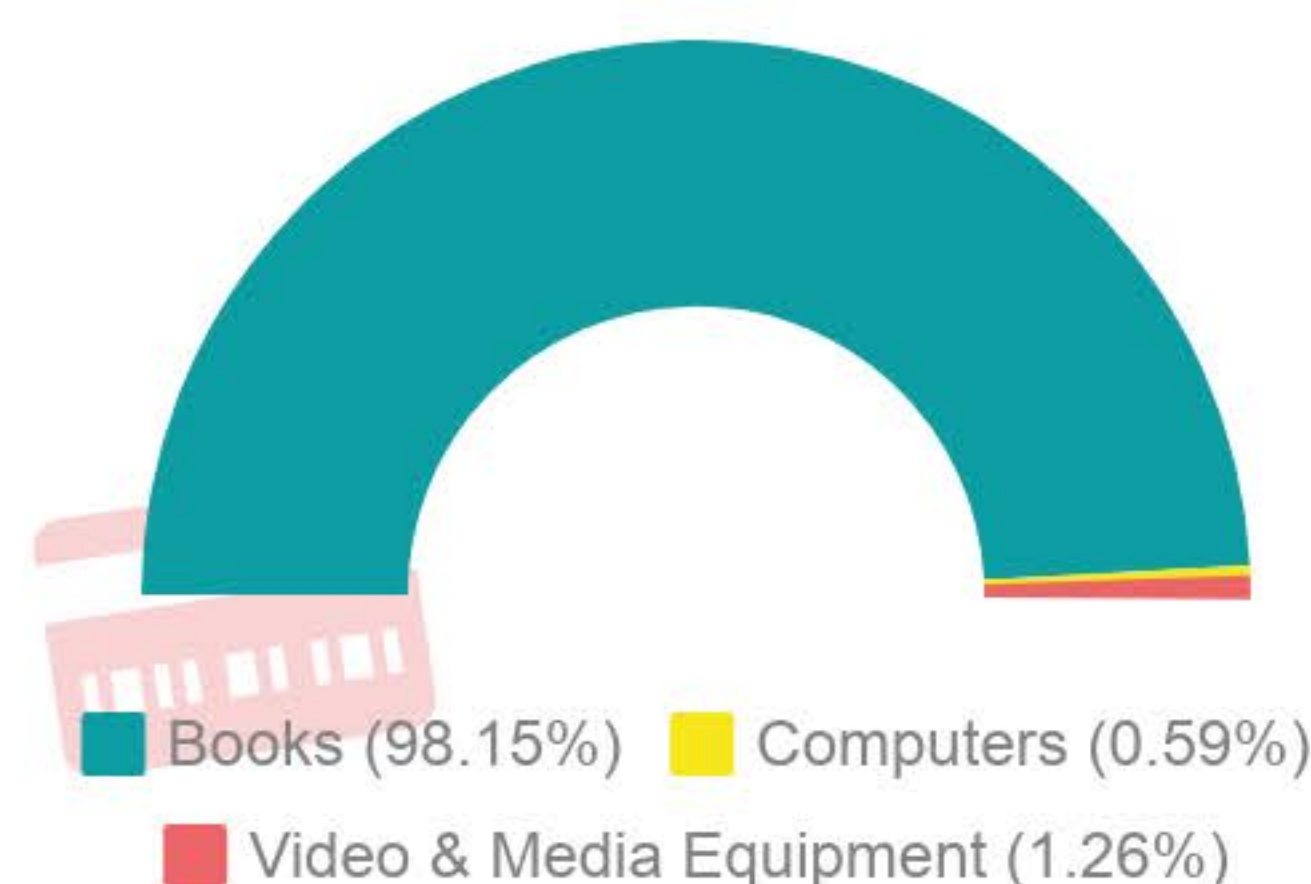


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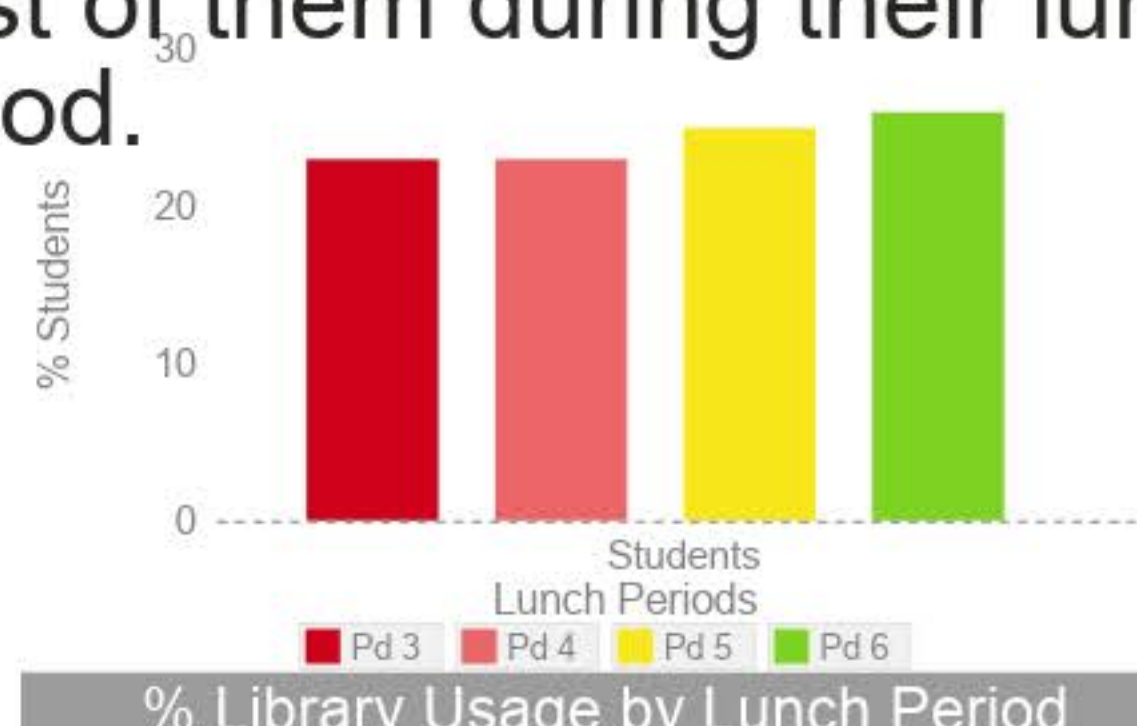
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