Appendix 2

Hammersmith and Fulham's libraries and archives in numbers

Last year, our libraries were open 228 hours a week and visited 1.2 million times a year.

In total this provides the borough with;

118 computers and Wi-Fi provide free online access

A home library service used by over 146 residents

621,666 items loaned every year

Over 60,000 prints, drawings & photographs dating from the 1870s to present day.

Local government records dating from 1646

And every year 15,900 people join our libraries

Next year, the council will be re providing 2 of its 6 sites as community-run libraries, offering additional, co-located services in collaboration with local residents, schools and groups

Reading	Learning
• Resources to support adult reading • Special events to support children's literacy • Activities to support reader development • A programme of outreach to meet local need, such as our Home Libraries Service	• Resources to support adult and children's learning • Learning activities to improve adult literacy and IT skills • Help with finding a job and advancing in your career
Digital	**Information**
• Creation of digital content, such as community databases • Access to on-line digital resources, such as health and business support information • Learning activities to improve digital literacy, such as how to get online and navigate around • Free access to PCs for the first 30 minutes • Free access to free Wi-Fi	• Access to information resources and knowledgeable staff • Access to local and council information and special collections including prints, drawings & photographs, electoral and parish registers, dating from 1646
Community	**Access point for other services**
• Venues for community and partner organisations to meet	• Supported Online access to other public services via Your One Stop Express

• A venue for cultural events and activities • 2 community-run libraries responding to local needs • "Baby bounce" sessions for our youngest visitors	• 'Surgery' location for other services