

# Teaneck Public Library

## 2018 Annual Report

2018 was quite a year for Teaneck Public Library! We saw over 239,000 visitors, who borrowed more than 432,000 items, including over 20,000 digital items.

Our 28,000 resident cardholders came to the Library for a variety of reasons in 2018, attending over 500 public events and asking more than 60,000 reference and information questions.

Access to technology continued to be important in 2018, with residents using over 19,000 public computer sessions, and printing over 79,000 pages, with an additional estimated 32,000 wifi sessions.

Operating our public library required a substantial investment from the community, but that investment offered a return in 2018 of more than \$6,000,000 to Teaneck residents. But I think we can all agree that the Library has a truly limitless value to the community!

On behalf of the Library Board of Trustees (right), I would like to thank Mayor Mohammed Hameeduddin, Deputy Mayors Elie Katz and Mark Schwartz, Council Members James Dunleavy, Keith Kaplan, Gervonn Romney Rice, and Dr. Henry Pruitt; Interim Township Manager Dean Kazinci and all Township Departments; the Friends of the Teaneck Public Library; our partnering organizations in Teaneck; State representatives Senator Loretta Weinberg, Assemblyman Gordon Johnson, and Assemblywoman Valerie Vainieri Huttie; an incredibly hardworking and dedicated public library staff; and most importantly, the residents of Teaneck for their support during this exciting time of transition. You make us great!

The future for our Library is bright, and I'm looking forward to working together in 2019 to create dynamic, responsive, and engaging community-centered collections, programs, and services.

Allen McGinley  
Library Director



We returned a value of over **6 million dollars** for registered borrowers in 2018!

SERVICE USED	QTY	RETAIL	VALUE
Adult Books	126,901	\$17.00	\$2,157,317
Teen Books	19,608	\$12.00	\$235,296
Children's Books	155,081	\$17.00	\$2,636,377
Audiobooks	10,100	\$9.95	\$100,495
eBooks	17,240	\$15.00	\$258,600
Magazines	8,196	\$5.00	\$40,980
Movies	81,690	\$4.00	\$326,760
Music CDs	12,596	\$9.95	\$125,330
Adult Programs	3,332	\$15.00	\$49,980
Mango Languages	1,987	\$19.99	\$39,720
Children's Programs	5,805	\$7.00	\$40,635
Museum Passes	618	\$20.00	\$12,360
TOTAL			\$6,023,850

