Internet Applications Report

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With our society continuing to advance technologically, the library has also become a place which relies on technology for its everyday functions. While still offering books and in-person services, some of what the library offers can be found online through their website. Understanding HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and JQuery is an important skill to understanding and helping clients online, specifically for the purpose of ensuring smooth everyday functions. Understanding the basics of the library website means technicians are able to guide library users in using the database in an informative way. Furthermore, understanding how the website works is also convenient for fixing problems as they arrive–saving both time and money for the library.

As resources become more available online and the library is working towards bridging the digital-divide, we face a real chance of resources becoming mainly available online. Therefore, learning and understanding different code will only become a fundamental part of being a library technician as the more people will continue to seek information codes and library technicians are expected to provide while also managing the digital space, themselves.