

Circulation 2008 - 2009

Total Circulation for Kelvin Smith Library and Branches

Library	Circulation	Renewals	Count
Astronomy	127	94	221
Center for Statistics & Geospatial Data	55	9	64
Freedman MultiMedia Center	19,101	1	19,102
Iron Mountain	161	214	375
Kelvin Smith Library	62,645	59,086	121,731
Kulas Music Library	8,197	4,369	12,566
Retrospective Research Collections Center	465	280	745
Grand Total Initial Circulation	90,751	64,235	154,986
Total Circulation & Renewals	154,986		

Note: The statistics for the fiscal year 2008/2009 demonstrate the downward trend by library users of using physical books and materials as more books and other information sources become available electronically. These numbers do not show circulation statistics of Cleveland Public Library books, books on CD and periodicals.

Circulation (Checkout) Summary For Kelvin Smith Library, RRCC, & Iron Mountain

Material Description	Percent	Count
Audio Cassette	0.00	3
Audio CD	0.10	55
AV – other	0.00	8
Book	81.60	51,555
Book (non-circulating)	0.50	299
CD-ROM	0.10	86
Computer File	0.00	0
DVD	7.00	4,438
Geological Survey	0.00	0
Government Document	0.10	32
Government Document (non-circulating)	0.00	1
Kit	0.00	1
Microform	0.00	6
Periodical – bound	0.10	32
Periodical – unbound	0.00	0
Pamphlet	0.00	0
Reserve – 2 hour – In House	2.50	1,568
Reserve – 2 hour – May Leave	0.10	38
Reserve – 3 hour – In House	3.60	2,265
Reserve – 3 hour – may Leave	0.30	169
Reserve – 8 hour	0.20	125
Reserve – Due at Close	0.40	251
Reserve – 1 day	0.20	108
Reserve – 2 day	0.00	0
Reserve – 3 day	0.10	52
Reserve – 7 day	0.20	115
Reserve – 28 day	0.00	0
Restricted Access	0.00	0
Thesis	0.20	95
Video Cassette	3.00	1,892
Total	100%	63,194

Note: Book usage continues to decline following a trend toward electronic formats over print formats. A decrease in media usage may be linked to the fact that fewer current and popular titles are being added as well as the fact that the VHS format is not being supported in the electronics industry. Simply said, fewer people have VHS machines. Course Reserves experienced a slight decrease but it must be noted that more instructors are transferring more of their materials to the electronic reserves format.