

## FLS 2019-2024 Appendix 4:

### **How to read this appendix**

Please read these notes before looking at the tables on the following pages.

The tables show the records of usage and borrowing for every current library run by Essex County Council over the last ten years. They do not include usage of mobile libraries or elibrary services.

The page titled 'Usage 2009 to 2019' , pages 2 -7, covers the period from 1 April 2009 to 31 May 2019.

The page titled 'Usage Apr-May 2019, pages 8-10, provides figures for the first two months of the current financial year.

"Active membership" shows the number of library users who are registered at each library and used their library card in the year reported. They may have used their card at any library or online, not necessarily in the library where they are registered.

Springfield library was opened in 2013/14 and therefore is no data available before this period.

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Library	Active Membership										
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Basildon	10,700	10,688	10,146	9,438	9,666	9,944	9,381	9,159	8,946	8,590	8,346
Billericay	11,065	10,861	10,563	9,587	9,073	8,805	8,260	7,631	7,205	7,038	6,658
Braintree	15,567	15,651	15,094	13,729	12,948	12,270	11,597	10,936	10,508	9,817	9,063
Brentwood	12,528	12,063	11,290	10,226	9,642	9,617	9,069	8,550	8,226	7,816	7,549
Brightlingsea	2,127	2,173	1,925	1,889	1,805	1,711	1,670	1,631	1,627	1,545	1,552
Broomfield	1,009	1,084	978	1,036	1,048	1,019	937	898	975	994	977
Buckhurst Hill	2,054	1,988	1,988	1,791	1,708	1,554	1,454	1,385	1,359	1,408	1,370
Burnham	2,115	2,108	2,036	1,838	1,802	1,708	1,558	1,487	1,395	1,346	1,294
Canvey	6,665	6,782	6,608	6,482	6,414	6,286	5,747	5,590	5,126	4,995	4,558
Chelmsford	27,198	26,705	24,910	22,942	22,069	22,219	20,947	19,935	19,123	18,964	18,254
Chigwell	1,178	1,350	1,359	1,217	1,113	1,061	1,040	995	1,025	983	973
Chipping Ongar	2,651	2,690	2,577	2,294	2,284	2,169	2,126	2,118	2,052	1,954	1,852
Clacton	13,551	13,227	12,642	11,405	10,761	10,752	9,841	8,886	8,772	7,741	7,222
Coggeshall	1,273	1,358	1,298	1,272	1,192	1,201	1,102	1,089	1,086	1,036	970
Colchester	27,761	28,027	26,516	24,697	23,776	23,326	23,834	23,146	20,998	19,976	18,771
Danbury	1,181	1,194	1,148	1,120	1,062	1,044	1,202	1,203	1,074	1,061	1,079
Debden	1,242	1,209	1,173	982	772	738	633	587	546	471	386
Dunmow	2,920	6,000	5,535	5,142	5,007	5,144	4,885	4,599	4,352	4,319	3,975
Earls Colne	1,039	1,052	1,074	1,065	962	1,000	908	956	865	877	801
Epping	3,397	3,417	3,320	3,005	2,926	2,777	2,611	2,554	2,531	2,480	2,415
Frinton	3,938	3,848	3,824	3,421	3,043	2,904	2,581	2,410	2,241	2,134	1,949
Fryerns	1,978	1,913	1,892	1,794	1,707	1,745	1,591	1,510	1,544	1,720	1,440
Galleywood	1,102	1,091	1,120	1,051	942	897	889	846	803	832	860
Great Baddow	3,707	3,641	3,434	3,223	3,031	2,912	2,855	2,658	2,682	2,697	2,503
Great Parndon	2,366	2,600	2,458	2,282	2,122	2,204	2,046	2,029	1,947	1,868	1,989
Great Tarpots	2,722	2,728	2,647	2,525	2,421	2,355	2,096	2,073	1,882	1,759	1,643
Great Wakering	672	671	656	629	583	594	551	537	549	567	611
Greenstead	2,712	2,686	2,807	2,606	2,743	2,709	2,658	2,626	2,382	2,216	1,979
Hadleigh	4,301	4,601	4,475	4,431	4,413	4,329	4,027	3,898	3,517	3,520	3,397
Halstead	4,239	4,191	3,981	3,815	3,611	3,468	3,110	3,021	2,846	2,866	2,563

