entertaining for the kids.

Thank you to the staff for putting great books on display. No matter what book I pick it's always a great read!

I love when you display your "Picks" of DVD and Blu-Ray movies. It really helps and they are always great.

The library has a great selection of French materials.

Storytime is my daughter's favourite

Thank you for a great Russian collection.

Staff are very helpful and I'm always greeted with a smile and a cheerful wave.

Love the study hall and the extended hours at my library. It makes my studying a lot more manageable and

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Front Row (from L): Lorraine de Boer, Michael McKenzie (Chair), Grace Locilento. Middle Row (from L): Suri Rosen, Rosanna DeFrancesca, Devender Sandhu (Vice-Chair), Marie Chiaromonte, Isabella Ferrara, Marilyn Iafrate. Back Row (from L): Vivek Gupta, Gino Rosati, Margie Singleton (CEO), Steve Kerwin, Rocco Capone, Pradeep Puri, Michael Di Biase.





Vaughan Public Libraries

Free to Explore

At Vaughan Public Libraries (VPL) our mission is to provide welcoming destinations that educate, excite and empower our community. What better way to make that possible than by offering an incredible array of complimentary programs, services, resources and events? That's right, today VPL goes way beyond being just a place where you can borrow books for free. How far beyond? Check out the Top Ten List of Great **Things to Explore** at your local library!

Top 10 Free

things to explore at VPL!

Free Membership for all Vaughan Residents
All City of Vaughan residents are entitled to a complimentary

All City of Vaughan residents are entitled to a complimentary library card allowing you to take advantage of library services citywide.

Wi-Fi & Computers, Notebooks, Netbooks, Kobo Readers, Kobo Minis & More!

Connect to the Internet using your own device in the library or use one of ours. We offer computers and the latest in tablet technology for you to use or you can borrow an eReader to take home.

Books, Movies and Music

Looking for a new release, a bestseller or a classic? Check out our extensive collections of books, Audiobooks, magazines, CDs, movies and TV series on DVD and Blu-Ray in person or online.

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Programs, Events and Cultural Celebrations

From storytimes, author visits, PA Day and March Break activities, summer reading clubs, volunteer opportunities, research assistance, babysitting training and book clubs to movies and senior socials—we have something for everyone.

Computer and Technology Training

Learn how to use a computer, search the Internet, access databases, explore the world of social media, download eBooks and more.

English as a Second Language (ESL) Classes and Materials
For ESL class locations, just contact the library or visit our website. Check VPL's catalogue to see the variety of materials that can help you improve your English.

Information and Research for Entrepreneurs and Business Professionals
We offer business-related materials and seminars. Plus, explore the multitude of business databases available through the library's website.

Space to Read, Relax and Study
Pick up a good read and take a seat in one of our comfortable reading or study spaces.
During exam time, some libraries even offer after-hours Study Halls just for students.

Advice from our Friendly, Knowledgeable Staff
Our staff are committed and trained professionals you can count on to answer your questions, suggest your next great read and greet you with a friendly smile.

We hope to see you and your family soon!



Sign up for a library card today. Receive a complimentary *VPL book bag with this coupon.





Enrich

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From *Born to Read* for babies to *Senior Social*, there's something for all ages! Drop by VPL's book clubs, author visits, computer programs, cultural celebrations and special events.

Join us for amazing perks like access to:

- borrow and request bestsellers, new releases, books, magazines, CDs, movies & TV series on DVD/Blu-Ray, Audiobooks, newspapers, databases and special collections
- free Wi-Fi, Internet and MS Word, Excel and PowerPoint on library computers
- exceptional electronic databases essential for school or business needs
- book a study room, borrow an eReader, print wirelessly and download an eBook or eAudiobook
- multilingual materials in over 16 languages

...and so much more!



