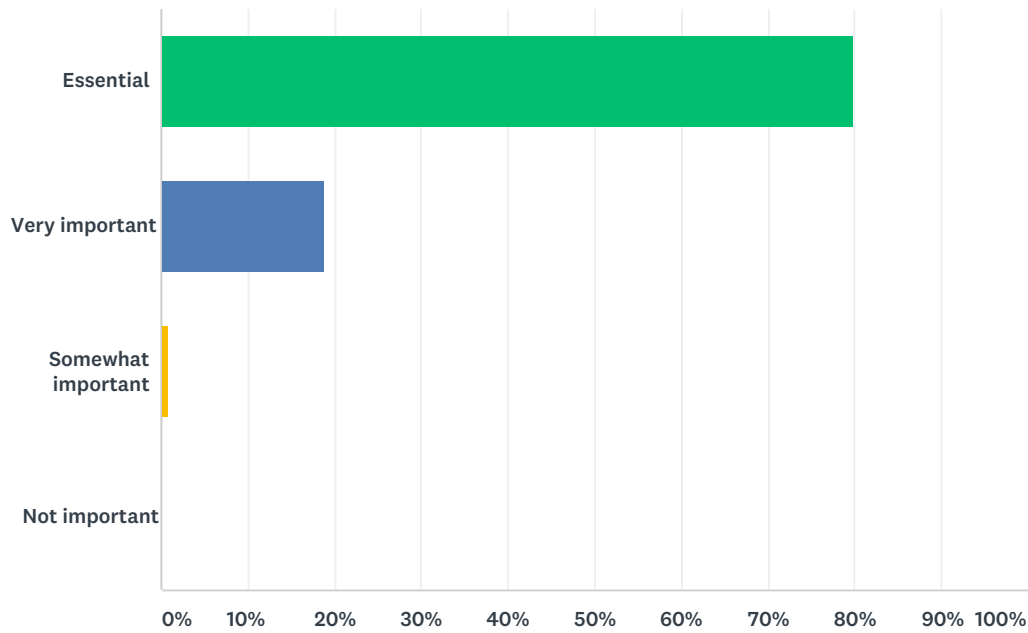


Q1 Do you consider your local public library to be an important service to the community?

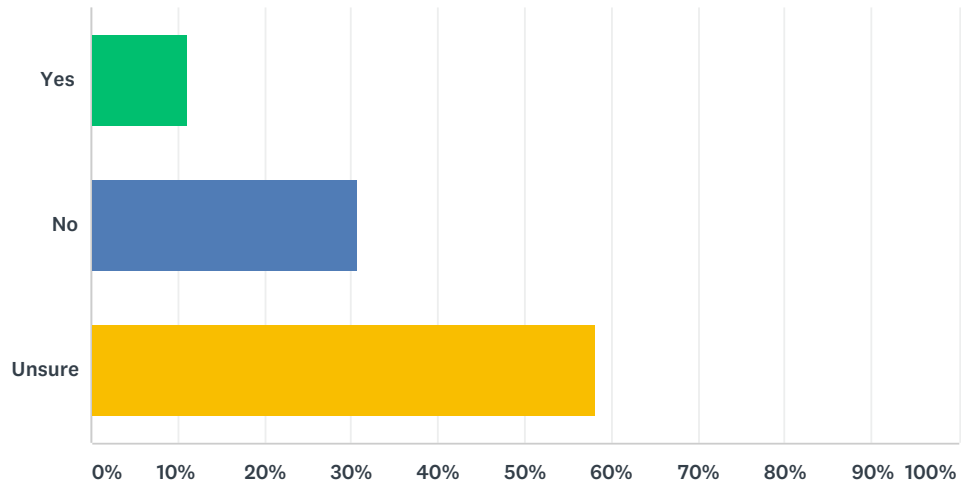
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Essential	79.94%	283
Very important	18.93%	67
Somewhat important	0.85%	3
Not important	0.28%	1
TOTAL		354

Q2 Do you think your local public library is funded adequately?

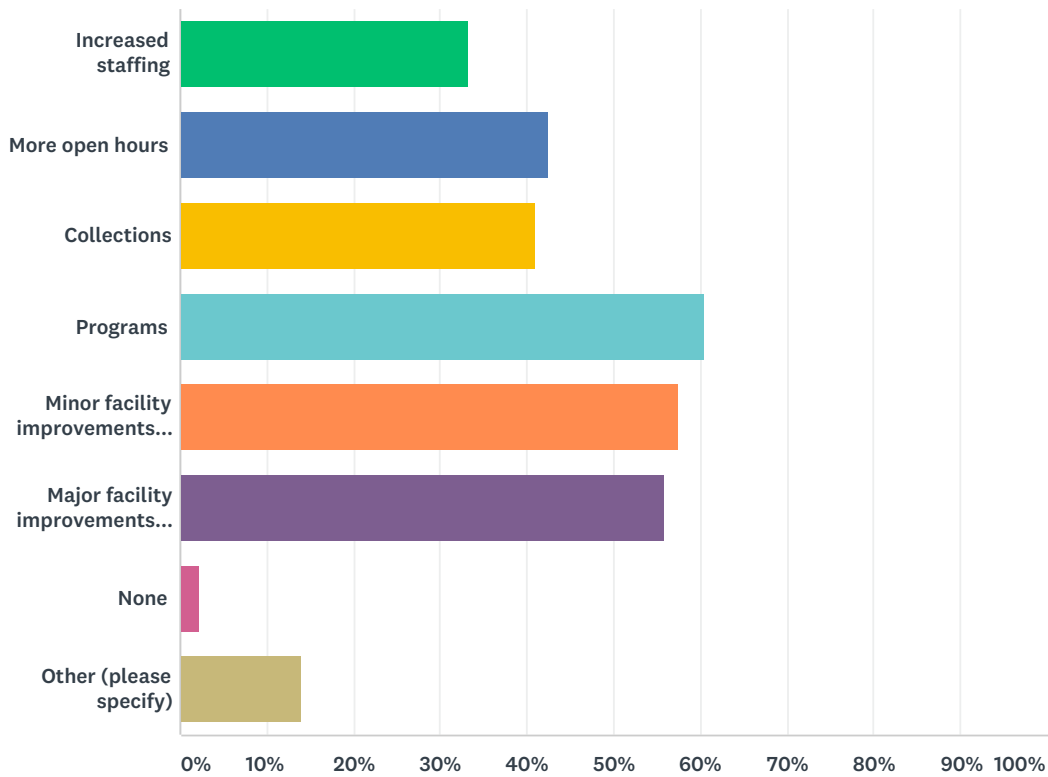
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ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	11.02%	39
No	30.79%	109
Unsure	58.19%	206
TOTAL		354

Q3 You would support increased funding for your public library to be used for the following (check all that apply):

Answered: 351 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Increased staffing	33.33%	117
More open hours	42.45%	149
Collections	41.03%	144
Programs	60.40%	212
Minor facility improvements (repairs, new furniture, carpet, etc.)	57.55%	202
Major facility improvements (new or expanded/renovated building)	55.84%	196
None	2.28%	8
Other (please specify)	13.96%	49
Total Respondents: 351		

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	increased comm. activities (book clubs, programs for ESL)	1/10/2019 6:06 PM
2	Meeting spaces	1/10/2019 5:38 PM
3	proper upkeep	1/10/2019 4:54 PM
4	ebooks/audiobooks	1/10/2019 4:43 PM

