

CARROLL PUBLIC LIBRARY

118 E. 5TH STREET- CARROLL, IOWA



THE CARROLL CARNEGIE LIBRARY WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1906 ALONG LINCOLN WAY, CARROLL'S MAIN STREET THROUGH DOWNTOWN.

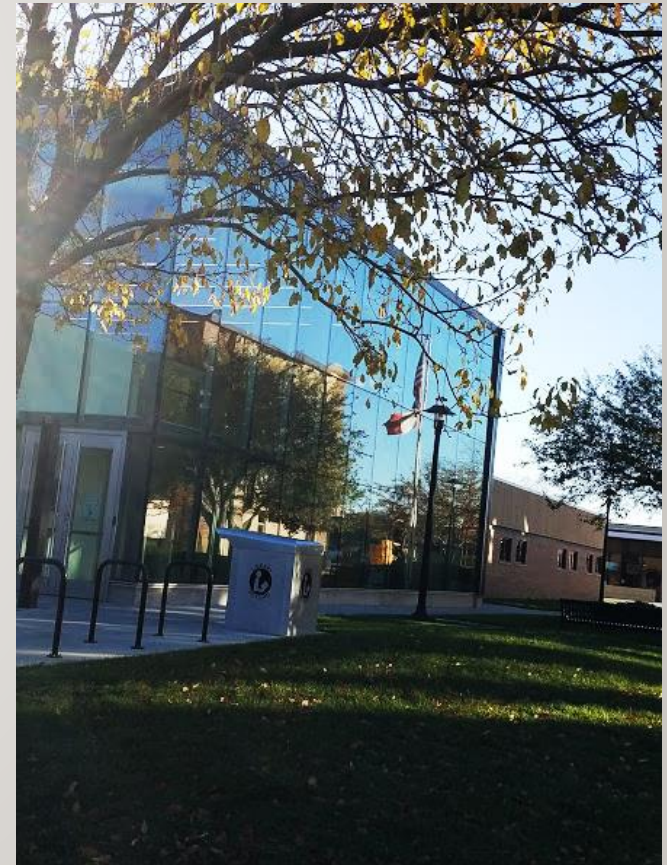
IN 1975, A NEW MUNICIPAL BUILDING WAS BUILT SOUTH OF [BEHIND] THE COUNTY COURTHOUSE. THE LIBRARY, CITY HALL, AND THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WERE ALL HOUSED IN THIS BUILDING.

THE FORMER CARNEGIE LIBRARY BECAME THE NEW HOME OF THE CARROLL COUNTY HISTORICAL MUSEUM.

2017-2020 THE LIBRARY WAS ABLE TO EXPAND WHEN CITY HALL MOVED TO A DIFFERENT LOCATION.

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Children's Section
Non-Fiction