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Library	Active Membership										
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Harlow	15,005	15,318	14,746	13,151	12,927	13,097	12,311	11,688	10,924	10,492	9,900
Harwich	5,760	5,670	5,462	5,131	4,603	4,409	4,072	3,923	3,965	3,786	3,493
Hatfield Peverel	1,178	1,197	1,151	1,084	1,011	946	855	828	796	756	753
Hockley	4,358	4,537	4,152	3,844	3,598	3,281	3,140	2,889	2,791	2,547	2,700
Holland	897	899	882	813	727	671	636	569	542	567	587
Hullbridge	1,352	1,453	1,396	1,302	1,106	1,108	1,013	927	915	915	934
Ingatestone	1,493	1,479	1,440	1,326	1,224	1,174	1,117	1,024	1,068	1,034	1,019
Kelvedon	776	887	855	894	820	817	758	705	664	627	607
Laindon	5,185	5,221	5,225	5,252	5,203	5,100	4,916	4,787	4,429	4,064	4,112
Loughton	11,741	11,690	11,041	9,578	9,427	9,388	8,641	8,186	7,858	7,551	6,908
Maldon	9,263	9,166	8,917	8,239	7,792	7,581	7,199	6,569	6,369	6,069	5,574
Manningtree	3,772	3,576	3,577	3,267	3,052	3,082	2,922	2,809	2,791	2,811	2,812
Mark Hall	1,324	1,399	1,302	1,110	1,073	1,055	1,200	1,159	1,164	1,119	1,074
North Melbourne	2,274	2,252	2,362	2,228	2,110	1,974	1,878	1,821	1,615	1,555	1,421
North Weald	888	864	954	896	831	820	747	684	615	583	549
Old Harlow	2,063	2,080	1,931	1,808	1,733	1,702	1,648	1,460	1,363	1,485	1,467
Pitsea	3,468	3,505	3,289	3,010	2,958	2,881	2,632	2,499	2,573	2,310	2,303
Prettygate	3,981	3,974	3,790	3,427	3,245	3,162	3,026	2,943	2,849	2,904	2,762
Rayleigh	10,255	9,789	9,666	8,717	8,283	8,037	7,429	7,001	6,522	6,561	6,349
Rochford	3,871	4,048	3,766	3,323	3,036	3,060	2,834	2,675	2,532	2,346	2,288
Saffron Walden	11,973	11,646	11,115	10,100	9,573	9,290	8,830	8,275	7,619	7,309	6,990
Shenfield	5,992	6,260	6,129	5,747	5,440	5,368	5,085	4,722	4,422	4,347	4,213
Sible Hedingham	1,020	1,049	1,109	967	893	826	802	726	801	742	742
Silver End	554	604	574	584	545	523	507	486	485	463	429
South Benfleet	3,687	3,622	3,458	3,231	2,989	2,695	2,462	2,358	2,324	2,248	2,140
South Woodham Ferrers	5,457	5,361	5,155	4,897	4,749	4,633	4,573	4,487	4,315	4,400	4,049
Southminster	958	1,018	1,087	989	971	840	857	812	672	607	498
Springfield						382	421	450	450	633	825
Stansted	1,235	1,389	1,407	1,317	1,238	1,110	1,075	1,060	679	552	611
Stanway	1,197	1,291	1,308	1,310	1,348	1,338	1,298	1,313	1,248	1,280	1,275

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	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Stock	330	331	331	322	313	310	317	278	259	237	228
Thaxted	475	521	659	547	523	498	513	483	489	424	443
Tiptree	2,523	2,487	2,389	2,272	2,113	2,080	1,939	1,839	1,785	1,723	1,686
Tye Green	1,911	1,950	2,061	2,013	1,903	1,886	1,735	1,727	1,823	1,796	1,649
Vange	2,199	2,123	2,049	1,886	1,825	1,867	1,756	1,679	1,712	1,594	1,559
Waltham Abbey	4,297	4,344	4,008	3,826	3,574	3,784	3,577	3,326	3,295	3,099	2,896
Walton	1,372	1,434	1,420	1,257	1,156	1,164	1,049	986	944	866	800
West Clacton	593	633	700	650	629	489	400	417	500	416	455
West Mersea	2,258	2,236	2,165	2,093	1,959	1,951	1,816	1,635	1,598	1,528	1,522
Wickford	8,063	8,163	7,625	7,332	7,035	7,013	6,473	6,292	6,029	6,020	5,768
Wickham Bishops	410	452	429	467	427	406	384	362	397	416	408
Witham	8,192	8,079	7,316	6,865	6,784	6,769	6,353	6,028	5,950	5,778	5,548
Wivenhoe	1,612	1,695	1,799	1,719	1,690	1,651	1,478	1,386	1,391	1,304	1,403
Writtle	1,312	1,409	1,251	1,367	1,210	1,125	1,027	948	884	833	892
<b>Total</b>	<b>331,482</b>	<b>334,698</b>	<b>320,922</b>	<b>297,092</b>	<b>284,292</b>	<b>279,805</b>	<b>264,907</b>	<b>252,164</b>	<b>240,600</b>	<b>232,287</b>	<b>221,640</b>