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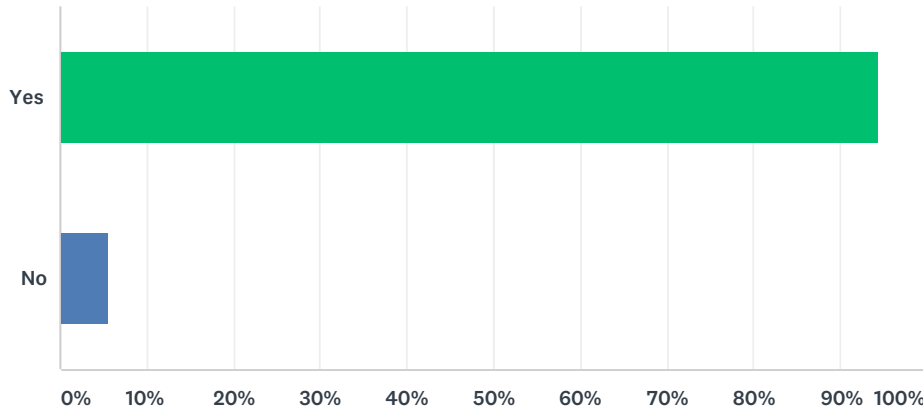
5	what the library staff would find most helpful.	1/10/2019 3:52 PM
6	I don't know what is needed, but I support funding the library	1/8/2019 9:48 PM
7	To prevent flooding!	1/8/2019 9:45 PM
8	More books	1/8/2019 9:43 PM
9	Renovate to the bldg does NOT flood. Very poor design of the addition	1/8/2019 9:36 PM
10	Restore children's room	1/8/2019 9:34 PM
11	Please - books, newspapers in a comfortable safe, clean environment is THE primary function	1/8/2019 9:33 PM
12	To prevent more flooding	1/8/2019 9:22 PM
13	Not sure yet. Just moved in.	1/8/2019 9:19 PM
14	I am a kid. I do not expect lots from my survey.	1/8/2019 4:38 PM
15	more books	1/7/2019 3:44 PM
16	Trust the library staff/professionals to identify what is needed.	1/7/2019 12:02 PM
17	?	1/7/2019 11:46 AM
18	No flooding!	1/7/2019 11:40 AM
19	More meeting rooms	1/7/2019 11:35 AM
20	Basement	1/7/2019 11:29 AM
21	Repair flood damage	1/7/2019 11:26 AM
22	Improve drainage	1/7/2019 11:11 AM
23	[under More open hours, 9am on weekdays]	1/3/2019 1:15 PM
24	open Sundays, more museum passes	1/3/2019 12:53 PM
25	cafe [added in Major facility improvement area]	1/3/2019 12:32 PM
26	Digital Resources	1/3/2019 12:18 PM
27	Special events	1/3/2019 11:58 AM
28	whatever the library considers priorities	1/3/2019 11:56 AM
29	update audiobook collection	1/3/2019 11:45 AM
30	Books and technology	11/21/2018 12:37 AM
31	Limited hours on a Sunday would be great.	11/20/2018 6:39 PM
32	Summers - on weekends :)	11/20/2018 12:30 PM
33	New, bigger building	11/13/2018 12:40 AM
34	Online options, community audible account? We pay a monthly charge and you guys get a percentage.	11/2/2018 10:07 PM
35	More visiting authors and panel discussions	10/29/2018 2:55 AM
36	Hoopla	10/24/2018 3:41 PM
37	Sorry, I am not familiar enough to have an opinion.	10/24/2018 7:46 AM
38	I feel it's time for the Southborough Library to consider expanding as the town itself has grown quite a bit since the last time the Library expanded.	10/20/2018 8:52 AM
39	Improvements to make sure water damage doesn't occur again to lower level	10/12/2018 3:27 PM
40	Not sure whether the library feels underfunded but I think it's an essential part of our community and should be supported and funded as such	10/12/2018 1:20 PM
41	Meeting space/ multifunction rooms	10/11/2018 10:45 PM
42	More eContent, databases, nontraditional items, wifi printer, document scanner, business/career section, health & mindfulness section including seminars.	10/9/2018 10:54 AM

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43	Re-locate library to a better location that properly drains	10/9/2018 9:50 AM
44	We should report the refurbishment of the library to prevent future flooding and update the building in general.	10/8/2018 6:58 PM
45	Cafe	10/6/2018 9:59 PM
46	More for new books/DVDs, etc.	10/6/2018 8:24 PM
47	Prevent flooding in the future. Time to deal with drainage.	10/6/2018 2:26 PM
48	Better Heating and Cooling systems	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
49	The greatest need- I am unsure what it is.	10/4/2018 8:54 PM

Q4 The Southborough Library has provided an update on library services, programs, and improvements/initiatives for the past several years during Article 1 of the Annual Town Meeting. Should the library continue to provide a Town Meeting update?

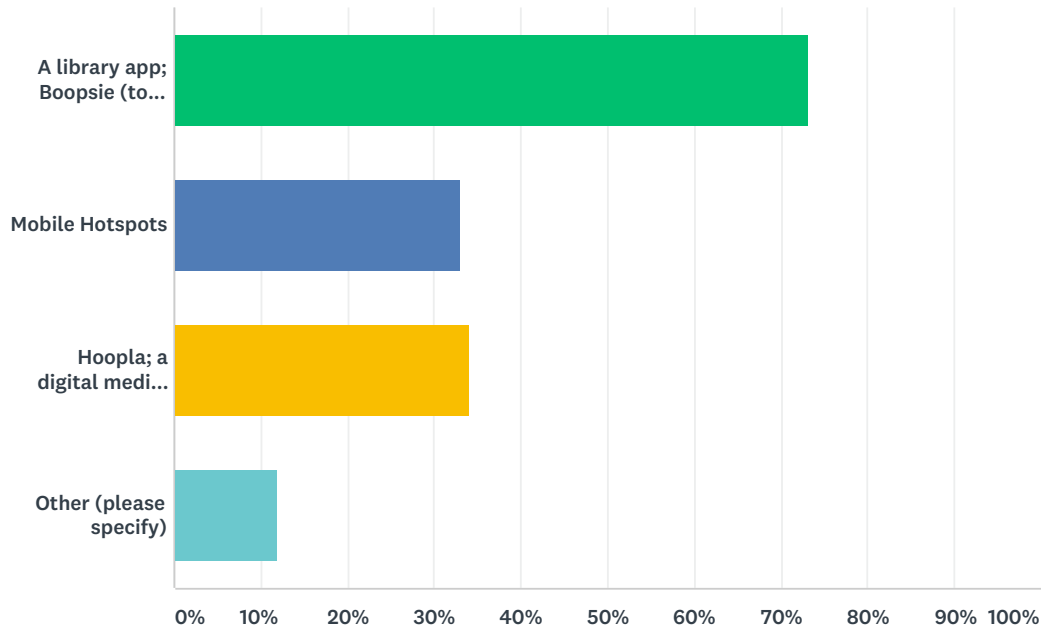
Answered: 306 Skipped: 49



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	94.44%	289
No	5.56%	17
TOTAL		306

Q5 I would be interested in the library adding (check all that apply):

Answered: 279 Skipped: 76



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
A library app; Boopsie (to check account, renew materials, etc.)	73.12% 204
Mobile Hotspots	32.97% 92
Hoopla; a digital media service	34.05% 95
Other (please specify)	11.83% 33
Total Respondents: 279	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	a book concierge - personalized recommended books, maybe even delivered!	1/10/2019 5:18 PM
2	ebooks (more selections)	1/10/2019 4:43 PM
3	not aware of these - ?	1/10/2019 4:39 PM
4	a tween area	1/10/2019 3:49 PM
5	Graphic but nonfictional & classics if fictional	1/8/2019 9:33 PM
6	More programs like ones on gardening	1/8/2019 8:40 PM
7	not sure	1/8/2019 4:38 PM
8	[didn't write in anything]	1/7/2019 3:43 PM
9	telescopes, board games	1/7/2019 12:08 PM
10	cookies	1/7/2019 12:07 PM
11	kids show once a month if possible	1/7/2019 11:51 AM
12	[left other blank]	1/3/2019 1:13 PM
13	[circled, but left blank]	1/3/2019 12:51 PM

