

Maddie B. } 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Mrs. Chvatal

I think that the library was very different. There might not have been computers or as many autobooks. When you went to check-out, you would have to write it on paper. They also might not have electricity and they have to rely on candles. They might not have had air conditioning or heating. They might have only had black and white pictures. The books could have been very fragile. The books might have been about nursery rhymes or old fashion stories. There would have been a lot of dust, and the floor would be very creaky. This is what I think the library would have been like 100 years ago.

Connors  
6th

There were probably a lot less books and you'd have to write on something in the book instead of scanning it. The library may have been smaller, hotter, and stuffier since there was no air conditioning. Most of the books might have not had pictures. Since there wasn't an efficient way of watching TV, there were no movies.

christian 6th

It was probably like candles  
everywhere and a fire place. The  
books hand written. There was very  
little books. Their was probly wood  
flores

Pepton 15 p 6<sup>th</sup>

It was very dusty. It would be very grey and not have that much color. It would be cold.

Oakley

L.

6<sup>th</sup> grade

I think it was ~~dark~~ in  
there. There was probably  
pictures of Walter White.  
Some tablets were most likely  
to be read. Dutch Van der Linde  
probably came there a lot.

Koze, Z. (pen name) 6th grade

I think 100 years ago in the library they had a lot of candles. The candles probably burned all the books so they had to buy more. I also think they lost the key and locked themselves in. I think the horses ate the keys to the library. I also think there were ghost in the library who ate the books.

Lydia 6th grade

Billy Bob went to the Wahoo Library. He saw all the books that were sewn together. Wow. He thought about how all the books took so long to make. Then again cave ~~men~~ took hours to carve them on walls, and it was hard to write each by hand in the middle ages. Billy Bob thought how lucky they are to have the metal letters that they cover in ink. It made it easier to print out copies. They also have older technology. Gee "Billy Bob" thought can it get better than this. Hmmm

Maria G.

6<sup>th</sup> grade

Bobby couldn't believe his eyes. The library was finally open! He shoved open the door, which promptly fell over startling the old cat in the corner. Although the library was brand new it looked like it was already 100 years old. His mom, Cleanne, had sent him into town to get a cookbook. Unfortunately he had no idea where they were. He walked up to the front desk where the librarian was sitting.

"Where's a cookbook lady!" The librarian jumped and looked down at him, her round glasses slipped down her nose.

"Can I help you?" She asked, she leaned forward looking him straight in the eye.

"Yeah! Gimme a cookbook!" Bobby yelled. An old woman in the back looked up, irritated. The librarian pulled out a book from behind the counter and handed it to him. He stared at the leather-bound book in his hands.

"Thanks." He said, "and next time, get it faster." Bobby ran through the door and sprinted all the way home. When he got there he opened the book. Then the book started glowing neon green.

When his mom opened the front door all she saw was a book laying in the dirt.



I Sabelle T.

6<sup>th</sup> grade Chauvat

I think 100 years ago the library would be lit by candles. The books would be really boring. The librarian was really old, she wore small glasses and read all the time. That is what would be like 100 years ago.

Mae M  
Grade 6

# Library 100 years ago

I think the library 100 year ago was very dark. Some of the books would be very boring. There would be ghosts there by now. Most of the book would be about the Oregon trail and wheel drama. The library would not have seating because why not.



Sawyer M. 1960

I think it was western I don't  
think west built yet, not be a node. People  
in houses. Sometimes may be a station.  
No one knows well maybe a stable.

Virginia  
OK

100 years ago was 1923 so I think the Library would have candles and it wouldn't be so bright. The books might be a little dusty and not so clean. The library would be small so they would not have so many books. The library would not fit so many people in it. There would be not so many desks so not so many people would be able to sit in the library.

Noah 0

6 gndp

The library would probably look like a very old building with every thing is made no carpets no cushions and probably broken chairs. Their probably would only be 1 very small window. The ceiling would probably be made out of wood, it probably would be a lot more smaller than what it is now. The floor would probably have no carpet and be made out of very hard wood. Their would be no computer at the desk were the librarian sits.

Brooklyn W 6th grade

I think the libraries were small and darker during the evening and early mornings even without candles. I think they were fairly clean and all of the books were neat and had a specific place. I think in some libraries there were fire places and they used them during the winter. During the summer and warmer times they would keep the door open.

Teddy M.  
6<sup>th</sup> grade

There were no computers and books were very small. Not a lot of books because it was hard to make ink. The floors would be wooden and there would only be wooden benches. It would probably be more popular because there were no video games, VR headsets, and no phones.



Monte Lias F.  
6<sup>th</sup> grade

There were no computers and not a lot of books. There probably were wooden benches there. It was probably more popular back then. They probably used hardly any light bulbs and a lot of candles.

