



## 2025/26 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 Board	Operating Grant @ \$4.75 per capita	Library Services Grant @ \$5.60 per capita	2025/26 Projected Total Grant
<b>Chinook Arch</b>			
Operating Grant	\$999,695		
Library Services Grant		\$134,126	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$1,133,820</b>
<b>Marigold</b>			
Operating Grant	\$1,505,223		
Library Services Grant		\$479,819	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$1,985,042</b>
<b>Northern Lights</b>			
Operating Grant	\$878,532		
Library Services Grant		\$358,574	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$1,237,106</b>
<b>Parkland</b>			
Operating Grant	\$1,045,774		
Library Services Grant		\$386,652	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$1,432,426</b>
<b>Peace</b>			
Operating Grant	\$843,663		
Library Services Grant		\$66,562	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$910,225</b>
<b>Shortgrass</b>			
Operating Grant	\$521,753		
Library Services Grant		\$20,054	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$541,807</b>

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<b>Yellowhead</b>			
Operating Grant	\$1,403,407		
Library Services Grant		\$62,042	
<b>Total grant</b>			<b>\$1,465,449</b>
<b>Total System Operating</b>	\$7,198,046		
<b>Total Library Services</b>		\$ 1,507,829	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>\$8,705,875</b>

*\*Subject to Alberta Legislative Approval of Government of Alberta Budget 2025*