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14	[this person put a ? on the side of all items]	1/3/2019 12:32 PM
15	A new director	11/2/2018 10:55 PM
16	Jigsaw puzzles	11/2/2018 9:03 PM
17	kanopy, access video	10/29/2018 10:44 AM
18	Not interested in any of the choices	10/27/2018 9:02 PM
19	I don't see the need for any of these but maybe others would like them	10/24/2018 9:17 AM
20	Sorry, I am not familiar enough to have an opinion.	10/24/2018 7:46 AM
21	N/A	10/20/2018 4:29 AM
22	I'm fine with non technology additions...but others might want these things!	10/19/2018 10:22 AM
23	None	10/12/2018 1:28 PM
24	A large, carpeted, versatile community room for activities and meetings - like Marlborough has.	10/12/2018 1:20 PM
25	study rooms or use of meeting rooms for smaller groups aside from tutors	10/11/2018 10:58 PM
26	Little Pim, Bookflix, and Kanopy databases	10/9/2018 10:54 AM
27	Don't we already have a library app?	10/7/2018 9:31 PM
28	Current services are sufficient	10/6/2018 7:39 PM
29	Not sure	10/6/2018 6:30 PM
30	n/a	10/6/2018 5:05 PM
31	None of the above. Website works fine.	10/6/2018 3:10 PM
32	No preferences	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
33	I wouldn't use any tech additions.	10/6/2018 12:41 PM

Q6 What types of materials would you like to see more of in the Children's Room?

Answered: 206 Skipped: 149

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	No opinion	1/10/2019 6:02 PM
2	Art programs, creative play like Children's museum-type activities/statistics/tables.	1/10/2019 5:38 PM
3	books on readers / teenagers	1/10/2019 5:22 PM
4	none -> great selection	1/10/2019 5:18 PM
5	audio books	1/10/2019 4:54 PM
6	paintings.	1/10/2019 4:52 PM
7	Gymnastic equipment + an instructor	1/10/2019 4:51 PM
8	Don't use Children's Room	1/10/2019 4:50 PM
9	Movies at the library - Music & books, Adding programs to young adults.	1/10/2019 4:44 PM
10	STEM, Lego build, drones, chess club.	1/10/2019 4:43 PM
11	don't use presently.	1/10/2019 4:39 PM
12	More programs like chess, reading groups, + other enrichment programs	1/10/2019 4:33 PM
13	Audiobooks	1/10/2019 3:53 PM
14	don't have young children anymore :)	1/10/2019 3:52 PM
15	more reading to dogs, games besides chess, graphic novel activities	1/10/2019 3:50 PM
16	More books!	1/10/2019 3:49 PM
17	More cozy chairs, graphic novel section expanded	1/10/2019 3:48 PM
18	No opinion	1/10/2019 3:47 PM
19	Board games; board game or card game programming such as Magic and D&D for teens and tweens :)	1/8/2019 9:52 PM
20	There are treasures we haven't found, but my children have been interested in the graphic novels.	1/8/2019 9:48 PM
21	crafts; listening station; more books on CD	1/8/2019 9:46 PM
22	I don't know. I really appreciate what we have!	1/8/2019 9:45 PM
23	Biographies	1/8/2019 9:43 PM
24	More graphic novels, books on cd, and the complete set of who is or who was	1/8/2019 9:41 PM
25	Interactive toys - like puppets, learning materials	1/8/2019 9:38 PM
26	Music CDs	1/8/2019 9:34 PM
27	More audiobooks	1/8/2019 9:28 PM
28	More books, building blocks.	1/8/2019 9:25 PM
29	More toys for toddlers	1/8/2019 9:22 PM
30	I will ask my daughter.	1/8/2019 9:19 PM
31	"Scooby Doo" - Hank age 4	1/8/2019 9:11 PM
32	I love everything there!!	1/8/2019 9:09 PM
33	Books, computer materials	1/8/2019 9:08 PM

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34	Digital language programs, robust thematic bins by focus (weather, animals, etc.)	1/8/2019 8:57 PM
35	A larger variety of different types of books.	1/8/2019 8:53 PM
36	Construction to take place.	1/8/2019 8:46 PM
37	building materials, STEM	1/8/2019 4:58 PM
38	More activities later during the day for kids whose parents work until 4 or 5 pm.	1/8/2019 4:54 PM
39	More interactive and activity books.	1/8/2019 4:43 PM
40	Playstation- sensory & donation bin	1/8/2019 4:41 PM
41	Lego table, more small chair for little guys to read (comfortable)	1/8/2019 4:39 PM
42	They no longer give scissors because of me (snowflakes, not harm).	1/8/2019 4:38 PM
43	More graphic novels for advanced readers (Grades 3-5)	1/8/2019 4:22 PM
44	Play-aways	1/8/2019 4:19 PM
45	I like all the Children's Room has to offer! I can't think of anything else it should offer.	1/8/2019 4:18 PM
46	I am not sure.	1/8/2019 4:16 PM
47	N/A (Have never been there)	1/8/2019 4:00 PM
48	We have always found the Children's Room selection (and librarians!) to be great.	1/8/2019 3:53 PM
49	programs, fictions books, more book in general	1/8/2019 3:49 PM
50	I've never been in there so I don't know!	1/7/2019 3:50 PM
51	more reading corners	1/7/2019 3:48 PM
52	programs	1/7/2019 3:45 PM
53	Crafts	1/7/2019 3:44 PM
54	N/A	1/7/2019 3:42 PM
55	Digital media	1/7/2019 3:41 PM
56	Not sure- children grown :-) Kim has always provided for my kids!	1/7/2019 3:40 PM
57	More graphic novels	1/7/2019 3:39 PM
58	computers / learning apps / audiobooks	1/7/2019 12:14 PM
59	More tween books	1/7/2019 12:13 PM
60	More hands on learning & learning books such as coding, etc.	1/7/2019 12:12 PM
61	Something interesting, games, a fish tank, an animal	1/7/2019 12:10 PM
62	need more room + lighting	1/7/2019 12:07 PM
63	more books for tween who aren't quite ready for YA	1/7/2019 12:05 PM
64	graphic novels	1/7/2019 12:03 PM
65	bilingual learn to speak spanish resources (staff, books, etc.)	1/7/2019 12:02 PM
66	Something for kids 8-12? (a show of some type now and then)	1/7/2019 11:51 AM
67	N/A	1/7/2019 11:49 AM
68	Programs for tweens + teens. Thank you =)	1/7/2019 11:48 AM
69	I would like to see more programs for kids after school to be part of.	1/7/2019 11:47 AM
70	furniture + space, finish Children's Room	1/7/2019 11:45 AM
71	N/A	1/7/2019 11:43 AM
72	comics books, music program, DVDs (children)	1/7/2019 11:42 AM
73	more hours open (no flooding). Otherwise, it is great!	1/7/2019 11:40 AM
74	Space for programs (activities)	1/7/2019 11:35 AM