Julia.O 6<sup>th</sup> Grade

I think the Library would be very dark and dusty. And the books would not be very good compared to now. And there could have been no A/C. And in the summer it would have been very hot. In the winter it would have been very cold.

Anna H  
6th Grade

Richard was a wealthy man. He was currently walking to his local library because his automobile was out of gasoline. He almost was ashamed to be in the presence of these poor peasants on the street. Once he had gotten to the library, he looked around. It was fairly small but well cleaned, as it was for the rich like him of course. He greeted the librarian with a simple wave as he turned away towards the books. The bookshelves were barely full, since creating the stories took up quite a fortune. He looked around for a bit skimming over the leather covers until he selected one and pulled it off the shelf. He had to crouch to read the title clearly after he grabbed it. Richard was a tall man after all. The book was titled 'Snow White.' His daughter, Elenor, loved the german tale, he had to get it for her bedtime story for that night, and the night after that, and the night after that, and so on and so forth until she says she wants to hear the fairytale "Sleeping Beauty" instead. He walked over to the middle aged librarian and set the book down on the desk she was seated at and said, "Just this please." She smiled and wrote down the books name and the current date on a lined sheet of paper. Then the woman handed back the tale to Richard. He thanked her and proceeded out the door while hearing, "Have a nice day Richard!" The librarian didn't talk much, but she knows everybody. Richard waved and walked onto the side walk to start his way back home.

Will.S  
6th grade

I feel like it was very boring. Also the books were probably very long. It was very dark because they had no writing. Also the floors were probably wooden.

Liam B. Sixth grade

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It was probably a little less advanced than those of 2023. There were likely no computers they were lit by candles. They would have not had many customers do to the Great Depression. But there would have been a bit of color

## 100 years ago library

Once upon a time there was a girl who was named Chloe. She lived in the town of Charlotte, North Carolina. One day she went to her town's library. She arrived, and then she realized that it was closed. And there was a sign that said the library was closed for the next 3 months. And it was closed because there were magnets in the walls and termites also. So she waited and waited and it was the day it opened back up. She ran and ran until they didn't get all of them out so it was closed for another 2 months.

She came home crying, but then 2 weeks later her mom took her to the other library in Mint Hill, North Carolina, and she got her book and she lived happily ever after.

Kayla J 6<sup>th</sup> grade

I think there was no light in the library. I also think they were dusty and full of spider webs and really small. I think that there were no computers to check books out. I think that the books had no color and they were really bland.

## 100 years ago library

I think the library was very dark and quiet. They was not very many books with pictures in color. The people there would not talk. The loved the booke and reading after school. It was small with not many books.



11a B. 6<sup>th</sup> grade

I think the library would have been very tiny and dark. They wouldn't have many lights and the books would be very dusty and probably very fragile. They also maybe not as much money to rent or buy one. The A/E now would be very nice and not too hot or cold.

Jesse C.  
6th grade

Lottie walks into the library. She is very shy faced it was a small room that was very dark. She expected something great because it was only for the rich. She was not but she got special permission. She started to look at the books they were very clever, made and hand written. This caused her to not be able to read from the books of authors with bad handwriting. She decides to leave after it got too cold because there were no fire place. She does not know why people think this place is so fancy.

Meese Z. 6th Grade

I think the library was hot in the summer, and cold in the winter. It was probably a small space, and not a lot of books. The book covers probably not colorful. They probably didn't have pictures. They had wood floors. They maybe didn't even have windows. They also didn't have bathrooms in the building. It had an old wooden desk with a librarian. Some of the people in the library might not of known how to read. They didn't have library cards to scan to check out books. They didn't have computers to search up books. And the last part is they didn't have lighting to light up the place.

Ashlyn B. 6<sup>th</sup>

I think 100 years ago, it would have been maybe a little dusty and small. It may have been full of chapter books that were like Humpty Dumpty and fairy tales. They probably didn't have pictures and maybe wrote a little thinner. I think the librarian would be like Stooosh everyone.

Emmery B

6<sup>th</sup> grade

The Library 100 years ago

The library 100 years ago. Was not brite and fun like no because 100 years ago there was prody was beirks with only black white and gray. And the lidarian had glasses and a sun. And when people talked the lidoren would say. Sh sh sh. And the books would be boring and there will be no good books.

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Olivia S<sub>(LMS)</sub>

I think it was very small & no air conditioning. I think it was very dusty and 4 tiny lightbulb and the books were probably crusty & bad quality, and lastly I think there was not that much ink.

Lauren S. 6th

Think it was dusty and had no lights.  
And wrote with Ink pens. It probably had  
No pictures in the books. I was probably really  
small.

