



Annual Library Profile 2026-27

Muir of Ord Library



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Introduction

Library Profiles are prepared annually for each library within the Highland Libraries network as part of our commitment to service improvement, and to engage with our communities. They serve three main purposes:

- To assist local staff to evaluate the performance of their library in relation to their local community.
- To assist managers to monitor performance and plan service improvements across the wider network.
- To provide a concise document that can be offered to any person or organisation seeking information about a library.

Each library reflects its specific local community, making it unique. Any comparison of statistics such as issue figures must be made cautiously.

Performance and community information is based on library statistics, ward statistics or where available data relating to specific Integrated Learning Communities (Secondary school catchment areas) *. Ward or census information can be found at: <https://www.highland.gov.uk/planning-area/highland-profile-key-facts-figures>

Summary of library and services available

Branch: Muir of Ord Library

Address: Muir of Ord Library,
Tarradale School,
Great Northern Road,
Muir of Ord,
IV6 7SU

Telephone No: 01463 870196

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Web Address: <https://www.highlifehighland.com/libraries/muir-of-ord-library>

Associated School Group: Dingwall Academy

Ward: 8 Dingwall & Seaforth

Accommodation

Muir of Ord Library is located inside the former Tarradale Primary School building. The building also contains separate meeting rooms currently used for an art class and by the community newspaper office, "Muir Matters." The library is open three days a week and is staffed by one member of staff during opening hours.

Opening Hours

Monday	10:00 – 12:30; 14:00 – 17:00
Tuesday	Closed
Wednesday	Closed
Thursday	10:00 – 12:30; 15:00 – 19:00
Friday	14:00 – 17:00
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

Accessibility

Car parking:

There is limited off-street parking available near the library, including one designated accessible parking space close to the entrance for wheelchair users and those with reduced mobility.

Public transport:

There are bus stops serving both directions directly outside the library. The train station is located a short, level distance away and is easily reachable on foot.

Additional information

Activities

Regular children's activities:

Regular Bookbug sessions bringing families together to enjoy stories, songs, and rhymes with babies, toddlers, and pre-school children.

The Summer Reading Challenge aimed at children from 4-11 years.

LEGO Club where children develop skills through collaboration and building.

Please check the library website for up-to-date events information.

Regular adult events:

Collect and return service

For customers who do not wish to browse our shelves in the library, we provide a Collect and Return service. By phoning or emailing your local library, a member of staff will select books for your chosen genre and arrange a convenient time for you to collect them.

How are we performing?

Muir of Ord Library

	2024-25
Visits	9,657
Event Attendance	2,160
Issues	5,843
Events	218
Computer Sessions	182

Reference and local history collections

(Please tick)	Basic collection	Collection of area significance	Collection of Highland significance	Collection of national significance
Reference Collection		✓	✓	✓
Local History		✓	✓	✓

Please visit our website for more information: <https://www.highlifehighland.com>

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