

**Kentucky Rankings: Comparison of Kentucky Public Libraries with Other States \***

↑ indicates an increased ranking, ↓ indicates a decreased ranking, ↔ indicates unchanged ranking

	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	
Local Income per capita	29	27	25	23	20	18	17	16	18	18	18	18	18	16	↑
State Income per capita	21	19	17	19	21	20	21	21	24	22	23	23	26	21	↑
Other Income per capita	25	22	23	26	24	24	27	27	29	29	35	33	33	33	↔
Total Income per capita	32	27	26	26	24	22	20	20	21	20	24	23	22	21	↑
Salaries+Benefits, % of All Expenditures											new	38	37	36	↑
Collection Expenditures per capita	35	32	36	33	29	33	23	25	23	20	19	20	22	19	↑
Operating Expenditures per capita	37	36	38	37	35	34	32	33	33	33	33	32	32	31	↑
Other Operating Expenditures per capita											new	25	28	↓	
Print Materials per capita	42	42	42	41	42	40	40	40	37	35	35	32	32	30	↑
Audio Physical Materials per capita				new	34	40	39	37	37	35	32	31	31	32	↓
Audio Downloadable Materials per capita											new	19	23	25	↓
Video Physical Units per capita				new	36	38	36	36	32	30	31	28	27	25	↑
Video Downloadable Materials per capita											new	8	13	19	↓
Number of ebooks per capita											new	7	7	7	↔
Library Visits per capita	37	35	37	38	36	32	32	32	32	35	34	34	34	34	↔
Reference Transactions per capita	37	33	27	36	29	unreported				7	7	7	11	10	↑
Children's Material Circulation per capita											new	31	31	33	↓
Electronic Material Circulation/per capita											new	30	27	27	↑
Circulation/per capita	33	32	32	34	35	32	34	30	28	26	28	27	27	29	↓
Total Programs Offered per 1,000 population											new	15	17	17	↔
Total Program Attendance per 1,000 population											new	10	11	9	↑
Children's Programs Offered per 1,000 population											new	20	24	22	↑
Children's Program Attendance per 1,000 pop.											new	24	23	24	↓
YA Programs Offered per 1,000 population											new	26	22	19	↑
YA Program Attendance per 1,000 population											new	11	9	6	↑
ALA-MLS Librarians, % of Total Librarians											new	47	47	47	↔
Paid FTE Librarians/25,000 Population	13	13	12	12	12	11	10	10	9	9	8	8	7	6	↑
Total Paid FTE Staff/25,000 Population	28	28	28	25	27	26	24	24	24	24	25	23	24	25	↓
Public-Use Internet Computers per Outlet	14	11	5	6	6	8	7	6	7	7	7	7	7	6	↑
Internet computer user sessions per capita											new	19	21	19	↑
Internet computer user sessions per computer											new	23	23	23	↔
Internet terminals/5,000 Population	36	31	28	28	24	24	27	24	23	25	22	22	22	22	↔
Wireless Sessions per capita											new	19	34	↓	
Registered Borrowers per capita	new		32	21	23	28	25	19	18	19	16	14	19	11	↑

\* Includes all fifty states plus the District of Columbia

Source: *Public Libraries in the United States: FY 2019* (IMLS: 2021)