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75	Children's DK books, Comics, More of new Toddler books.	1/7/2019 11:33 AM
76	I would like to see more of MCBA books and a little bit more movies.	1/7/2019 11:31 AM
77	N/A	1/7/2019 11:29 AM
78	Kids books	1/7/2019 11:28 AM
79	I would be happy to see the Children's Room returned to it's previous state.	1/7/2019 11:26 AM
80	Books for slightly older kids.	1/7/2019 11:24 AM
81	More content on early American history and art.	1/7/2019 11:09 AM
82	audiobooks; sing along books	1/7/2019 11:07 AM
83	More books on Science, Math, Technology, Educational DVD's	1/3/2019 1:18 PM
84	We are delighted with all we have available to us!	1/3/2019 1:15 PM
85	Don't know- it's already great!	1/3/2019 1:07 PM
86	not sure.	1/3/2019 1:06 PM
87	tables to do homework and reading nooks	1/3/2019 1:02 PM
88	More lounge / comfy chairs for kids to hangout and read. Comfortable adults chairs would be great too :-)	1/3/2019 12:58 PM
89	Not sure, but we use Children's a lot!	1/3/2019 12:55 PM
90	Audio books	1/3/2019 12:53 PM
91	Educational Toys	1/3/2019 12:50 PM
92	Perhaps individual reading areas for the children to cuddle up w/ a book :)	1/3/2019 12:48 PM
93	The children's programs and education are the main thing. I'd like to see expanded, including at more varied hours & days.	1/3/2019 12:47 PM
94	I would like to see more space in the children's room.	1/3/2019 12:17 PM
95	maps, digital services	1/3/2019 12:14 PM
96	N/A	1/3/2019 12:05 PM
97	maybe blocks/building toys. More board books! We love them	1/3/2019 11:58 AM
98	N/A	1/3/2019 11:56 AM
99	More programs.	1/3/2019 11:54 AM
100	none	1/3/2019 11:48 AM
101	Building materials, comfy lounge type reading area, (yogibo)	1/3/2019 11:47 AM
102	Books on CD	1/3/2019 11:44 AM
103	Stem games or books	11/23/2018 3:53 PM
104	More popular children's series	11/21/2018 9:07 PM
105	Puzzles, problem solving/higher order thinking toys for 'older' elementary school kids	11/21/2018 12:28 AM
106	Ipads with activities like osmo (Wellesley library has an awesome setup)	11/20/2018 11:28 PM
107	Can't think of anything	11/20/2018 6:39 PM
108	Digital books, international languages books	11/20/2018 1:40 PM
109	More authors and books with images or stories of indian , asian and afro Caribbean descent to reflect increasing population of those children in the community	11/20/2018 1:05 PM
110	More of those handheld audio stories (just add the headphones) I forget what they're called.	11/20/2018 12:30 PM
111	Religious	11/19/2018 6:31 PM
112	We haven't found a large selection of what my 4 year old is most into -superhero and ninja turtle books for younger kids (I can read etc)	11/17/2018 2:36 PM

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113	unknown	11/17/2018 9:08 AM
114	Interactive games. Puzzles are so old.	11/16/2018 9:56 AM
115	We loved story time when my son was little. It was nice that they had some toys for the kids to play with. We also loved all the programs offered: music, puppets, legos, holiday programs, etc...!!! Everything was been wonderful!	11/14/2018 12:32 PM
116	More board books, festive books to celebrate different seasons, holidays, etc., more programs later in the day, more puzzles, coloring options, etc.	11/13/2018 5:37 PM
117	Kids laptops/computers	11/13/2018 7:50 AM
118	Graphic novels, "I am" books, books promoting diversity	11/6/2018 12:49 PM
119	Perhaps music selections	11/5/2018 11:11 PM
120	Playaways	11/4/2018 11:02 PM
121	A larger play area	11/3/2018 8:01 AM
122	It would be nice to have a copy of the textbooks used in the public schools available to use inside the library.	11/3/2018 7:44 AM
123	Toys/games/puzzles to be checked out	11/3/2018 7:38 AM
124	Don't use this	11/2/2018 10:55 PM
125	Books, learning toys, tables & chairs, craft room	11/2/2018 10:30 PM
126	Ozmo	11/2/2018 10:07 PM
127	More prominent new book displays	11/2/2018 9:03 PM
128	DVDs, Audio Books, Diverse books	11/2/2018 4:15 PM
129	Puzzles that could be checked out	10/29/2018 10:44 AM
130	More copies of popular books, more graphic novels.	10/29/2018 10:34 AM
131	Childrens books written by authors of color. Increased Multiple copies of popular books.	10/29/2018 2:55 AM
132	More books and programs	10/28/2018 8:49 AM
133	I would like to see more complex crafts.	10/27/2018 10:55 PM
134	If space wasn't so limited, more toys like a kitchen set, toddler appropriate manipulatives for fine motor (lacing beads/cards, duplos)	10/27/2018 10:00 PM
135	More books :)	10/27/2018 9:09 PM
136	A larger children's room would be nice.	10/27/2018 9:02 PM
137	Bean bag chairs for cozy reading, quiet space as well as toy space (puppets or trains)	10/27/2018 6:40 PM
138	Guides for helping kids choose books	10/26/2018 1:09 PM
139	n/a	10/26/2018 11:40 AM
140	Toys for 7-10 year old	10/24/2018 7:44 PM
141	More copies of popular series	10/24/2018 3:41 PM
142	Books and audio books!	10/24/2018 2:12 PM
143	Train tablekitchen...wooden toys	10/24/2018 9:54 AM
144	Can't think of anything. It's a nice selection.	10/24/2018 9:17 AM
145	Not sure	10/24/2018 9:04 AM
146	Sorry, I am not familiar enough to have an opinion.	10/24/2018 7:46 AM
147	More books for tweens.	10/23/2018 10:37 PM
148	Not sure what is needed	10/23/2018 9:25 PM
149	N/A	10/23/2018 9:02 PM