6th Jakob C.

It was probably no a/c and there were not that many books. And there were probably no color on the book they were probably black and white colors and how the books are colorful. There were probably no chair in the library.



April 7 6th

It was probably was dusty. Very short books. They make only had candles. The Library was small.

Trabel

5<sup>th</sup>

Maybe when you open the  
salon doors you go to the old Library  
There would be piles of books with cobwebs  
no piles of colorful books or bright  
posters. Maybe there was only adult books  
and no kid books. That's what I  
think the library was one hundred  
years ago

Audrey H  
5th Grade

quiet

I think it would be dusty and cold.

I think there would be old books with leather covers. I think it would dark and dull. There would be hard floor and no computers it would also be quiet. And have no kids books. It wouldnt be colorfull.

Daniel | 5<sup>th</sup> grade

What I would think the library would look like 100 yrs ago it would probably have bad floors and old books and leather covers, not like color full covers or books. And would have not as good lighting as today's.

Malkenna S  
5<sup>th</sup> grade

I think 100 years ago it would be really scruffy and spiderwebs, not that many books, no computers, leathered books. There was not any air conditioning in there. I also think it would look old fashion looking. They couldn't check out books and there wouldn't be that many lights.

Kash A.

5<sup>th</sup> Grade

The Library probably had not have had very much books. The floors were not carpet they were wood. They didn't have as colorful books. It was probably hard to read because there didn't have very good light lights.

Brooks G. 5th Grade.

100 years ago I think there would be no computers and just wooden floors. I think there was probably no color on the books or maybe just leather covers. They probably didn't have air conditioning or all the characters that we have nowadays. They could've had worse lighting or not have been able to check out books. It really is hard to imagine what the library would look like 100 years ago.

Leo Sladky 5<sup>th</sup> grade

I would imagine a 100 year old library with no carpets maybe old books with leather covers. No air conditioning no computers. The lights would probably would have been yellow with candles.



Shay P. 5<sup>th</sup>

I think that the library looked very old and that the books were leather. I also think that there was no air conditioning. Also maybe they had no lights more like candles and lanterns. Also they probably used leather and ink instead of pens.

Regina H. 5<sup>th</sup>

I think 100 years ago the library was full of cobwebs and all the books had leather covers and old crusty pages. And under a pile of books, lived an old, scary, mean librarian and her pet book worm, Harvey, who had ragged old stripes and crooked rotten teeth. The librarian yells at people who don't return their books or people who are loud in the library. As for her pet, he screams out at people for not returning a book or for messing around. Harvey would also be in charge of keep all the books inside and if you steal a book he will track you down and shake you until you tell him where the book is. And the librarian name is Tally, because she's always so mean. After stealing a few hundred books, they finally got arrested and spent their whole lives in prison... or did they?

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Aria B. - 5th grade

You'd walk in and it would be the coolest place in town. Old people would be there reading magazines about sports. People would be hanging around being way too loud

A very long piece of paper would hold all of the due dates, and checkouts. The library would be a block away from your house. The floor would creak everytime you seek for the perfect book. Books with plain covers but when you read it really can be magical.

Izzie #15

5B

100 years ago there was no computer, no tech was invented yet. This library was made of love and wood. Then, as time past it grew till this vary day. I love this library, I hope others do as well.

Aiden F 59rd

It was made of wood.  
Probably not a lot of posts.  
Maybe no floor boards.  
Definitely not cool. It looked  
like a cabin

Nathan G  
5 grade

It looked like a finely made library. I had boring books. The librarians would be nice. It would have cobwebs and it would be cold or hot.

Ben S 5th grade

There would be only leather covered books and no computers. There would be no air conditioning at all. The way you would check out a book with a sheet of paper. the books would be books like the wizard of oz. There would be a fire place to heat the building instead of AC.

Avery S. - 5th gr.

I don't think they had computers. I don't think they had very many books. They didn't have a very big building. And they didn't have very many librarians.



Logan B 5<sup>th</sup> grade

I think that all of the books were dull colors. There was no air conditioning and it was really dusty. To check out books they had to write down their name on paper. Since there were no computers. It was really dark at night.

Adeline A. 5<sup>th</sup> grade

I think the library was old fashion. And there was no computers and old books. It probably did not have wood floors and had carpet. There was probably not colorful books and just black and white books.

Ryan

5<sup>th</sup>

100 years ago the library probably be very small. It probably only had 1 librarian. I would probably have have wood floor

Reiland H. 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

You walk in and see cowwebs everywhere! The books are covered in leather cover and barely any kids books. There would be heat, from a fire, but no AC. There would be saloon doors that swing an they'd be old fashioned and wood floors.