Bin Books

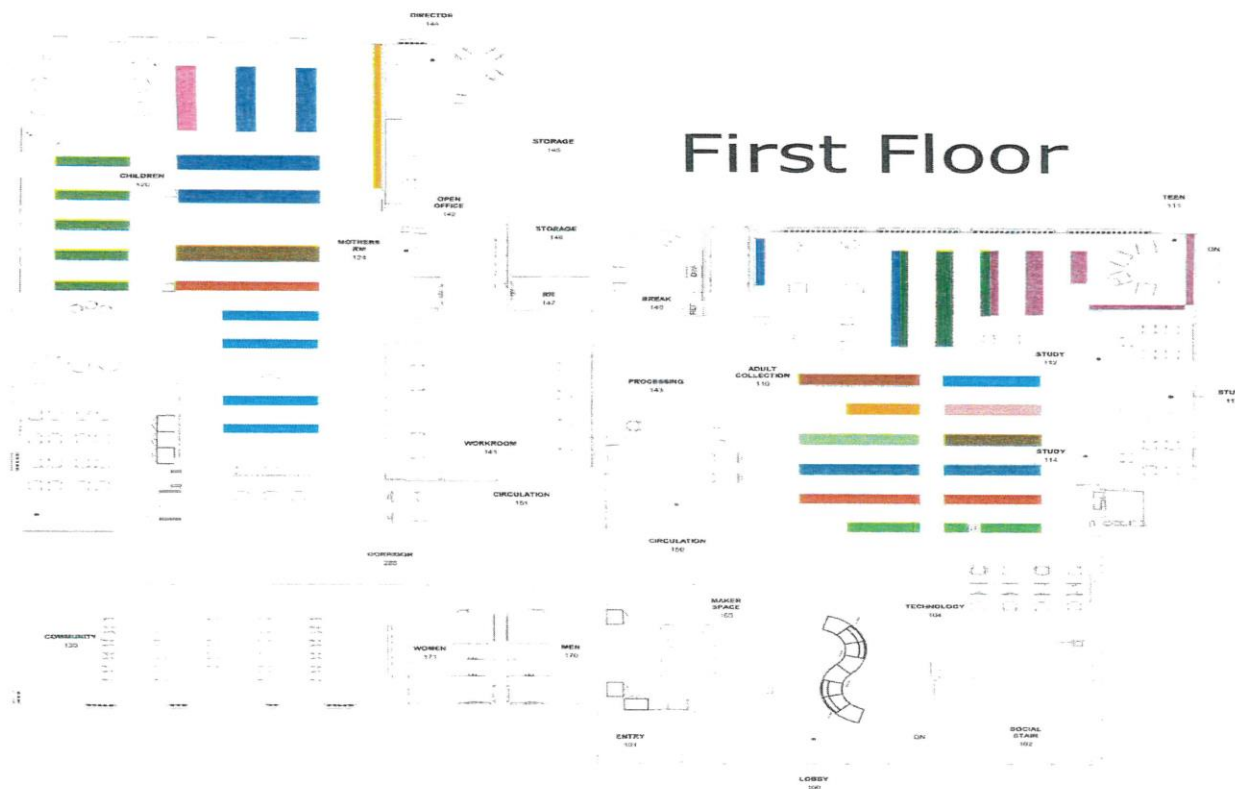
Picture Books

Early Readers

Jl - Intermediate
Chapter Books &
Magazines/Audio
Books/Home-School

J - Chapter Books

Board Books/ Books
with CDs/Children's
DVDs



First Floor

Adult Section - 1st Floor
Magazines, Newspapers,
& Reference

Large Print

Young Adult/Teen

Christian Fiction

Genealogy, Westerns,
& Adult Graphic Novels

Biographies

Romance

New Fiction

Science Fiction/
New Non-Fiction

Mysteries

DVDs

Audio Books



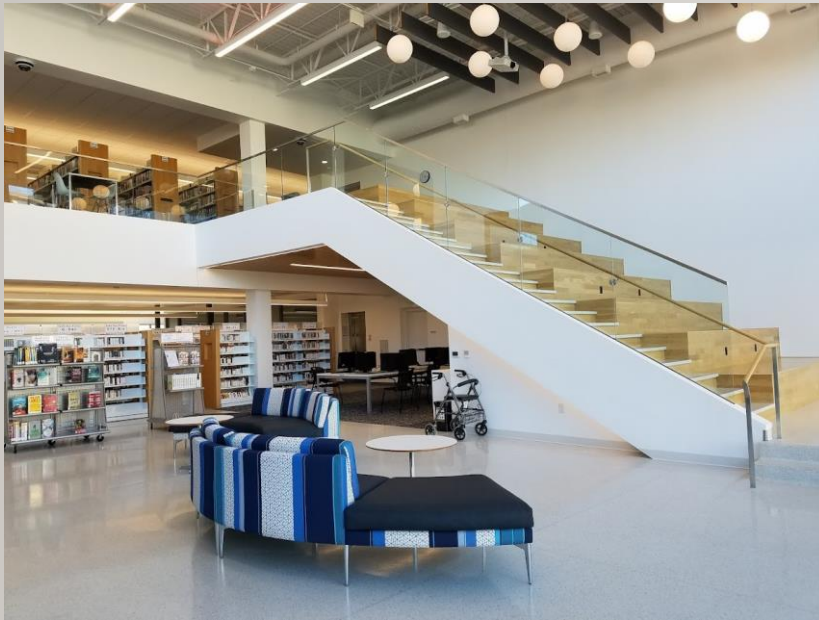
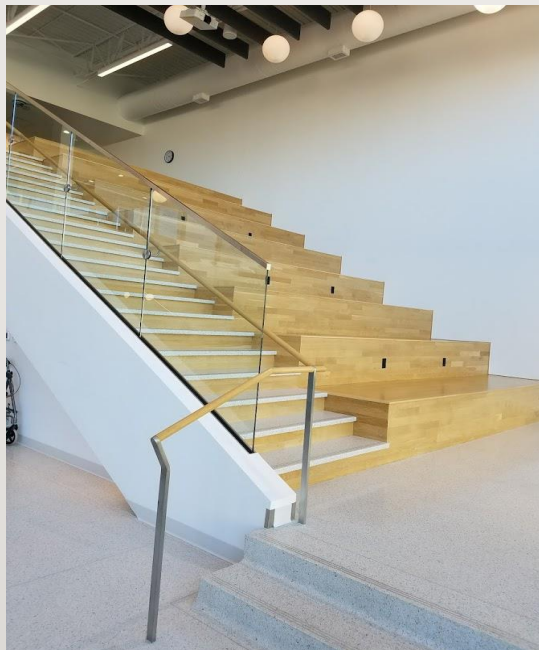
New Carroll Public Library Map