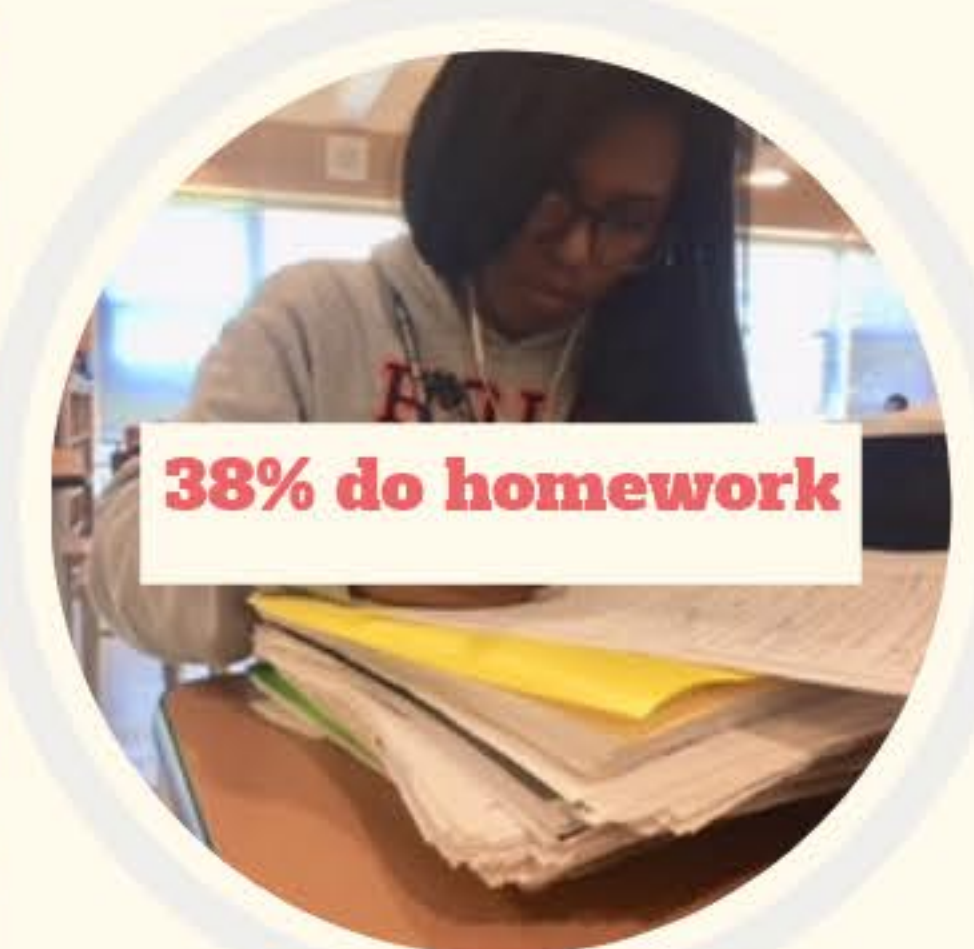


Lunch Periods

Students scanned into the Poly Library 22,316 times this year, most of them during their lunch period.



