



Criterion IV

4.2.4 Percentage per day usage of library by teachers and students (footfalls and login data for online access)



4.2.6.1: Number of teachers and students using library per day over last one year (2020-21)



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1. Monitoring of the Gate register and automated gateway to the library (Footfall)
2. Report of daily circulation of books, journals, electronic materials, etc.
3. Usage statistics from NList and Delnet
4. Remote Access of Koha (OPAC)

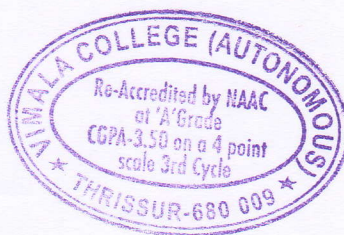
Vimala College Library maintained a Library Gate Register for the recording of library footfalls. As a fully automated Library, we were maintained a computerized gate register by swiping the ID card embedded with barcode firstly in Libsoft and then Koha. In 2021 library implemented a restricted entry and exit with turnstile for the accurate recording of library usage statistics encoded with RFID reader and face recognizing equipment. Library began to print ID cards with RFID chip.


Library using Integrated Library Management System with Open source "KOHA". All the library operations are including circulation of books are recorded and maintained in Koha as well as book issue register is maintained separately for staff and students.

NList and DELNET resources can be accessed through remote login which is linked in the Library Website.

The per day usage statistics is calculated based on physical visit and online usage of staff and students. The library catalogue can be accessed through "KOHA OPAC". During the pandemic period library provides more services through social media and remote access of databases.


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