

# Welcome to OverDrive's Session!



Before we get started, please take a moment to complete our survey:

<https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/6320197/2021-ISTE-10>

One lucky attendee will be selected to win a Samsung Galaxy Tablet at the end of our session!

# Our use of digital books before and since COVID -19

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## **Audience Poll:**

*What is your primary role?*

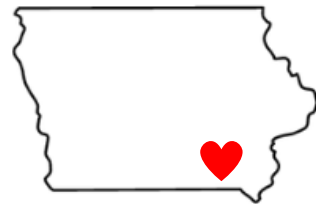
**A**-Librarian/LMS

**B**-Technology Staff

**C**-Administration

**D**- Other

# Ottumwa CSD and Library Team



Ottumwa CSD - Biggest school in SE Iowa, 1300 Plus Students

\$89 Mil Budget

45.9% Free and Reduced Lunch,

3.5% student increase over last 4 years (4,782 students)

Ottumwa is 80% white, but our student population is 60% white

Rest of Demographics are... Hispanic, Black, Pacific Islander.

**2020- 2021 - 25% Remote Learners**

Sam Garchik

16 Years of Teaching Experience, 13 Years of Library Experience, 9 Years at Ottumwa CSD

Stacy Moran, Joni Nicholson, and Terri Oldham - 10 Plus years each with the same district.

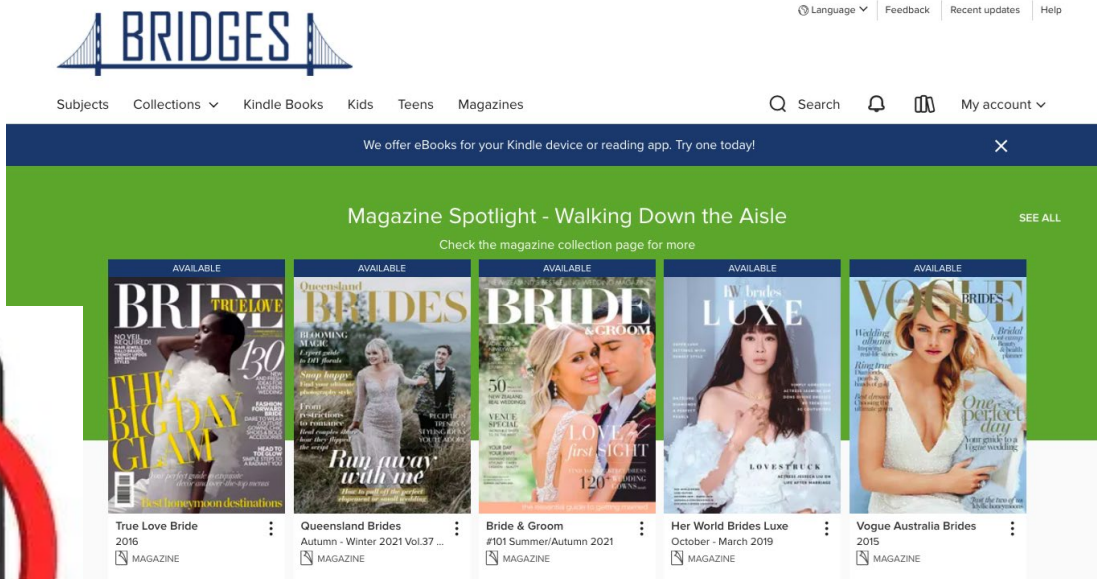
Admin remains supportive of Ebooks and literacy, even if they aren't ebook readers



# History with OverDrive



# OverDrive®



# Three C's

**COST** - 21.6% in 2014, down to 11% of HS Library Budget in 2021

## CONTENT LEVELS

### Add new user

User ID

User status  Access level

Branch code

Expiration date (optional)