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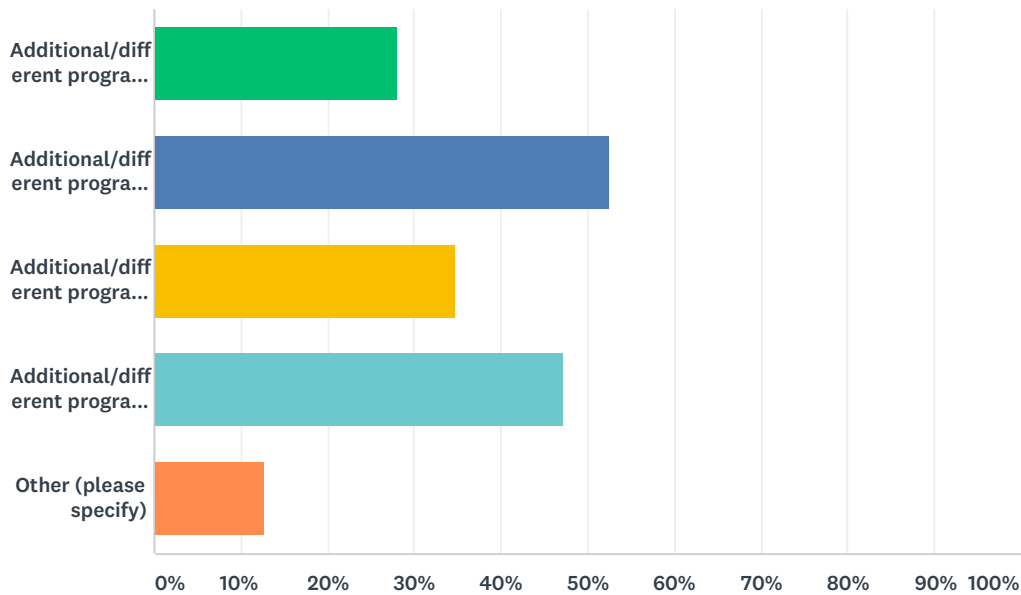
150	Love everything that is offered. Maybe more programs?	10/23/2018 8:13 PM
151	The children's room is great! No suggestions.	10/20/2018 10:42 PM
152	Not applicable	10/20/2018 1:06 PM
153	Independent (ad free) quality Children's magazines like Kazoo and Aquila.	10/20/2018 8:50 AM
154	Nothing! It seems great	10/20/2018 4:29 AM
155	No suggestions	10/19/2018 11:45 PM
156	No suggestions	10/19/2018 11:45 PM
157	Not applicable to my current library needs...no young children any more.....	10/19/2018 10:22 AM
158	Really don't use the room	10/13/2018 9:07 AM
159	Books for tween age kids	10/12/2018 3:27 PM
160	None. My children are in college. I did love the children's room when we used it.	10/12/2018 1:28 PM
161	N/A	10/12/2018 1:20 PM
162	Haven't been	10/11/2018 10:58 PM
163	Books for strong readers who aren't ready for more mature content	10/11/2018 9:14 PM
164	N/A.	10/11/2018 2:33 PM
165	Not sure. Do not use	10/10/2018 6:17 PM
166	More new books, maybe multiple copies of popular authors Learning kits with books and activities	10/9/2018 4:20 PM
167	iPads to use, foam blocks, doll house, kitchen play area, more computers, more eContent.	10/9/2018 10:54 AM
168	No children	10/8/2018 7:59 PM
169	special needs parenting materials, specifically highlighting things like Dyslexia Awareness Month, etc	10/8/2018 6:58 PM
170	NA	10/8/2018 4:09 PM
171	very pleased w/current materials, and love the programs	10/8/2018 12:58 PM
172	Music	10/7/2018 9:31 PM
173	N/a	10/7/2018 8:55 AM
174	We love the children's room! Maybe some additional comfy seating for older kids who want to come and spend more time, rather than just checking out a book and leaving.	10/7/2018 6:46 AM
175	don't visit the children's room	10/7/2018 12:32 AM
176	More graphic novels	10/7/2018 12:18 AM
177	Don't know	10/6/2018 11:53 PM
178	Nonfiction books and other resources.	10/6/2018 10:46 PM
179	playaways	10/6/2018 10:11 PM
180	M/A	10/6/2018 9:59 PM
181	Good assortment there. More programs would be nice and new toys	10/6/2018 9:58 PM
182	My kids love the playaways.	10/6/2018 9:44 PM
183	Love the room	10/6/2018 8:57 PM
184	N/A - We don't use the children's room anymore.	10/6/2018 8:24 PM
185	Overall, I think the children's room has a lot of materials for kids to choose from. Maybe adding launch pads that the kids could take out - educational in value.	10/6/2018 8:22 PM
186	Keep you the great materials! Always great selection of new books and audiobooks	10/6/2018 6:30 PM
187	no interest	10/6/2018 6:18 PM
188	More puzzles and creative toys that are educational	10/6/2018 5:20 PM

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189	n/a'	10/6/2018 5:05 PM
190	Keep up the good work.	10/6/2018 5:03 PM
191	Usborne what's inside boosk	10/6/2018 4:57 PM
192	Not of interest to me	10/6/2018 3:30 PM
193	NA to me	10/6/2018 3:10 PM
194	More toys/educational items for children to play with.	10/6/2018 2:54 PM
195	I do not use the Children's room	10/6/2018 2:41 PM
196	Bigger story area.	10/6/2018 2:26 PM
197	Story time year round, not just during the school year	10/6/2018 1:28 PM
198	Don't use children's room	10/6/2018 1:26 PM
199	N/A	10/6/2018 1:17 PM
200	n/a	10/6/2018 1:10 PM
201	Not interested	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
202	Nature and Local folk lore	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
203	Unsure	10/6/2018 12:51 PM
204	Not sure.	10/6/2018 12:50 PM
205	I have not spent time in the children's room	10/6/2018 12:41 PM
206	More computers	10/4/2018 8:09 AM

Q7 What types of programs would you like to see at the Southborough Library

Answered: 267 Skipped: 88



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Additional/different programs for: Seniors	28.09% 75
Additional/different programs for: Adults	52.43% 140
Additional/different programs for: Teenagers/Young Adults	34.83% 93
Additional/different programs for: Children	47.19% 126
Other (please specify)	12.73% 34
Total Respondents: 267	

#	OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY)	DATE
1	already very diverse programs for children	1/10/2019 6:04 PM
2	open to suggestion	1/10/2019 4:54 PM
3	More information sessions about our town politics + town meeting prep.	1/10/2019 4:38 PM
4	tween	1/10/2019 3:49 PM
5	Teenager -- Depression	1/8/2019 9:08 PM
6	Balloon animal how to for children, also lectures on cooking, parenting, gardening, home decor	1/8/2019 8:57 PM
7	not sure	1/8/2019 4:38 PM
8	more computer science e-books	1/7/2019 12:08 PM
9	N/A	1/7/2019 11:49 AM
10	Holiday activities	1/3/2019 12:01 PM
11	On weekends for working parents	11/23/2018 3:53 PM
12	Programs for kids 8-10;)	11/20/2018 12:30 PM

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13	Possibly more kids programs outside of work hours	11/17/2018 2:36 PM
14	All the programs have been terrific. Thanks for the great speakers/authors, etc... you have. Keep it up!	11/14/2018 12:32 PM
15	High-interest authors	11/4/2018 11:02 PM
16	Additional personality in staff, they are awful, but it trickles down	11/2/2018 10:55 PM
17	Since I use the library with my children and they are young, I would choose the children program option. However, I don't pay as much attention to the programs offered for older children so I'm not totally sure. I think the children's programs offered are great	10/27/2018 10:00 PM
18	Programs during the day	10/26/2018 11:40 AM
19	Children's activities on weekends/evenings	10/24/2018 3:41 PM
20	Mystery Club	10/24/2018 2:12 PM
21	Lit Club for teens to learn about new books as well as classics they may not be aware of.	10/24/2018 9:04 AM
22	Programs for tweens (10-12)	10/23/2018 10:37 PM
23	Homeschool programs	10/20/2018 8:50 AM
24	The Library is a great community resource!	10/19/2018 10:22 AM
25	Movie showings, knitting clubs, gaming, adult social events (music, food tastings, crafts, etc.)	10/9/2018 10:54 AM
26	I can't think of others - they are doing a great job!	10/8/2018 6:58 PM
27	Programs for grades 3-5	10/6/2018 9:44 PM
28	Can't think of any	10/6/2018 6:30 PM
29	Like read to a dog.	10/6/2018 5:20 PM
30	None	10/6/2018 3:30 PM
31	Any thing local, gardening, composting, historains, authors, cooking, movies, retierment savings, etc	10/6/2018 3:10 PM
32	more authors	10/6/2018 2:40 PM
33	There's a lot of crafting for teens, maybe more for adults. Book clubs, etc.	10/6/2018 2:19 PM
34	Knitting, painting	10/6/2018 1:17 PM

Q8 If you checked a box in #7, please elaborate. The library is also interested in feedback on which time of day & on what days you would like library programs offered to patrons of all ages.

