



A STRATEGY FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN SCOTLAND 2015-2020

# AMBITION & OPPORTUNITY

**PRINT3D**  
@THELIBRARY

## £76,000

### 3D PRINTING

Every library service has a 3D printer and scanner, opening up a world of opportunity for library users.



## £70,000

### APPINESS

A project to teach young people and parents to use apps for literacy, numeracy and other subjects.



## £47,000

### DIGITAL XTRA

SLIC has secured backing from the Digital Xtra Fund to roll-out coding clubs in libraries.



## £950,000

### PUBLIC LIBRARY IMPROVEMENT FUND (PLIF)

Open to all libraries across Scotland to fund projects to support all parts of the strategy.



## £190,000

### FILM EDUCATION IN LIBRARIES

Creative Scotland is funding seven projects in libraries to develop creative film learning.

**READ  
WRITE  
COUNT** Together  
it's fun

## £198,000

### READ, WRITE, COUNT

To support families of P1-P3 children to support their learning in libraries.



# £2.3 MILLION

Invested by stakeholders and partners to deliver against the strategic aims.



## £700,000

### WIFI

WiFi has been rolled out to every library in Scotland to support digital inclusion.



## £5,000

### HACKATHON

Carnegie UK Trust is funding hackathon activity in partnership with SLIC

**Film Hub  
Scotland**

## £5,900

### FILM HUB SCOTLAND

To support audience development training.



## £80,000

### EVERY CHILD A LIBRARY MEMBER

A pilot programme to ensure every child in Scotland has access to libraries from birth.



Over **40 million** visitors each year



**4,630** public internet terminals



Over **3.2 million** hours of internet access



Over **20 million** items are loaned every year



Scotland's libraries stock over **10 million** books



**1,412** volunteers supporting libraries with **55,000 hours** of time



**Free Wifi** in every public library



All library services now provide **free 3D printing**