

SERVICES at the YOLO BRANCH LIBRARY

A Special Place for All

Current Temporary Library Location & Hours

Library service is now available at Cache Creek High School (Clay and 2nd Street) while construction of the new library continues.

Tuesdays: 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Wednesdays: 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Thursdays: 2:30 – 5:30 p.m.

Saturdays: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Library Hours Before the Pandemic

Regular library hours had been nearly doubled in the three years prior to the pandemic from two to four days per week.

Programs & Services for all Ages

Before the pandemic, there were more than 7,500 visits to the Yolo Branch Library for a wide variety of services. Availability varied during the pandemic to ensure public safety. Services have now been restored to the extent possible in the library's smaller temporary space. Full services will be provided and expanded once the new library building is ready.

Always Available

- Wi-Fi everyday all day
- Homework help for all ages
- Literacy tutoring
- Teen activities room
- Chromebooks and “Hot Spots” to lend for internet access
- Four computers used more than 2,600 times by youth and adults last year
- One early learning computer available on demand for smaller children
- Selection of books, periodicals, newspapers, movies and music on site, as well as access to collections at all Yolo County Library branches and a multitude of other libraries resulting in 5,350 items borrowed last year at the Yolo Branch Library.
- Online access to thousands of books, periodicals, movies, reference materials, test preparation assistance, study guides, English as a Second Language practice tools, and historical documents
- American citizenship resource materials
- Storytime and Early Learning Kits for families to borrow
- Opportunities for youth to volunteer to meet their school's Community Service requirements
- Library staff assisted with answers for nearly 2,500 questions last year
- Faxing, copying and printing
- A safe place to be, learn, read, study or just visit with other members of the community

Weekly Activities

- Hora de Cuentos bilingual story time

Monthly Activities

- Teas & Conversation adult monthly gathering
- Two crafting activities -- Let's Create & Crafter-noon
- Legos challenge for all ages
- Family movie
- Loteria for the whole family (Bingo with traditional Spanish cards)

Annual Events

- A Summer Reading Program designed to encourage people of all ages to read more over the summer
- Special Summer fun learning programs such as Jon Lopez's Real Magic, Catch a Beat with Tina Rogers, Uncle Jer's Traveling Bee Show, and Circus of Smiles provided in 2019
- Seasonal activities such as a Halloween costume contest, gingerbread decorating, pumpkin decorating, holiday gifts and gift wrapping

Special Opportunities such as learning to use a 3D printer or a virtual reality system

Community Services

- Food distribution point for Eat Well Yolo produce on a semi-monthly basis, the monthly Emergency Food Assistance Program, and annual holiday dinner kits
- Meeting place for community organizations including the Cacheville Service District and the Friends of the Yolo Branch Library