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Library	Loans and Renewals										
	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Basildon	228,162	214,816	203,364	185,206	153,857	138,501	127,204	117,859	105,796	87,425	81,530
Billericay	289,146	270,876	273,912	240,255	222,460	199,449	177,248	157,208	147,781	133,827	123,384
Braintree	380,469	355,299	335,280	292,592	253,273	231,689	200,193	174,728	163,191	139,980	129,738
Brentwood	288,928	287,295	273,745	243,476	211,798	193,467	172,448	160,558	155,330	137,741	129,800
Brightlingsea	56,400	58,525	54,117	49,828	42,800	42,094	38,225	33,646	32,374	31,343	31,805
Broomfield	35,613	37,774	28,190	32,441	28,210	22,704	21,534	19,820	19,671	19,643	19,631
Buckhurst Hill	37,318	36,787	36,489	33,145	30,944	25,377	25,607	24,110	24,645	24,626	27,416
Burnham	58,912	56,622	56,844	50,424	43,137	41,096	34,978	31,072	28,953	27,782	27,470
Canvey	151,116	144,052	139,182	126,511	115,038	105,589	91,227	84,757	78,223	72,737	68,987
Chelmsford	740,927	732,401	692,616	638,084	563,216	503,233	441,716	378,939	332,197	322,688	317,724
Chigwell	34,178	36,059	38,654	37,150	28,997	29,451	27,752	24,936	26,074	23,333	22,721
Chipping Ongar	66,732	65,558	61,030	54,910	50,132	47,281	46,024	42,193	39,166	36,922	32,482
Clacton	323,180	307,902	287,954	263,073	224,404	208,289	184,338	161,877	149,690	124,219	114,136
Coggeshall	39,901	42,460	42,049	38,021	34,379	31,438	30,645	28,340	26,185	22,883	22,457
Colchester	549,901	570,036	522,598	478,420	429,362	346,784	333,828	298,217	277,151	249,332	235,602
Danbury	42,887	43,904	42,653	36,093	31,214	29,782	30,624	29,193	28,095	28,597	32,066
Debden	19,827	17,514	18,485	16,244	13,695	13,618	10,020	9,635	8,552	6,537	6,101
Dunmow	74,717	121,510	122,629	112,634	100,571	97,377	89,007	78,686	76,876	69,611	63,646
Earls Colne	32,637	36,602	31,876	29,897	25,165	26,347	24,194	24,063	24,108	23,707	22,221
Epping	81,415	81,905	79,081	71,976	66,098	59,192	52,168	47,320	46,421	46,432	44,903
Frinton	117,521	112,833	106,362	91,258	77,384	70,974	63,169	56,542	55,079	50,636	46,654
Fryerns	53,198	44,764	51,238	42,297	36,201	35,280	28,597	26,803	26,197	24,324	21,818
Galleywood	40,486	42,122	40,070	34,886	30,594	27,040	28,332	23,007	22,755	23,149	25,261
Great Baddow	115,076	117,053	111,307	103,775	94,833	85,634	79,170	71,410	66,187	59,384	55,325
Great Parndon	51,140	55,149	51,145	50,599	40,721	41,002	37,836	33,462	30,437	29,037	30,954
Great Tarpots	65,341	67,425	64,408	59,696	56,986	46,741	45,734	42,350	34,391	29,602	27,463
Great Wakering	22,327	18,856	19,877	20,464	18,041	14,568	15,401	12,355	12,424	11,872	16,045
Greenstead	77,657	75,644	72,979	69,933	64,115	59,842	51,039	45,946	45,470	43,736	38,716
Hadleigh	120,700	128,468	124,985	117,228	109,095	104,861	94,850	90,251	85,995	82,502	82,342
Halstead	105,177	100,166	94,185	87,389	80,000	77,724	71,756	61,229	59,617	50,193	48,415

