



BOLD Library Profile

Basic facts

Opened in 1997 as a satellite library. 1,700 sq. ft in size. Open five days, 39 hours weekly.

Population characteristics:

Gender

Male	880	49%
Female	901	51%

Age

Total population in service area:	1,781	
Under 5 years	327	18.36%
5 to 9 years	226	12.69%
10 to 14 years	144	8.09%
15 to 17 years	73	4.10%
18 to 34 years	430	24.14%
35 to 49 years	336	18.87%
50 to 64 years	164	9.21%
65 years and over	81	4.55%

- 18% of population preschoolers - over twice Fort Worth as a whole
- 25% school-age
- 5% 65 or older - about half of Fort Worth as a whole

Race & Ethnicity

White alone	417	23.41%
Black or African American alone	1,173	65.86%
American Indian and Alaska Native alone	22	1.24%
Asian alone	24	1.35%
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander alone	0	0
Some other race alone	106	5.95%
Population of two or more races	39	2.19%

- 23% White - about 40% less than Fort Worth as a whole
- 66% African American - over three times more than Fort Worth as a whole
- 1.24% American Indian - about twice Fort Worth as a whole
- 1.35% Asian and Pacific Islander - half of Fort Worth as a whole
- 8% Some other or two or more races - about one half of Fort Worth as a whole
- 314 people or 18% of the branch service population self-identify as Hispanic or Latino. They can be of any race or combination of races. This is about 60% of Fort Worth as a whole.

Language Spoken at Home for Population Five Years and Over

- 83% speak English
- 16% speak Spanish - 64% of the level of Fort Worth as a whole

Household and Economic Data

Median income: \$ 7,186 - only 20% of the median income of Fort Worth as a whole (\$37,074)

Households with income below the poverty level: 305 of 436 households or 70%. This figure is five and a half times the rate for Fort Worth as a whole.

**Educational Attainment
For Population 25 Years and Over**

Attainment Level	Persons	Percent	Fort Worth as a Whole	Percent
No Schooling Completed	53	6%	N/A	N/A
Less than High School	428	50%	88,139	27%
High School Graduate	196	23%	78,279	24%
Some College	116	14%	70,483	22%
Associate Degree	25	3%	15,391	5%
Bachelor's Degree	31	4%	48,625	15%
Post Grad/Prof Degree	0	0%	23,688	7%

- Twice the percentage of Fort Worth as a whole have less than a high school education
- The percent with a high school education is the same as the city as a whole
- Significantly smaller percentage have any sort of higher educational degree - only 26% of the city as a whole

Service Measurements

Service	FY 01	Rank Among 15 Facilities
Total Circulation	21,637	15
External Circulation	1,961	15
In-House Usage	19,676	14
Questions Answered	7,844	15
Program Attendance	1,887	10
Service Rate*	17,613	2
Collection Size	4,068	14

*Service Rate is another way of measuring and comparing the impact of library services. In this case, circulation, questions answered, and program attendance are added together and then divided by the population this branch serves to arrive at a service rate per thousand people. The Central library is not included.