



# Annual Library Profile 2024-2025

Inshes Community 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](http://www.highland.gov.uk/info/695/council_information_performance_and_statistics/575/highland_facts_and_figures)

## Summary of Library and Services Available

Branch: Inshes Community Library

Address: Inshes Road,  
Inverness  
IV2 3RF

Telephone No: 01463 725928

Email address: [inshes.library@highlifehighland.com](mailto:inshes.library@highlifehighland.com)

Web Address: <https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/inshes-library/>

Associated School Group: Inverness Royal Academy

Ward: 19 Inverness South

## Accommodation

Inshes Community Library is located within Inshes Primary School. It is open to both the public and the school community.

## Opening Hours

Mon - 15.15 - 20.00

Tue - 15.15 - 20.00

Wed - 15.15 - 18.00

Thur - 15.15 - 20.00

Fri - 15.15 - 18.00

Sat - 10.00 - 13.00

Sun - Closed

## Accessibility

### Car Parking:

### Public Transport:

### Additional information

## Activities

### Regular Children's Activities

#### Bookbug Sessions:

- Friday, 15:15 (term-time only)
- Saturday, 10:30 (term-time and holidays)
- Sessions last approx. 30 minutes, and no booking is required.

#### Lego Club

Saturday, 10:30 – 12:15 (term-time and holidays)

Drop-in session, no booking required. Suitable for ages 4+ with Duplo available for younger children. We ask that parents/carers please stay for the duration of the session.

#### Book Club

Wednesday, 16:00 (term-time only) Join us for a story, followed by a fun activity. Suitable for children in P1 to P3 (younger and older siblings are welcome too). We ask that parents/carers please stay for the duration of the session.

Summer Reading Challenge during the school holidays.

### 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?**

Inshes Community Library

	<b>2023-24</b>
Visits	33787
Event Attendance	18458
Issues	26197
Events	798
Computer Sessions	296

**Reference and Local History Collections**

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

Please visit our website for more information: [www.highlifehighland.com](http://www.highlifehighland.com)

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