



Annual Library Profile 2024-2025

Grantown on Spey Library



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Introduction

Library Profiles are prepared annually for each library within the Highland Libraries network as part of our commitment to service improvement, and to engage with our communities. They serve three main purposes:

- To assist local staff to evaluate the performance of their library in relation to their local community.
- To assist managers to monitor performance and plan service improvements across the wider network.
- To provide a concise document that can be offered to any person or organisation seeking information about a library.

Each library reflects its specific local community, making it unique. Any comparison of statistics such as issue figures must be made cautiously.

Performance and community information is based on library statistics, ward statistics or where available data relating to specific Integrated Learning Communities (Secondary school catchment areas) *. Ward or census information can be found at: http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/695/council_information_performance_and_statistics/575/highland_facts_and_figures

Summary of Library and Services Available

Branch: Grantown on Spey Library

Address: The Courthouse
The Square
Grantown-on-Spey
PH26 3HF

Telephone No: 01349 781630

Email address: grantown.library@highlifehighland.com

Web Address: <https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/grantown-on-spey-library/>

Associated School Group: Grantown Grammar School

Ward: 21 Badenoch and Strathspey

Accommodation

Grantown Library located in The Court House on the Square.

Opening Hours

Mon - 13:00 - 17:00; 18:00 - 20:00

Tue - 10:00 - 13:00

Wed - 10:00 - 13:00; 14:00 - 17:00

Thur - 10:00 - 13:00

Fri - 10:00 - 12:00; 13:00 - 17:00

Sat - 10:00 - 13:00

Sun - Closed

Accessibility

Car Parking:

Car parking is available on the street directly outside the library. There is also a free public car park with disabled spaces two minutes' walk away.

Public Transport:

The bus stop is 5 mins walk away.

Additional information

The library has a step up from the pavement to the entrance and a grab rail is provided. Wheelchair users may enter through the YMCA main door and access the library through the connecting door and library staff are available to assist with entry. Once inside the library is fully accessible.

There are public toilets in the nearby car park.

Activities

Regular Children's Activities:

Bookbug Sessions

Monday mornings 11:00 to 11:30. All children with their parent/carer are welcome. Enjoy songs, stories and rhymes with your baby or toddler in fun sessions led by our trained and talented staff! Sessions are free with 10 places available for each week.

Lego Club

Every Monday from 15:30 to 16:00.

Regular Adult Events:

Collect and Return Service

For customers who do not wish to browse our shelves in the library, we provide a Collect and Return service. By phoning or emailing your local library, a member of staff will select books for your chosen genre and arrange a convenient time for you to collect them.

How are we performing?

Grantown on Spey Library

	2023-24
Visits	11561
Event Attendance	3482
Issues	8770
Events	306
Computer Sessions	369

Reference and Local History Collections

(Please tick)	Basic collection	Collection of Area significance	Collection of Highland Significance	Collection of National Significance
Reference Collection		✓	✓	✓
Local History		✓	✓	✓

Please visit our website for more information: www.highlifehighland.com

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