Indigenous Resources

A collection analysis of Indigenous print collections at Humber Libraries, completed September 2016

Collection Overview

Books: 1554
DVDs: 126
North: 108
Lake: 598

Did You Know?

Humber Libraries has been purchasing special collections with generous support from the Aboriginal Resource Centre since 2011.

Our Collection is Current

Over 70% of our collection is under 10 years old.

Collection by Geography

Almost half of Humber Libraries' collection is Canadian, representing 44.26% of the total collection of Indigenous titles.

Collection by Subject Area

We analysed books with a main area of focus to see the range of subject. Note: this does not include titles with multiple areas of focus.

Collection by Nation

375 out of 1681 titles have a focus on specific indigenous nations.

Note: the results are based on Library of Congress classifications and metadata of the resources by subject.

Collection by College

Humber Libraries' Indigenous collection is the strongest in the Greater Toronto Area in the college sector for print materials.

Note: this information was extracted from College Union Catalogue (CUC) & Collect, a publicly available, shared resource comprised of records obtained from the colleges' libraries.

New Titles


This collection analysis was completed in September 2016.

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Aboriginal Research Guide

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