First Floor

Adult Department
Young Adult/Teen Department
Children Department
Study Rooms
Technology
Maker Station (STEM Room)
Community Area



Social Stairs with large retractable screen. Full floor to ceiling windows allowing natural lighting creating a welcoming lobby area.



Makerspace (STEM Room)





Public Restrooms are located near the entrance and across from the circulation desk on the first floor.

There is also a Family Restroom & Mother's Room located near the Children's Department.



Mother's room



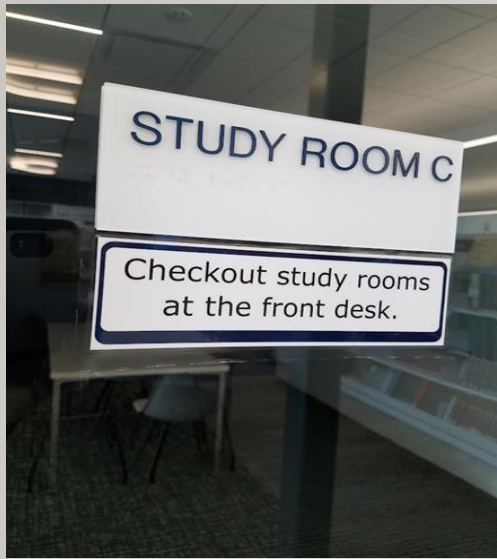


Adult Large Print Shelves- note the Endcap have a recessed display area.



Young Adult / Teen Area





Study Rooms and Conversation areas located on the first floor.





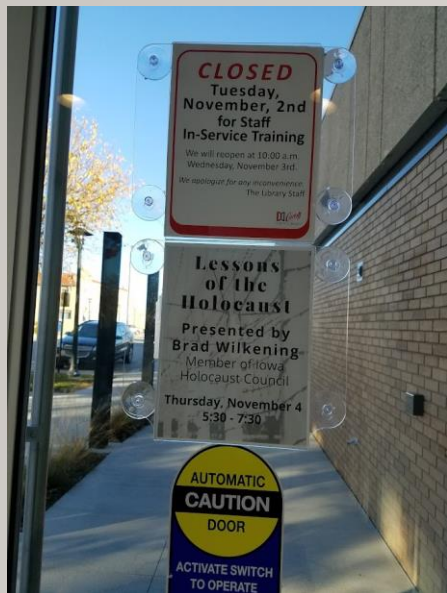
Circulation Desk with
Storage and work station
Located between the Main
Entrance and
Back Entrance



Public Computers and
public photocopier
located
under the Social Stairs

DVD Storage
located under
the backstairs
behind the
circulation desk.