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	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Harlow	310,966	294,909	284,020	242,686	201,049	173,866	142,812	122,025	112,025	95,231	83,834
Harwich	154,934	143,419	138,888	123,742	104,468	91,839	71,645	70,628	65,362	56,215	58,721
Hatfield Peverel	48,757	51,288	47,319	42,045	37,972	29,854	27,077	25,633	25,115	24,067	22,489
Hockley	112,238	111,119	107,391	95,439	84,391	79,687	73,866	68,172	64,065	56,496	66,786
Holland	36,345	35,600	34,675	28,633	24,809	22,223	20,415	19,122	19,206	18,498	18,686
Hullbridge	42,907	44,128	43,607	40,230	30,715	30,938	29,823	25,400	24,455	23,191	26,681
Ingatestone	41,460	42,198	39,932	35,052	30,333	32,909	29,020	26,253	26,324	25,825	26,192
Kelvedon	23,289	27,759	29,452	27,393	27,046	24,868	22,994	20,276	19,630	18,784	18,096
Laindon	131,381	125,155	120,185	115,689	99,289	92,995	82,739	73,727	68,986	64,433	63,851
Loughton	311,675	291,921	274,325	236,458	209,669	195,563	170,925	160,071	148,591	137,403	125,516
Maldon	235,255	235,274	220,530	196,688	174,331	165,046	146,288	128,509	122,027	111,492	105,794
Manningtree	98,346	85,876	87,197	81,509	66,785	71,082	68,757	63,348	61,047	57,557	57,308
Mark Hall	32,965	33,559	35,483	27,156	21,172	18,498	18,005	19,052	20,651	17,477	15,427
North Melbourne	73,873	70,612	79,712	68,360	57,472	54,044	49,267	42,772	41,253	37,726	37,447
North Weald	29,281	23,535	26,283	22,606	19,828	19,024	17,326	15,661	13,099	13,136	12,040
Old Harlow	50,937	53,295	50,237	49,086	46,298	39,146	38,070	28,097	23,726	34,088	32,746
Pitsea	79,074	73,937	70,424	59,822	52,551	43,167	36,491	30,647	32,067	29,546	28,307
Prettygate	159,901	150,148	145,355	132,484	115,656	115,648	103,454	90,393	85,900	82,718	82,697
Rayleigh	262,029	237,967	242,822	217,890	196,434	177,345	164,565	146,499	137,417	123,475	120,033
Rochford	85,943	97,214	90,769	77,402	61,509	62,416	57,330	52,542	51,692	45,101	42,462
Saffron Walden	302,349	292,667	272,140	240,870	213,349	191,019	175,016	158,794	147,409	136,356	127,821
Shenfield	165,955	172,559	168,282	153,666	136,721	128,652	114,951	101,221	92,247	90,821	88,652
Sible Hedingham	35,533	34,363	34,686	25,893	21,214	20,633	19,569	17,852	18,308	17,410	18,972
Silver End	12,623	13,825	14,063	13,433	12,300	11,227	11,742	10,482	7,445	7,214	7,450
South Benfleet	86,867	85,613	87,069	79,766	68,508	62,541	53,752	45,672	44,476	39,747	39,708
South Woodham Ferrers	141,119	133,384	127,993	120,709	105,054	98,772	94,698	88,196	84,444	82,135	76,814
Southminster	26,359	26,444	28,034	25,169	24,888	21,793	18,122	16,159	10,447	7,296	7,451
Springfield						46,707	51,248	50,388	50,218	46,303	46,831
Stansted	36,165	38,190	41,366	39,610	36,422	34,177	32,982	29,778	15,618	11,940	15,506
Stanway	40,533	43,890	44,902	43,511	42,729	44,667	39,401	37,898	34,145	34,924	35,688

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	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19
Stock	11,997	12,634	14,078	14,323	14,826	13,088	11,983	9,807	8,768	7,987	7,359
Thaxted	14,464	13,643	13,667	12,672	11,759	11,783	11,287	11,923	10,669	10,453	11,050
Tiptree	63,841	62,219	54,754	57,909	54,570	52,286	45,999	41,787	37,913	37,267	36,560
Tye Green	45,004	42,160	46,040	38,201	36,996	31,929	26,799	27,495	27,080	24,687	22,210
Vange	46,366	42,898	38,018	35,463	28,083	26,069	23,581	20,016	18,989	17,956	16,685
Waltham Abbey	85,331	84,926	78,591	75,750	66,190	60,806	55,509	46,921	43,637	39,041	36,350
Walton	47,988	47,698	41,667	36,807	32,556	31,280	28,405	24,395	22,676	20,210	18,350
West Clacton	16,182	18,072	18,329	14,329	13,924	14,265	16,011	12,634	12,436	11,959	12,080
West Mersea	71,642	73,215	66,985	64,298	54,230	51,213	49,623	44,657	42,631	41,379	37,745
Wickford	197,460	195,029	179,441	169,514	154,418	145,159	131,589	117,087	110,737	102,545	97,652
Wickham Bishops	15,020	17,243	16,636	15,845	15,229	15,012	13,398	11,845	11,345	11,372	11,612
Witham	186,035	191,858	179,931	168,082	153,214	140,263	121,566	110,123	104,778	94,717	86,934
Wivenhoe	49,622	49,541	50,432	47,959	42,745	43,106	38,597	34,957	36,205	33,438	41,313
Writtle	48,219	47,974	37,640	37,920	33,332	30,761	28,437	27,913	26,427	26,717	29,487