Answered: 203 Skipped: 152

#	RESPONSES	DATE
1	very strong. already great offerings, though.	1/10/2019 6:06 PM
2	Maybe provide literary support for struggling reads or tutoring or academic help for low income families.	1/10/2019 6:04 PM
3	Weekends	1/10/2019 6:02 PM
4	evening weeknights	1/10/2019 5:38 PM
5	(not during work hours, evening)	1/10/2019 5:18 PM
6	Not sure, but I love the library & any programs to encourage this age group more to use its resources would be great	1/10/2019 4:53 PM
7	Sunday mornings.	1/10/2019 4:52 PM
8	evening book clubs, makerspace, food events, coffee bar	1/10/2019 4:51 PM
9	Evening/Authors/Town Issues.	1/10/2019 4:50 PM
10	Tuesdays & Thursdays ages 0-5 years.	1/10/2019 4:44 PM
11	Special events for children, more LEGO day :)	1/10/2019 4:43 PM
12	-perhaps senior programs in conjunction w/senior center	1/10/2019 4:39 PM
13	Evenings + weekends for working folk.	1/10/2019 4:38 PM
14	More enrichment programs for kids/teens	1/10/2019 4:33 PM
15	evenings 7:00 PM is great	1/10/2019 3:53 PM
16	early evenings or weekends. I would prioritize events for kids + teens.	1/10/2019 3:52 PM
17	language classes, writing groups	1/10/2019 3:50 PM
18	After school programs	1/10/2019 3:48 PM
19	I think staff in the best position to decide more programming = more people + interest served	1/10/2019 3:47 PM
20	Teen internet safety programs & programs about local politics	1/8/2019 9:54 PM
21	Afternoons on Fridays. Magic the Gathering games.	1/8/2019 9:53 PM
22	more evening book clubs	1/8/2019 9:49 PM
23	Tutoring - reading and math help - weekend activities	1/8/2019 9:47 PM
24	crafts and animals	1/8/2019 9:46 PM
25	We come to a lot of children's programs, but don't see as much targeted to seniors.	1/8/2019 9:45 PM
26	On weekends more interactive programs like debates.	1/8/2019 9:43 PM
27	I think the librarians/director do an excellent, thoughtful job in the current programming. Always could do more but the past two years have been awesome!	1/8/2019 9:41 PM
28	Early evening + Saturdays	1/8/2019 9:39 PM
29	Some evening and weekend programs for working adults/parents.	1/8/2019 9:38 PM
30	Afternoon	1/8/2019 9:31 PM
31	More programming for parents of young families	1/8/2019 9:28 PM

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32	I think some more series/courses programs would be super cool	1/8/2019 9:26 PM
33	Open hours on Sundays. Programs on weekends. Music with kids over the weekends.	1/8/2019 9:25 PM
34	Saturday	1/8/2019 9:20 PM
35	Gardening, computers, holidays, events like elections	1/8/2019 9:13 PM
36	Crafts/programs with local artists	1/8/2019 9:11 PM
37	Bullying -- Afternoon and early evening	1/8/2019 9:08 PM
38	Evening programs	1/8/2019 8:51 PM
39	Programs for Sr. Health. More hours for Library club.	1/8/2019 8:50 PM
40	evenings	1/8/2019 5:01 PM
41	weekday & weekend programs for young children/families!	1/8/2019 5:00 PM
42	Wednesday evening programs.	1/8/2019 4:43 PM
43	Parent meetings after work, storytime during parent meetings	1/8/2019 4:41 PM
44	Not sure.	1/8/2019 4:38 PM
45	7pm evenings	1/8/2019 4:23 PM
46	More book clubs	1/8/2019 4:22 PM
47	Game night/afternoon for teens & adults	1/8/2019 4:18 PM
48	Saturday afternoon	1/8/2019 4:16 PM
49	Book recommendation & discussion	1/8/2019 4:00 PM
50	Yoga for seniors & adults, painting for adult & seniors	1/8/2019 3:49 PM
51	I would like to see something my 19-year-old daughter could attend. Kids and [grown up] are already planned for.	1/8/2019 3:48 PM
52	Author visits	1/8/2019 3:45 PM
53	like at 4:00 on Wednesdays and Mondays	1/7/2019 3:50 PM
54	teenage centered book clubs / guest readers in Children's Room	1/7/2019 3:48 PM
55	More programs are always better!	1/7/2019 3:46 PM
56	after school for young kids	1/7/2019 3:45 PM
57	None, I think programs offered are fine.	1/7/2019 3:41 PM
58	More Sat., late afternoon programming	1/7/2019 3:39 PM
59	more programs activities for preteens in the evening	1/7/2019 12:14 PM
60	Weekends, so that more people could attend	1/7/2019 12:13 PM
61	Preferably weekends.	1/7/2019 12:12 PM
62	Maybe some form of tutoring or help with sources and things like that	1/7/2019 12:10 PM
63	I know the library isn't open on Sundays... but that would be an ideal day for programs! More events like the henna afternoon crafts, etc! w/food so kids can be social in a safe place	1/7/2019 12:05 PM
64	Not sure	1/7/2019 12:02 PM
65	yoga day	1/7/2019 11:46 AM
66	Programs after 3:00 PM and on Saturday	1/7/2019 11:44 AM
67	More programs on weekends	1/7/2019 11:42 AM
68	Weekends, Sundays	1/7/2019 11:36 AM
69	Book clubs, more meeting space	1/7/2019 11:35 AM
70	More book clubs	1/7/2019 11:34 AM

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71	Children's programs like chess and others more often on weekdays after 5:00 PM and Saturdays between 2-5 PM	1/7/2019 11:33 AM
72	The extra programs will help the kids learn.	1/7/2019 11:31 AM
73	outdoor oriented presentations	1/7/2019 11:29 AM
74	Authors + local business presentations	1/7/2019 11:27 AM
75	I am a teenager and would love to do more at the library.	1/7/2019 11:24 AM
76	weekend book clubs, history of geography class, movies w/ discussions for adults, kids activities on weekends more midday instead of AM, reading to dogs and drop in art, adult art classes, jeopardy night - Ryan can be Alex! Chess competition class. I recommend whatever to meet community needs if possible.	1/7/2019 11:14 AM
77	Reading is important. If teens and young adults appreciated literature more it'd be easier for them to read.	1/7/2019 11:09 AM
78	weekends if possible; gardening; photography	1/7/2019 11:07 AM
79	Toddler activities	1/3/2019 1:19 PM
80	Children programs on Weekends, Sunday. The library being open will be helpful.	1/3/2019 1:18 PM
81	Continue great work for children!!	1/3/2019 1:16 PM
82	Actually I am not aware of programs you currently have for seniors	1/3/2019 1:12 PM
83	always love things to do with the kids!	1/3/2019 1:07 PM
84	more book for increase their knowledge.	1/3/2019 1:06 PM
85	Seniors - speakers on health/retirements, etc. & socializing. A - movie nights and discussion on movies.	1/3/2019 1:05 PM
86	Bookgroups	1/3/2019 1:03 PM
87	Reading group during hrs. working parents can make.	1/3/2019 1:02 PM
88	Authors' presentation - daytime Wed / Thurs afternoon	1/3/2019 1:00 PM
89	I would like more tutoring after school for 2-5 grade kids. We love the educational kids programs.	1/3/2019 12:58 PM
90	There is never enough programs.	1/3/2019 12:55 PM
91	We love ALL weekend programming	1/3/2019 12:53 PM
92	More STEM type programs after school or dance partys for holidays	1/3/2019 12:52 PM
93	Some sort of music programs/mornings	1/3/2019 12:50 PM
94	Well I have two young children, so I'm currently most interested in children's programs on Fridays, afternoons, & weekends. But I recognize that all of these programs are important. The more programs that you have, the more the library becomes a community space & meeting place. And I think that's very important. My kids' favorites programs are always magic shows, puppet shows, science shows, live animals. Thanks!	1/3/2019 12:47 PM
95	more like the cookbook club, other clubs/things for adult w/children	1/3/2019 12:32 PM
96	weekends	1/3/2019 12:18 PM
97	Afternoon on Wed.	1/3/2019 12:17 PM
98	Book club / reading for Seniors (not sure if there is one already)	1/3/2019 12:12 PM
99	Authors, illustrators, art talks, panel discussions on interesting people, places, and topics! :-)	1/3/2019 12:04 PM
100	Afternoons	1/3/2019 12:02 PM
101	maybe afternoon story times / special events	1/3/2019 11:58 AM
102	We love any special events for children	1/3/2019 11:50 AM
103	Holiday Dance Parties, STEM programs afterschool	1/3/2019 11:47 AM
104	Early evening, poetry/author (local) readings	1/3/2019 11:44 AM