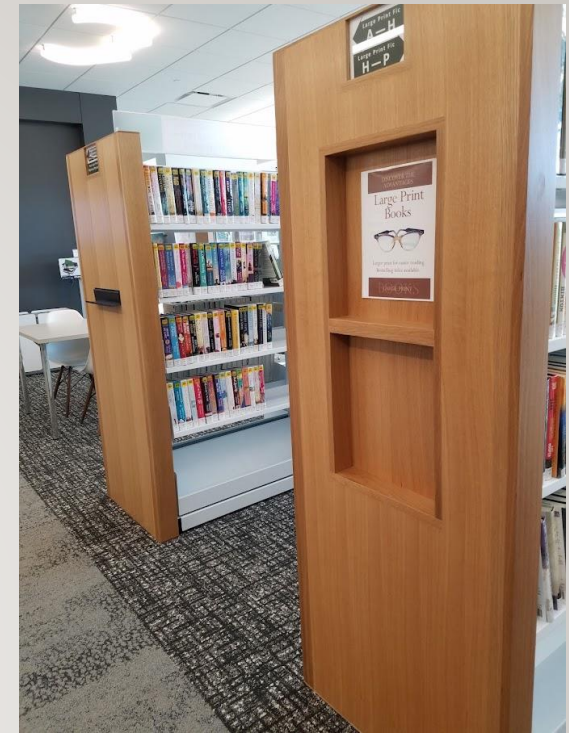
2nd Entrance /Book Return
Magazines, Newspapers & Reference Area

DVD shelving
Library Catalog
Displays





Genealogy & Large Print Displays





Children's Department Circulation Desk Reading Area





Children's Department
Lower shelves
Conversation Areas
Display





Children's Department

Shelving with inset display areas.

Conversation area includes child-size animal-shaped seating.