Access level

- Adult
- Juvenile
- Young adult

CUSTOM DATA (OPTIONAL)

| Label | Value | Actions                           |
|-------|-------|-----------------------------------|
|       |       | <a href="#">+ Add custom data</a> |

Cancel [Add](#)

## CATALOG

Search

Expert Combo Media

Home Search Visual List Links

Search Results - 1148 for Material Type equals Overdrive Materials

Sort By: [Relevance](#) | [Title](#) | [Author](#) | [Copyright](#) | [Call Number](#)

Search Options

Search Within

Advanced GO

Status

In (1148)

Material Type

Remove 'Overdrive Materials' From Filter

Age Group

Student (1147)  
Faculty (1)

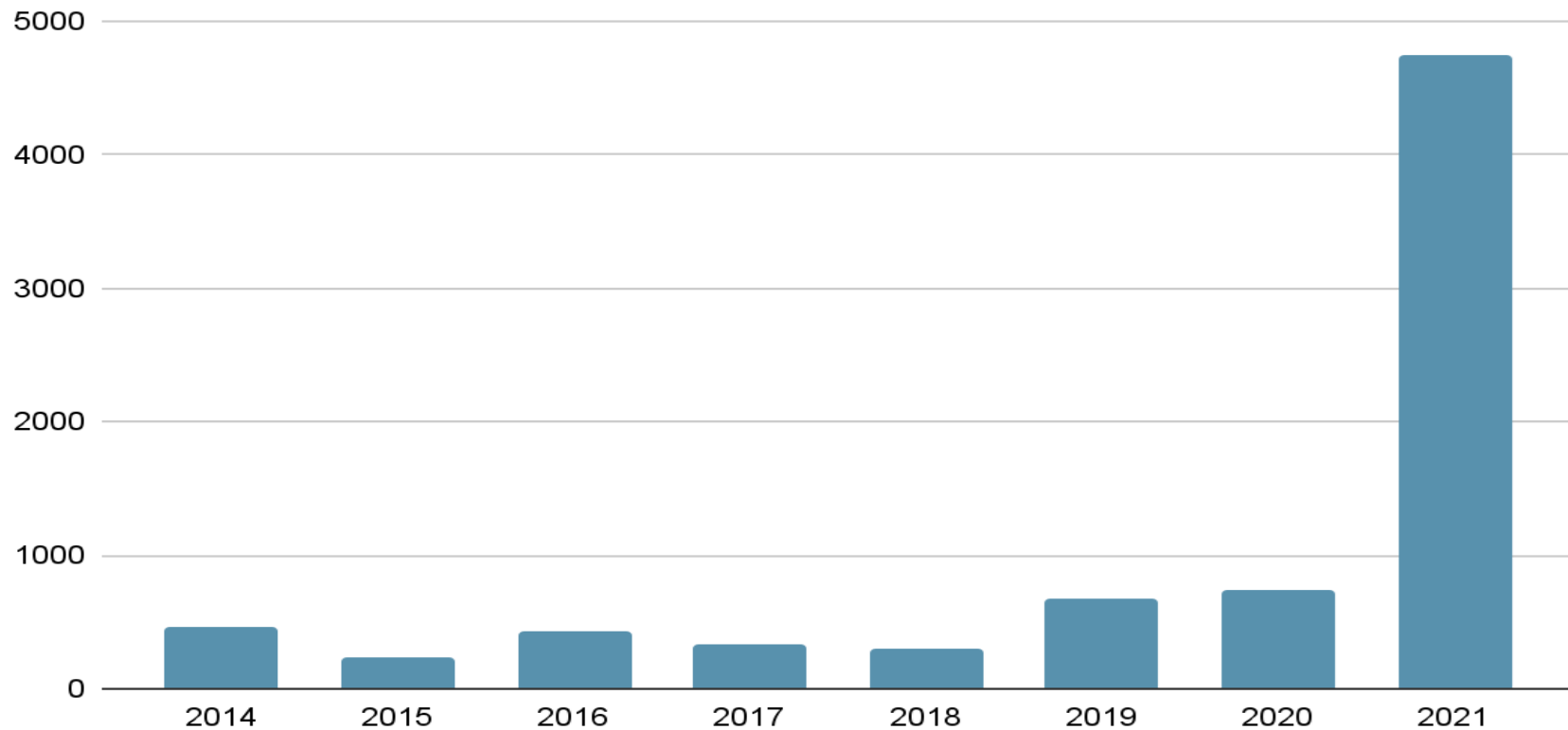
Browse

No Browse Items.