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105	Weekends for kids and working parents	11/23/2018 3:53 PM
106	Mainly interested in children's programs as my kids are still small, but they'll continue to age, as will I, so thinking ahead to being interested in programming for the lifespan	11/21/2018 12:28 AM
107	Children's programs starting at 4:30 during the week and not 3:30 or 4 for working parents.	11/20/2018 6:39 PM
108	Weekends hours, week day afternoon	11/20/2018 1:40 PM
109	Activites parent and kids 7 and up can do together, drumming circle, physical activities such as stretching , dance for particular holiday, discussions on Native American communities in New England, how to sessions on impacting hunger, homelessness, trafficking etc....what impact can you have by starting locally even in this affluent area	11/20/2018 1:05 PM
110	Monday or Wednesday between 4-5	11/20/2018 12:30 PM
111	After school study groups for middle schoolers and morning for seniors Gatherings	11/19/2018 6:31 PM
112	Weekends!	11/17/2018 2:36 PM
113	more weekend and evening events, ie not during the workday	11/17/2018 9:08 AM
114	Maybe once a month lectures on various topics in collaboration with Universities or non-profits.	11/16/2018 5:34 PM
115	After school kids activities (3-5p)	11/16/2018 9:56 AM
116	Adult programs on M, W, Th in the evenings.	11/14/2018 12:32 PM
117	Programs offered for Toddlers and preK around 430-5pm.	11/13/2018 5:37 PM
118	Weekend program for kids	11/13/2018 7:50 AM
119	More speakers	11/11/2018 8:53 PM
120	More programs that allow adults to congregate and meet others, similar to the Cookbook club program. Evenings for the programs would work best, but the library is not open in the evenings Fri - Mon.	11/6/2018 12:49 PM
121	Evenings	11/4/2018 11:02 PM
122	I would like to see a Mindfulness program added. I can help.	11/3/2018 8:01 AM
123	More book clubs, maybe genre specific. Maybe study groups for teens?	11/3/2018 7:44 AM
124	We love the character readings, magician/puppet shows/musicians, etc. we can't wait to start some of the older kid programs (legos, registered events).	11/3/2018 7:38 AM
125	Don't attend	11/2/2018 10:55 PM
126	R	11/2/2018 10:30 PM
127	Childrens programs starting after 5 pm on weekdays. Most programs start at 3 pm and the kids are not even home yet from school.	11/2/2018 4:15 PM
128	saturday story time, more saturday activities for older children, perhaps even a repeat of some of weekdays activities (ex, hands on nature), more Scratch coding	10/29/2018 10:44 AM
129	Saturdays work best	10/29/2018 10:34 AM
130	Teen book clubs, children paint workshops, children lessons in writing their own books, adult discussions on social issues, mixed religious or political discussions	10/29/2018 2:55 AM
131	On weekdays, it would be nice to be open until 9 each night	10/28/2018 8:49 AM
132	Mornings any day a week would be great for toddler time. My son loves stories and songs.	10/27/2018 10:55 PM
133	I elaborated on the previous question	10/27/2018 10:00 PM
134	I liked the talk about hearing loss, so maybe more on health related topics would be good. Talks about brain function and how it impact both students and seniors. There's so much scientific research on brain function and learning about it is fascinating and helpful to understand ourselves and each other.	10/27/2018 9:02 PM
135	Mornings on Saturday and Sunday Afternoon hours around 330	10/27/2018 6:40 PM
136	musical programs, civics/government programs featuring elected representatives with Q&A period, classic movies	10/27/2018 3:10 PM

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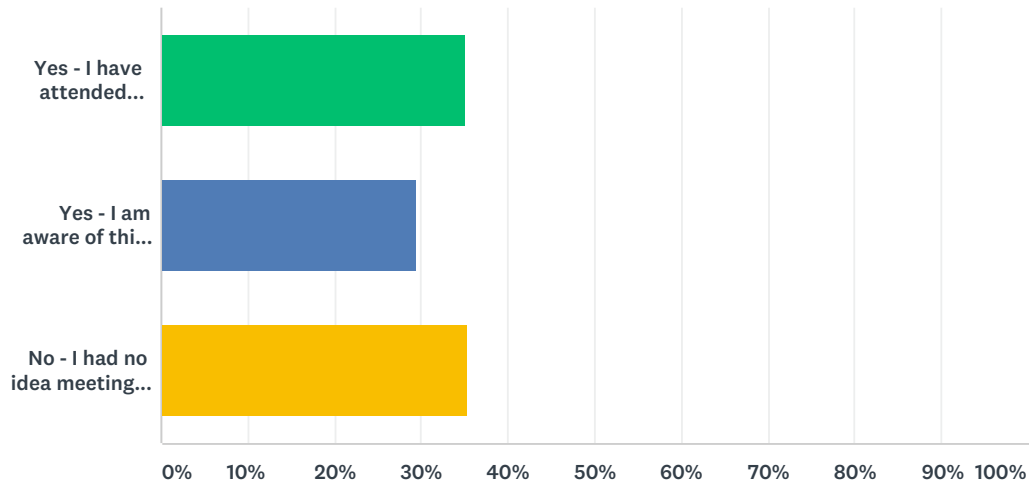
137	Programs during the day	10/26/2018 11:40 AM
138	3-6 weekdays	10/24/2018 7:44 PM
139	Weekend and evening activities for children. With two working parents we can never make the activities during weekdays.	10/24/2018 3:41 PM
140	Evenings work best	10/24/2018 2:12 PM
141	Yoga class for kids dance for kids foreign language programs ...mindfulness for kids	10/24/2018 9:54 AM
142	I think more homework clubs (with helpers available) would be nice.	10/24/2018 9:17 AM
143	I like that you are open on evenings - maybe Friday night open for programs would be a benefit	10/24/2018 9:04 AM
144	Friday evening educational programs for adults with appetizers and beverages would be nice - ex. book club, or a totally different topic. I feel like the programs for kids are often for young kids. I'd love to see some tween programs in the winter, when sports aren't as dominant on the weekends.	10/23/2018 10:37 PM
145	Mornings and afternoons are preferred especially during the winter, but evenings would also work	10/23/2018 9:25 PM
146	N/A	10/23/2018 9:02 PM
147	Book groups for non-senior adults Daytime programs for adults- not senior center	10/23/2018 8:25 PM
148	Maybe book groups for older kids (ages 9-11). Or story times for older kids (school age, 7-9).	10/23/2018 8:13 PM
149	I would like more information on genealogy and access to on line genealogical sites. The library no longer has ancestry.com. I would also like to see access to these sites being available at our homes a link to the library's site.	10/23/2018 8:13 PM
150	The library programs are really wonderful. What about one on what you can learn in a library to showcase the different resources that are available?	10/20/2018 10:42 PM
151	Classes, activities and events offered during school hours for homeschool families	10/20/2018 8:50 AM
152	No specific program suggestions....	10/19/2018 10:22 AM
153	More stories times for children in the summer. More indoor activities and stories time for the winter.	10/18/2018 12:52 PM
154	Either daytime or evening would be fine. I would like workshops, lessons or author	10/16/2018 2:52 PM
155	I would love more community events that highlight important topics facing various age groups.	10/15/2018 10:03 AM
156	Bees. Basic gardening. Crafts for adults.	10/12/2018 1:28 PM
157	As a local business owner (Sweet Pea Yoga), I'd love to be able to offer children's yoga events at the library. I've done this for Marlborough Library before for a small stipend (free for Marl residents) and it was a big hit!	10/12/2018 1:20 PM
158	Monday, Tues, Wednesday evenings.	10/11/2018 10:58 PM
159	Seasonal crafts, more demonstrations of cool things in the community like last year when St Mark's robotics team came over.	10/11/2018 9:14 PM
160	Mid-morning or early afternoon programs for seniors	10/10/2018 6:31 PM
161	Anytime	10/10/2018 6:17 PM
162	An adult book club that's not specific, like the audiobooks or cookbooks. Maybe a young professional book group More teen events, on weekends when maybe more teens can come or on vacation periods	10/9/2018 4:20 PM
163	More story times during the day in the summer for the kids ages 3-10	10/9/2018 1:22 PM
164	Thursday and Friday evenings, weekend mornings & afternoons.	10/9/2018 10:54 AM
165	Not sure	10/8/2018 7:59 PM
166	Senior and children programs should be offered during the day.	10/8/2018 6:09 PM
167	Would like more programs during the day. loved authors discussions	10/7/2018 9:31 AM
168	Mon-Tues evening program on writing.	10/7/2018 8:56 AM
169	Wednesday morning is best.	10/7/2018 8:55 AM