STEM/Fine Motor Skill Development mounted on walls

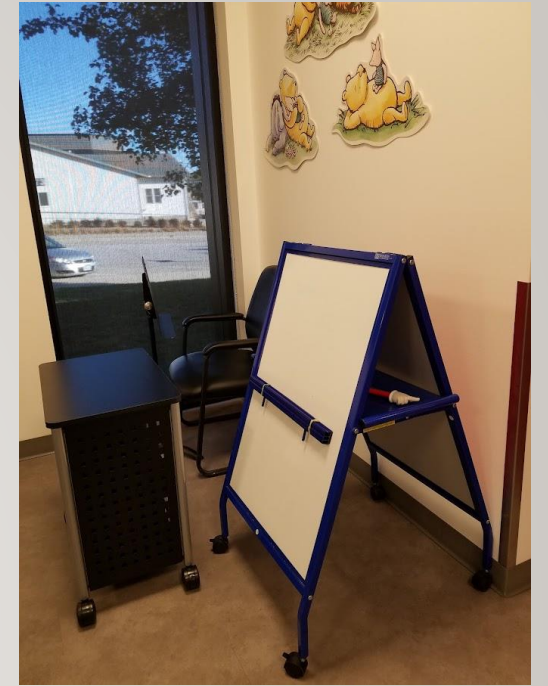




Children's
Storytime & Craft Room

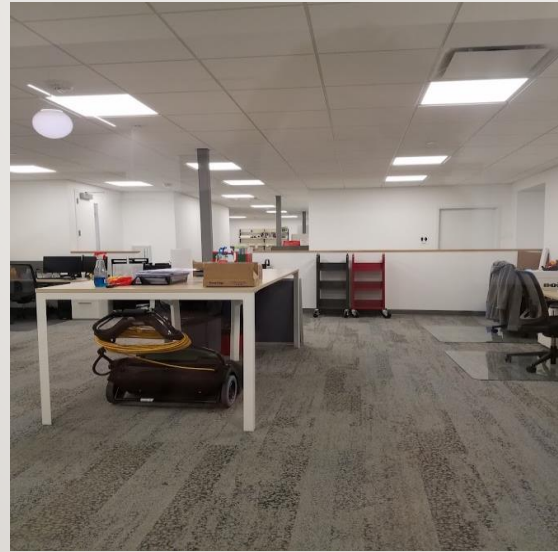


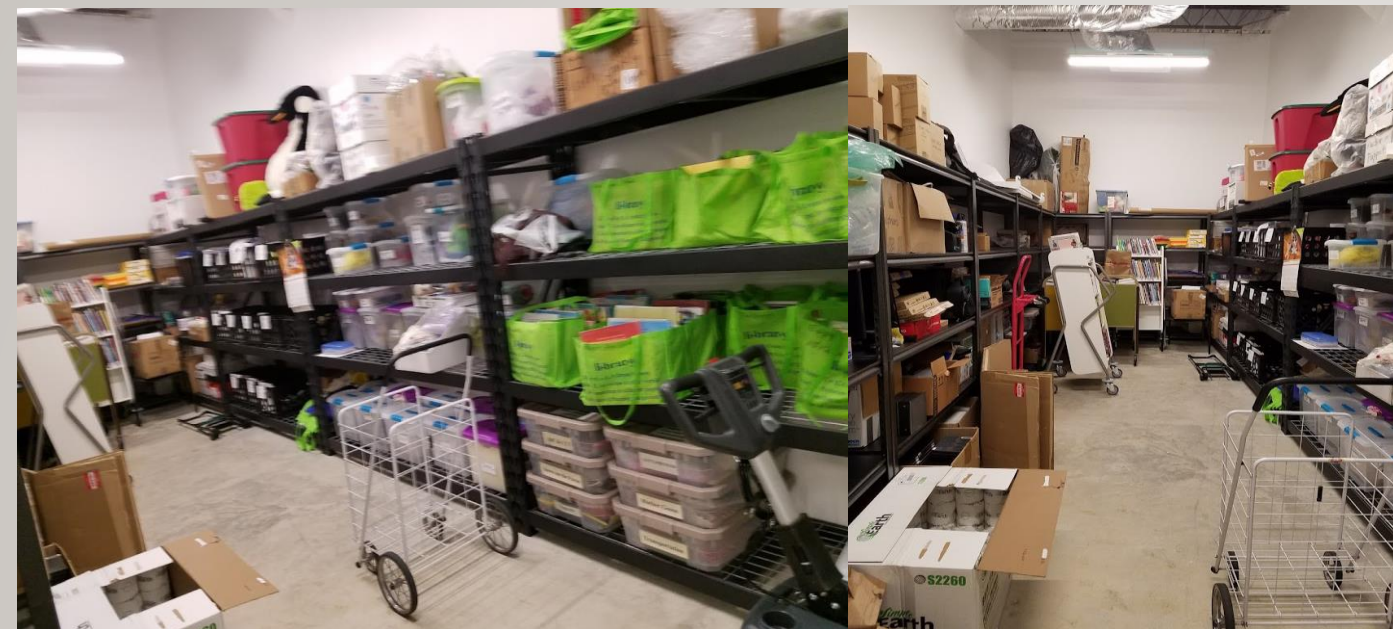
Storage Cabinets and Equipment Located in the Storytime / Craft Room





Large, centralized Staff work area with large windows to see children's area and smaller connector room (behind book returns) that leads behind adult checkout desk
Note: tall work tables, counters, storage cabinets, and space for book carts





Storage Room



Staff Break Room



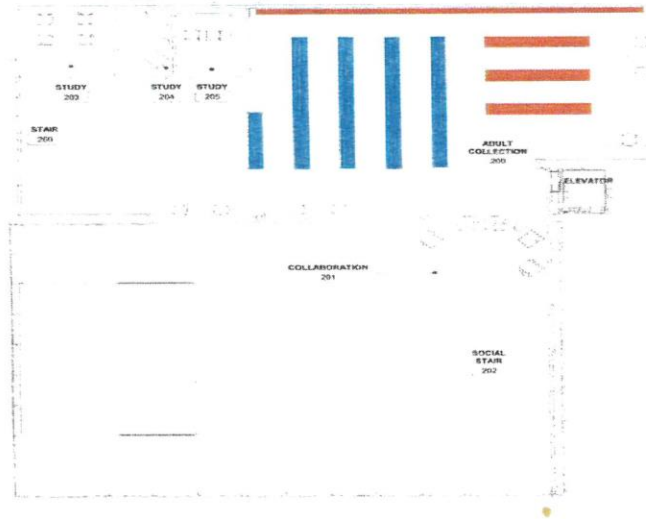
Director's Office



Large Public Meeting Room with tilting movable tables, large retractable screen, and ceiling-mounted media projector. Remote located on the wall for screen and projector.



Second Floor



Adult Section - 2nd Floor
Fiction

Non-Fiction



New Carroll Public Library Map



View from the second floor to main level



Second Floor

Looking down on “Social Stairs”
Conversation Area

Note: The second floor is similar to a balcony that looks down over the first floor main entry area. There is no second floor over the much larger children’s area.



Carpet variation throughout the building



Small Meeting/Study Rooms

Rooms are located on the first & second floors.

Note: different furniture arrangements and plenty of outlets and charging stations. Also some have doors and some have open doorways.



Microfilm computer area





Back stairwell



Adult Fiction/
Non-Fiction Area



AED located at the bottom back stairwell.



Elevator &
Rolling chair with
basket



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