## LIBRARY GO 2024 IMPACT REPORT

Library Go is Saint Paul Public Library's virtual library card for students. All students in Saint Paul Public Schools, and in many charter and private schools, automatically get a library card when they enroll in school. It's easy to use and impossible to lose.

## By The Numbers

64,546

Physical books checked out with a Library Go card

119,607

**↑** 11,000 from 2023

E-books were checked out with a Library Go card

101,804

↑ 7,000 from 2023

Total number of students with a Library Go card

12,465

Students checked out non-book items like audiobooks or accessing databases With Library Go, students can do anything they would be able to do with a normal library card. That includes checking out physical books, receiving online help from a tutor, finding resources using SPPL's databases, downloading audiobooks, and accessing even more library services. SPPL is a fine free library, and with Library Go, there is no financial risk to families.



## **Spotlight**

A student came in to check out books for a project. He had the Library Go promotional card in his wallet. A staff member said, "I could tell it was well loved as it was a bit tattered." The student explained that he held on to it ever since he got it because he knew he could access library materials and resources with it. Now that he's out of high school, the student signed up for a regular library card to continue his library use.