American Rescue Plan: Humanities Grantmaking

American Library Association Public Programs Office Final Report Form

Please complete the fields below by October 31, 2022, to report on your library’s American Rescue Plan (ARP): Humanities Grants for Libraries activity.

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Choices
I agree and accept

Library Information

Library Name*
Character Limit: 250

Project Director Name*
Character Limit: 250

Project Director Email Address*
Character Limit: 250

Project Name*
In the text box below, enter the project name: ARP
Character Limit: 3
Project Goals and Accomplishments

Goals*
What were your original goals for your library’s ARP funding? These goals should match what you laid out in your original ARP grant proposal in 2021.

Character Limit: 2000

Have you achieved your original goals?*
Choices
Have met project goals
Exceeded project goals
Have not met project goals

Accomplishments*
Describe what your library actually accomplished with its ARP funding. Please address if and how your accomplishments varied from your original goals. If you did not achieve your original goals, please describe the challenges or reasons that caused the deviation.

Character Limit: 2000

Did the ARP funding help your library create or preserve jobs?*
Choices
Yes
No

If yes: How many jobs were created with the help of the ARP funding?
Character Limit: 250

If yes: How many jobs were retained with the help of the ARP funding?
Character Limit: 250

Did the ARP funding help your library support or maintain general operations?*
Choices
Yes
No

Did the ARP funding help your library create or sustain humanities programs or activities?*
Choices
Yes
No

If yes:
How many individuals were reached through your ARP-funded humanities programs or activities?
Character Limit: 20
Is this number actual or an estimate?
*Character Limit: 20

**Itemizing of Grant Funds**

In this section, please itemize how you spent the ARP funding. Expenses can be grouped by type (e.g., all staff salaries/benefits can be reported in a single expense entry). Receipts are not required. The total amount should add up to the $10,000 grant total.

**Expense 1: Dollar Amount**
*Character Limit: 20

**Expense 1: Type**
*Choices
- Staff salary/benefits
- General library operations
- Fees for authors/performers/speakers
- Book/film purchases for use in humanities programming
- Program support costs
- Promotional expenses
- Indirect costs
- Other

**Expense 1: Description**
*Character Limit: 250

**Expense 2: Dollar Amount**
*Character Limit: 20

**Expense 2: Type**
*Choices
- Staff salary/benefits
- General library operations
- Fees for authors/performers/speakers
- Book/film purchases for use in humanities programming
- Program support costs
- Promotional expenses
- Indirect costs
- Other

**Expense 2: Description**
*Character Limit: 250
Expense 3: Dollar Amount
*Character Limit: 20*

Expense 3: Type
*Choices*
- Staff salary/benefits
- General library operations
- Fees for authors/performers/speakers
- Book/film purchases for use in humanities programming
- Program support costs
- Promotional expenses
- Indirect costs
- Other

Expense 3: Description
*Character Limit: 250*

Expense 4: Dollar Amount
*Character Limit: 20*

Expense 4: Type
*Choices*
- Staff salary/benefits
- General library operations
- Fees for authors/performers/speakers
- Book/film purchases for use in humanities programming
- Program support costs
- Promotional expenses
- Indirect costs
- Other

Expense 4: Description
*Character Limit: 250*

Expense 5: Dollar Amount
*Character Limit: 20*

Expense 5: Type
*Choices*
- Staff salary/benefits
- General library operations
- Fees for authors/performers/speakers
- Book/film purchases for use in humanities programming
- Program support costs
- Promotional expenses
- Indirect costs
- Other
Expense 5: Description

Character Limit: 250

Future Plans

Does your library plan to continue any of the humanities efforts started with the ARP funding?*

Choices
Yes
No
I don’t know
N/A

How do your library’s current humanities offerings compare to pre-COVID times?*

Choices
We offer fewer humanities programs now than we did before the pandemic.
We offer the same number of humanities programs now than we did before the pandemic.
We offer more humanities programs now than we did before the pandemic.

Please elaborate on your response.*

Character Limit: 2000

Has the ARP funding affected your library’s ability to serve as a center of humanities learning?*

Please explain.

Character Limit: 2000

Feedback on Grant Implementation Experience

ALA welcomes you to offer any feedback on how we can best support you during the grant implementation period. Feel free to describe any challenges that may have arisen during the grant implementation period, how you approached the challenge, and how ALA may be able to better support grantees experiencing similar challenges in the future. For example, this can include challenges that occurred due to the grant requirements, challenges in the library field, and/or challenges in your community.

Character Limit: 2500

Feedback on Future Support

ALA would like to support American Rescue Plan: Humanities Grants for Libraries participants even beyond the grant implementation period. In the space below, please share your ideas for how we may support you in the months ahead. This might include requests for virtual professional development, networking opportunities, etc.

Character Limit: 2500
Supporting Documents
Please upload any attachments that will help demonstrate the impacts of your ARP-funded work. Attachments might include photos, press releases, media coverage, patron or staff feedback, or completed evaluations or evaluation results.

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About Your Institution
Is your institution a Historically Black College/University (HBCU)?*
Choices
Yes
No

Is your institution a Hispanic Serving Institution (HSI)?*
Choices
Yes
No

Is your institution a Tribal College/University (TCU)?*
Choices
Yes
No

Is your institution an Asian American and Pacific Islander Institution (AAPII)?*
Choices
Is your institution a Community College?*

Choices
Yes
No