7,542 BOOKS



38% do homework

CIRCULATION by GRADE

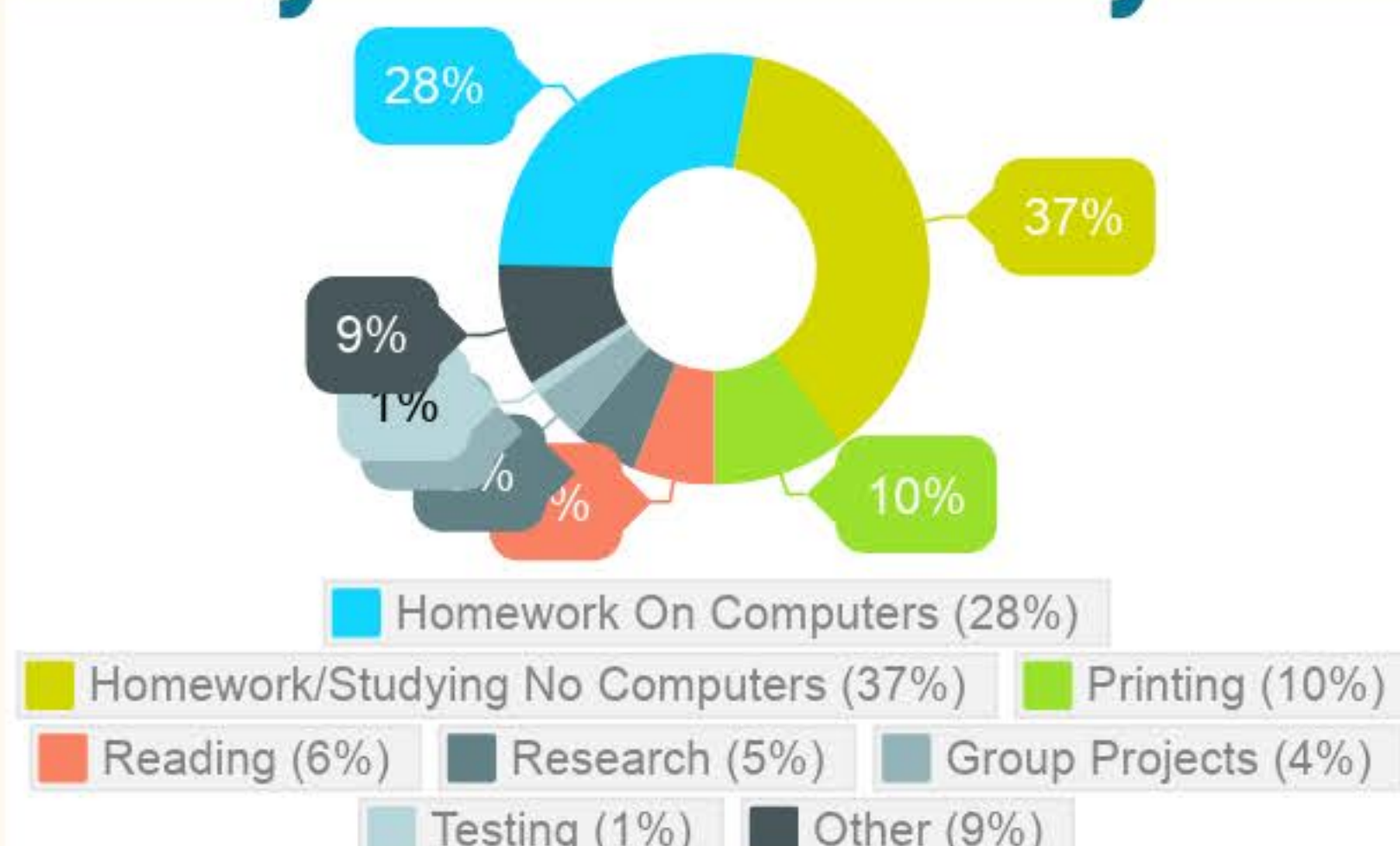
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freshmen

Historically, book circulation at Poly declines as students age; students report "not having enough time to read for pleasure" as they get older and academic workload increases.

special library programs

- Baltimore Uprising Archive & Oral History project
- Coping Power in the City
- First Annual Poly ComiCon
- Mindful Mondays
- Saul Zaentz High School Film Festival
- Therapeutic Book Group
- UMBC Writing Tutors

Why Use the Library?