Total 8,369,219 8,249,335 7,900,654 7,159,974 6,311,754 5,823,790 5,259,998 4,717,339 4,410,717 4,060,133 3,922,206

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**LOANS & RENEWALS**

**ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP**

Library	Apr-19	May-19	Apr-19	May-19
Basildon	6,500	6,461	8,342	8,364
Billericay	10,135	9,953	6,628	6,596
Braintree	10,403	11,114	9,058	9,002
Brentwood	10,219	10,121	7,521	7,549
Brightlingsea	2,668	2,658	1,539	1,539
Broomfield	1,184	1,503	972	970
Buckhurst Hill	2,393	2,384	1,388	1,387
Burnham	2,159	2,092	1,292	1,281
Canvey	5,273	5,819	4,534	4,584
Chelmsford	24,822	23,431	18,252	18,238
Chigwell	1,653	1,837	960	945
Chipping Ongar	2,581	2,661	1,847	1,868
Clacton	9,200	9,135	7,117	7,115
Coggeshall	2,043	2,251	985	1,004
Colchester	18,846	18,986	18,636	18,656
Danbury	2,360	2,768	1,067	1,067
Debden	469	607	389	382
Dunmow	5,520	5,156	3,956	3,924
Earls Colne	1,796	1,720	787	787
Epping	3,295	3,208	2,404	2,378
Frinton	3,603	4,214	1,942	1,914
Fryerns	1,538	1,949	1,423	1,428
Galleywood	1,980	2,115	836	836
Great Baddow	4,401	4,220	2,487	2,484
Great Parndon	2,561	2,429	2,009	2,005
Great Tarpots	2,295	2,093	1,645	1,635
Great Wakering	1,141	1,263	596	592



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Library	Apr-19	May-19	Apr-19	May-19
Greenstead	3,241	3,146	1,993	1,990
Hadleigh	6,722	6,405	3,358	3,350
Halstead	4,046	3,965	2,552	2,568
Harlow	6,447	6,462	9,911	9,870
Harwich	4,518	4,751	3,451	3,472
Hatfield Peverel	1,941	2,140	748	769
Hockley	4,593	4,891	2,696	2,696
Holland	1,432	1,484	585	586
Hullbridge	1,987	2,201	928	933
Ingatestone	2,186	2,049	1,016	1,021
Kelvedon	1,450	1,241	610	601
Laindon	5,023	4,684	4,100	4,132
Loughton	10,030	10,372	6,916	6,929
Maldon	8,309	8,157	5,552	5,520
Manningtree	4,364	4,636	2,801	2,794
Mark Hall	965	1,146	1,063	1,049
North Melbourne	2,988	3,291	1,420	1,415
North Weald	950	977	543	528
Old Harlow	2,589	2,625	1,482	1,495
Pitsea	2,178	2,149	2,313	2,296
Prettygate	6,460	6,508	2,740	2,714
Rayleigh	9,505	9,593	6,284	6,235
Rochford	3,434	3,576	2,269	2,260
Saffron Walden	9,895	9,462	6,981	6,944
Shenfield	7,217	6,948	4,220	4,215
Sible Hedingham	1,482	1,343	729	727
Silver End	671	644	429	427

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South Benfleet	3,063	3,281	2,144	2,129
South Woodham Ferrers	6,235	6,105	4,013	3,977
Southminster	693	590	503	498
Springfield	3,649	3,624	824	837
Stansted	1,425	1,619	624	624
Stanway	2,712	2,643	1,264	1,254
Stock	352	502	226	227
Thaxted	1,006	1,006	442	449
Tiptree	3,050	3,057	1,690	1,697
Tye Green	1,361	2,002	1,607	1,638
Vange	1,442	1,223	1,557	1,553
Waltham Abbey	2,930	3,019	2,885	2,872
Walton	1,463	1,368	789	776
West Clacton	974	848	463	464
West Mersea	3,288	3,155	1,508	1,497
Wickford	7,427	7,618	5,729	5,733
Wickham Bishops	994	873	410	409
Witham	6,892	7,028	5,556	5,530
Wivenhoe	3,060	3,151	1,407	1,403
Writtle	2,379	2,460	878	871
<b>Total</b>	<b>310,056</b>	<b>312,166</b>	<b>220,821</b>	<b>220,504</b>