



The Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) is a federal program which provides funding exclusively for libraries. It is granted to states by the Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS). At the state level for us, the money is administered by the Alabama Public Library Service (APLS) through grants for which we must apply. LSTA funding is vital to us and is applied for each year to improve our services and/or materials.

For 2024, we applied for and were awarded a Collection Development grant to update and expand specific areas of our materials collection.

We have added new, updated materials to our collection in the following categories:

YOUTH SERVICES

- Juvenile Spanish language titles

ADULT COLLECTION

- Adult Large Print
- Adult Spanish Language
- Young Adult Spanish Language

You can find these materials on the shelves in our library:

- in our main area on the left side of the Public Services desk, facing the Training Center, with a sign that says **“NEW BOOKS purchased with the LSTA Grant.”**
- In Youth Services look for the LSTA display on purple table in our Youth Services Room.

Can't find them?

Please ask a staff member for help!

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