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**"Who could that be at this hour?" [electronic resource] : All the Wrong Questions Series, Book 1. / Lemony Snicket.**  
by Snicket, Lemony. - 2012. - Copies: 1 of 1 available  
All the Wrong Questions  
The adventure began in a fading town. Far from anyone he knew or trusted, a young Lemony Snicket started an apprenticeship for a secret organization shrouded in mystery and secrecy. He asked questions that shouldn't have been on his mind. Now he has written an account that should not be published that shouldn't be read. Not even by you. Seriously, we recommend that you do NOT ask your parents for this, the first book in his new ALL THE WRONG QUESTIONS series Lemony Snicket, in case you don't already know, grew up to be the author of A Series of Unfortunate Events series.  
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2. 100% : The story of a patriot.  
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# Circulation before and during Covid



# Updated interface, Updated Users

Ottumwa Community School District  
Digital Library

Please sign in  
Library card number  
  
[sign out](#)

Ottumwa Community School District  
Digital Library

[account](#) [help](#)  [advanced search](#)

COLLECTIONS


SUBJECTS

LEVELS

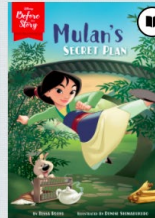
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Search for a book

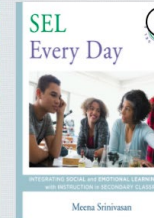
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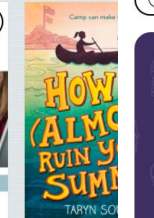
Who Feels Happy, Dear Dragon?  
Margaret Hillert



Mulan's Secret Plan  
Disney Book Group



SEL Every Day  
Meena Srinivasan



How (ALMOST) RUIN YOUR SUMMER  
Taryn Souders

Explore  
Ottumwa Community School District









Preferences

Collections

Sora Sweet Reads

Stories so great, you'll want seconds! Always available ebooks and audiobooks from May 5 - August 20.

All 38 books





# Current & Projected use

- Expanded 10<sup>th</sup> grade reading program
- Worked to select reading lists for particular classes
- Cut lending periods in elementary, as 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> graders got iPads and requests skyrocketed





# Title Assignments Overview

|                            | Grade | Date of Rental | #   | Item Cost | Total Cost |
|----------------------------|-------|----------------|-----|-----------|------------|
| Touching Spirit Bear Audio | 8th   | Mar 2021       | 11  | \$17.00   | \$187.00   |
| Touching Spirit Bear       | 8th   | Mar 2021       | 124 | \$1.17    | \$145.08   |
| To Kill a Mockingbird      | 9th   | Jan 2021       | 82  | \$1.17    | \$95.94    |
| 1984                       | 11th  | Jan 2021       | 93  | \$7.00    | \$651.00   |
| Harrison Bergeron          | 11th  | Jan 2021       | 93  | \$5.50    | \$511.50   |

They liked this so much, 11th grade went with reading circles in April..

|                               |    |        |          |
|-------------------------------|----|--------|----------|
| The House on Mango Street     | 47 | \$5.50 | \$258.50 |
| Curious Incident of the Dog.. | 45 | \$5.50 | \$247.50 |
| The Hate U give               | 96 | \$1.17 | \$112.32 |

# Questions?



**Sam Garchik**

High School Librarian

Ottumwa CSD

And the winner  
is....