

In an effort to be transparent, we will compile and share basic data every month about how the holds budget is spent. There are many factors that contribute to wait times and these can fluctuate throughout the year. We will dig deeper into one factor each month. This month's feature is unfilled holds.

Total Holds
83,245

Copies Bought
703

Total Spent
\$15,712.79

TOP HOLDS AS OF MAY 7

Ebook Fiction

Title	Holds
1 The Four Winds	1089
2 The Midnight Library	642
3 The Last Thing He Told Me	432
4 The Invisible Life of Addie...	370
5 A Gambling Man	358
6 Shadow and Bone	333
7 Ocean Prey	308
8 Firefly Lane	280
9 Sooley	271
10 Win	265

Ebook Nonfiction

Title	Holds
1 Premonition	172
2 The Code Breaker	150
3 Atomic Habits	116
4 Think Again	112
5 Keep Sharp	99
6 Caste	92
7 Greenlights	87
8 Empire of pain	86
9 Crying in H Mart	71
10 The Light of Days	71

Audiobook

Title	Holds
1 The Four Winds	568
2 The Midnight Library	438
3 A Promised Land	343
4 Greenlights	269
5 The Invisible Life of Addie...	223
6 Atomic Habits	201
7 Caste	165
8 Think Again	160
9 Klara and the Sun	142
10 Anxious People	132

UNFILLED HOLDS

As of April 1, newly updated unfilled holds procedures have gone into effect for the consortium. Previously, holds in Overdrive never expired and unfilled holds could stay on a record forever, even if that title was no longer available or was weeded from the collection. Going forward, Overdrive will automatically remove unfilled holds that are more than two years old on a quarterly basis - January 1, April 1, July 1, and October 1.

Libraries will receive a report of affected titles and instructions for how to run reports at the library level in advance of the removal dates

The goal for cleaning out old holds is to clean up our catalog and have a more accurate measure of demand and wait times.

TITLES WITH HOLDS >2 YEARS OLD

