

JOHNSON COUNTY  
**LIBRARY FOUNDATION**

*The Johnson County Library Foundation's mission is to build an endowment for the Library's collection and secure support for lifelong learning programs offered at Johnson County Library. We do this by securing and managing donations from individuals, businesses, and foundations to support the Library above and beyond what public funding provides.*

**In 2021, the Johnson County Library Foundation provided \$355,952 of support to the Library**

- **Collection Support** **\$122,864**  
 (Endowment disbursement and unrestricted funds)
  - Endowment disbursement to enhance collection materials
  - Susanne Shutz/Betty A. Paige gifts totaling \$20,000 for large print books and CD/Audiobooks
  
- **Online Programs/Professional Staff Development** **\$36,220**  
 (Kauffman Foundation)
  
- **Live closed captioning for programs** **\$15,000**  
 (Kauffman Foundation)
  
- **Data for Good** **\$7,500**  
 (Kauffman Foundation/UpMetrics)
  - Data management platform and consulting
  
- **Children's interactive Burgeon unit at Central Resource Library** **\$26,513**  
 (Regnier Family Fund, Speas Trust, and Johnson County Library Foundation match)
  
- **Cedar Roe Renovation** **\$22,442**  
 (James Deberry Trust)
  - New children's furniture, shelving

- **Black & Veatch MakerSpace** **\$56,315**  
 (Black & Veatch partnership)
  - 194 Online Programs and Remote Services Offered
  - 568 Patrons Registrations for Online Programs and Remote Services
  - 125 Take & Make Kits Distributed
  
- **elementia – teen writing publication** **\$3,288**  
 (Henderson Engineers and Andrews Family Foundation)
  - 700 submissions for the 2021 publication
  - 150 attended virtual reception and program
  - 124 published pieces
  
- **Adult Incarcerated Programs** **\$4,045**  
 (Village Presbyterian Church and individual donations)
  - 135 adult clients signed up for a Johnson County Library card
  - Programs included therapeutic book groups, "Read to Me" where parents read to their children, and books for family video conferencing.
  
- **Race Project** **\$60,759**  
 (Allred Inc., Kauffman Foundation, RBCB LLC, The Little House, Freedom Frontier Heritage Alliance, Sadun Family Fund, Garmin, and individual donations)
  - 19 local high schools participated in the first of three virtual workshops featuring poet Glenn North with 157 of teens and 28 of adults attending over the course of 3 days.
  
- **Genealogy** **\$800**  
 (Marcia Rinehart)
  - 603 attended monthly virtual programs featuring local and national speakers
  
- **Library Board Support** **\$206**  
 (County Librarian's Fund)