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170	A few more after school options for kids, in the 3:30/4:00 timeframe.	10/7/2018 6:46 AM
171	The composting program next week is an excellent idea	10/7/2018 6:10 AM
172	just more of what you already offer i've been to book signings and book discussions at the library so much fun also have been to a poetry writing workshop that was a blast	10/7/2018 12:32 AM
173	Prefer mornings and afternoons and Saturdays	10/6/2018 11:53 PM
174	Weekends for adults	10/6/2018 10:11 PM
175	Sundays	10/6/2018 9:59 PM
176	Maybe 5:00 or 6:00 STEAM related or getting local authors of children's books	10/6/2018 9:44 PM
177	afternoon for seniors	10/6/2018 8:57 PM
178	I'm actually not sure. But I feel children are already well supported and Teens and Adults don't have time for programs at the Library. But I imagine seniors would love more programs.	10/6/2018 8:24 PM
179	More volunteer opportunities for teens.	10/6/2018 8:22 PM
180	Great programs and I do not have any new ideas for programs	10/6/2018 6:30 PM
181	evening and weekend programs more well-known authors (not just local folks) like the author program had a few years back	10/6/2018 6:18 PM
182	Would love to see more children's authors in.	10/6/2018 6:07 PM
183	Saturday mornings.	10/6/2018 5:20 PM
184	bring in more authors and their books on health, finance, government, etc. to give talks.	10/6/2018 5:05 PM
185	None	10/6/2018 3:30 PM
186	Adult after 630pm	10/6/2018 3:10 PM
187	Daylight hours for senior programs.	10/6/2018 3:06 PM
188	More lectures/public interest/music for adults.	10/6/2018 2:54 PM
189	Daytime is preferred.	10/6/2018 2:41 PM
190	Evening programs and afternoon programs	10/6/2018 2:26 PM
191	Nights weekends	10/6/2018 2:19 PM
192	Any	10/6/2018 1:35 PM
193	Story time year round not just during the school year. Additional drop in music, craft classes etc. for toddler age group (ie 1-4yrs).	10/6/2018 1:28 PM
194	Money management in retirement	10/6/2018 1:26 PM
195	Crafts	10/6/2018 1:17 PM
196	enhance author readings and programs that would encourage more participation maybe ladies night out or gathering to discuss favorite books	10/6/2018 1:10 PM
197	Senior programs should be during the day and could be in collaboration with senior center.	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
198	Could really use Sunday hrs.	10/6/2018 1:09 PM
199	Guest speakers on current topics involving climate change and other environmental issues.	10/6/2018 1:01 PM
200	Tuesday or Wednesday evenings	10/6/2018 12:51 PM
201	More weekend programs for children with working parents.	10/6/2018 12:50 PM
202	Speakers on history, contemporary issues, musical programs.	10/6/2018 12:41 PM
203	Evenings	10/4/2018 8:54 PM

Q9 The Southborough Library provides two meeting rooms for the public to utilize. Did you know that this meeting space is provided for community groups and tutors to use?

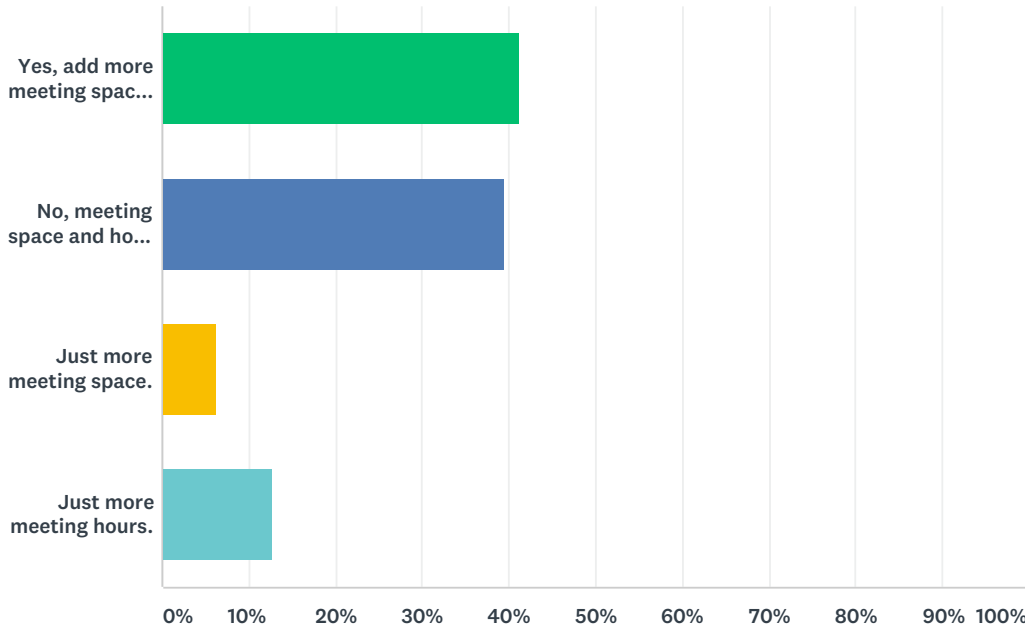
Answered: 328 Skipped: 27



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes - I have attended meetings in these rooms.	35.06%	115
Yes - I am aware of this, but I have never used a library meeting room.	29.57%	97
No - I had no idea meeting space is available.	35.37%	116
TOTAL		328

Q10 Currently, the library can only provide space for groups to meet during hours that the library is open. Would you be in favor of the library potentially expanding its meeting room space and in making meeting space more accessible outside of normal operating hours?

Answered: 298 Skipped: 57



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes, add more meeting space and hours.	41.28%	123
No, meeting space and hours are sufficient.	39.60%	118
Just more meeting space.	6.38%	19
Just more meeting hours.	12.75%	38
TOTAL		298