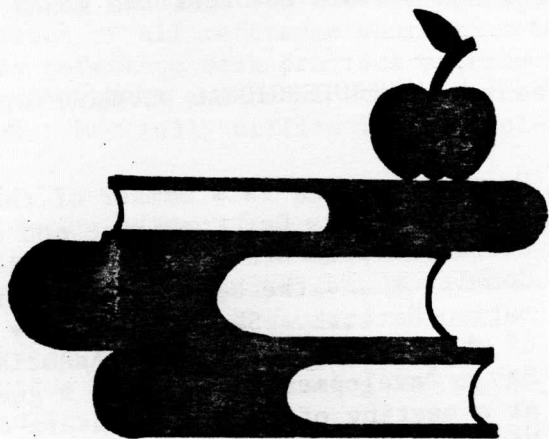




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LIBRARY STATS

During the 1984-85 academic year, the library circulated almost 20,000 books in addition to about 3,000 audiovisual software items. The reserves/periodicals and AV staff also retrieved over 2,000 reserve items and 20,000 periodicals.

In January, 1985 the recording of detailed reference statistics both by category and type of query was instituted. This information is used to determine reference desk scheduling and to identify areas for both reference and general collection development. During January through June 1985, the reference staff answered 2,339 questions of which 1,583 were reference queries, 756 were directional in nature and 162 were telephone requests.

How the Library Has Served YOU

As well as answering reference questions, reference staff is responsible for selecting reference and other materials from review sources. During fiscal year 1984-85, 767 volumes were added to reference collection alone bringing the total library holdings to 138,963 volumes of print material and 51,326 physical units of non-print items..

Basic library instruction was given to all EN 10 and EN 11 students and some presentations for EN 12. Sixty-seven classes were conducted in Fall 1984 and 26 classes were given in the Spring of 1985.