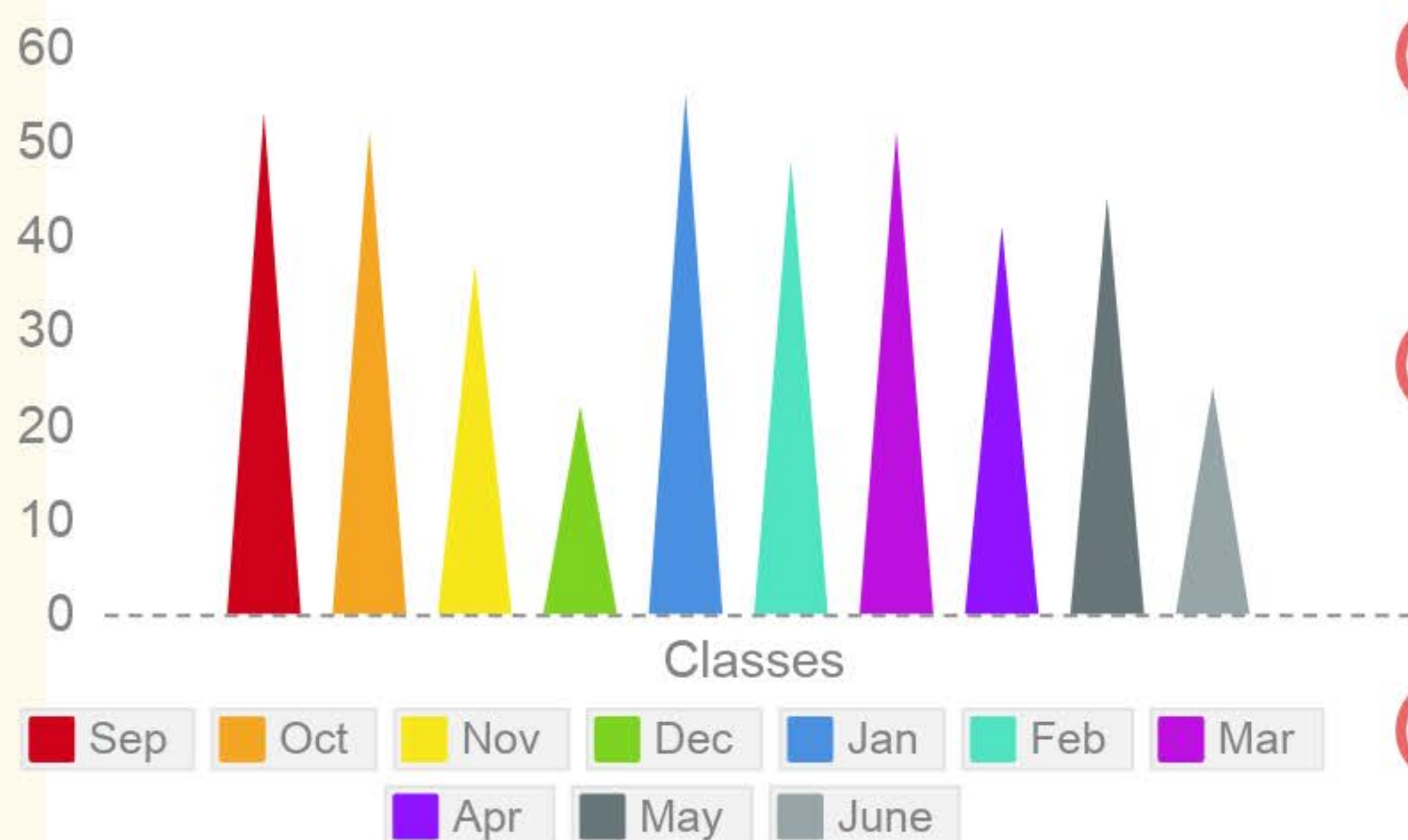
Drop-In Usage by Purpose



"...the library has become my home away from home... the only place that offered me respite"

- Tori Legaspe, Class of '19

Academic Classes in the Library



Classes by Month: Sep to June

✓ 426 classes

✓ 62% fixed schedule;
38% flexible schedule

✓ 93% English Language Arts (ELA) classes



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