

Library Upgrades

Locking DVD Cases
Media Shelving
Office Partition System

DVDs: CURRENT SYSTEM

Collection size

Main Library: 9,178

Northampton Branch Library: 3,086

Phoebus Branch Library: 2,665

Willow Oaks Branch Library: 3,698

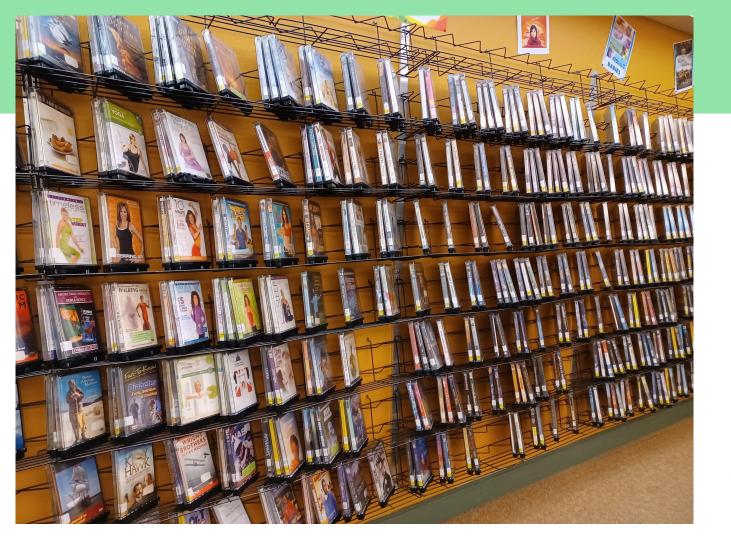


Locking cases

New DVDs at the branches are housed in locking cases; older DVDs still stored in sleeves Main Library uses exterior cases

External storage

All four libraries store uncased discs in sleeves behind the checkout desk



Wire wall shelving at the Main Library



Large cases (discontinued)





Disc storage units at Circulation Desk

Single discs in sleeves

DRAWBACKS OF CURRENT SYSTEM

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PATRON CONVENIENCE

Checking out a stack of DVDs means waiting for several minutes

STORAGE

Cases and discs are stored separately; box sets have to wait for available cases

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SHELF SPACE

Large hard shell cases take up much more room and are heavier than simple locking cases **STAFF TIME & COST**

Staff is taken away from other duties by removing and replacing discs at checkout and return

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