Peyton H. 5th Grade

I think that 100 years ago the library looked like a saloon and had the classic doors you would see in a saloon that was in the movies. They probably had very few books. The library probably had barely any space. There might have been cowboys sitting at tables and reading the wizard of oz.

Jessy 5

what I think the library was like  
100 years ago, It was old looking  
and dusty with old wood floors and  
not many books. They probably couldn't  
take it home, There wasn't any  
lighting, The librarians old looking  
white scary looking and they  
would look like the librarians lived  
in the 1800.

Grant J. 5<sup>th</sup>

I think in 1923 the library would've been different. There would've been no computers or air conditioning. There would've been light bulbs 'cause Thomas Edison would probably have been around. There probably was old saloon doors, And you would've had to read it in the library.

William 5<sup>th</sup>

you'd never believe how goffy the library used to be. It was a cabin with creaky old book shelves. and ~~ever~~ sunday there would be a shot out. And out laws would steal money from the vault. And a big shankler hanging from the ceiling. And if someone needed to go to the bathroom there was this shed called the OUT HOUSE. but even though it was a made a long time ago it would still be the best place in town.



Parizer B. 5th grade

It would have brick walls and a wooden floor. On the inside it would have wooden shelves stacked with books. It would have an old-fashioned chandelier lighting the whole room. There would be no running water and AC. That is what it would be like here 100 years ago.

## McKinley Lierman

I think it would have a very small  
and a lot of books. It would have a  
lot of typewriters and a old cash  
register. It would have chairs and  
places to seat. It would be really  
old and creaky.

Aliza S 5th gr.

I think it would be a very dust nasty place. It would have no bathroom. Spider webs and shabby book shelves.

Probably no good lighting or good books. The books would be disorganized. It be stinky.

There would no computers. The library would be a place to fall in love with someone.

Kylee.R 5th gr.

What I think what a library would look like 100 years ago, instead of it be calling it a library it would be called a Book Read Fun Fun House. There would be fancy people at the Book Read Fun Fun House and every dude had spectacles. The Girls would wear flower dresses that are really long and have big pink glasses. The librarian would be called the evil librarian. There would be ghost going like ooooooahhh. The stairs and floor would creak.

Sebastian C 5<sup>th</sup>

I think it would be old and it would be all bricks. The librarian would be a very scary lady that nobody wants to talk to. She would be 93 and have very thick glasses. All of the books would be nonfiction.

Sackson G 5 grade

It would probably be scary, and everything would be shadowy, like on the wall. It would be like a small cabin, not that much light unless you have some windows shadowy sets.

Elijah W 5<sup>th</sup> grade

I think 100 years ago the library had a wood floor. It was a brick building with no electricity. There was no bathroom. They had to write on a paper what you checked out. There were no computers. That is what I think the library looked like 100 years ago.

Eryn M. 5th gr.

It did not have AC. There was not that much books. They had wood floors The floors would creak The lighting would be yellow. It would be scary at night. They did not have toilets There will be rats



Avery W 5th grade

## The Library 100 years ago

There was no AC, no carpet, no computers, and yellow lights. It was probably really creepy at night. No toilet and probably not a lot of books or selves. Maybe rats running around and dust everywhere.

Baylie C.

5th grade

I think it looked very old and it had shaky book shelves that wobbled, and they had lamps. I think there was also no computers and they used stamps. And everyone read newspapers. I also think they had old people.

Jo S. 5th gr.

I think every time you stepped the floor would creek. They might not of had many books in the library. The shelves might of shook everytime you touched it. They might of used lanterns or candles. It also could of been broken down and they made it into a good library. They would've had to go somewhere to go to the bathroom. They would not of had computers to check out your book.

Gianna R. 5th gr.

# The Library 100 Years ago

Once upon a time about 100 years ago Jade and Timothy were walking home but Jade said, "lets go to the Library." When they walked in Jade said, "I want to read a fairy tale." So they went to the fairy tale section. Timothy said, "You should read Humpty Dumpty." It's a great story." So Jade grabbed the book that said Humpty Dumpty. She said, "I'm so excited to read it!" When they were walking to the door they heard the floor creak. Then they said "I wonder what it would be like in 100 years from now."

The End.

Kalisa A. 5<sup>th</sup> grade

I think 100 years ago the library was filled with tons of shelves, filled with books. I think the windows were huge, so they could let in as much natural light they can. I bet it smelled really nice, because they probably lit a ton of candles. I think the librarian would be as mean as a witch. I bet everyone had pocket watches in their pockets. I think they had a big ladder so you could reach all the books. That is what I think the library looked like 100 years ago.

Reese B.

5<sup>th</sup> Grade

It's June 13, 1923, I'm walking to the library. When I arrive, I'm greeted by the friendly face of the librarian, Susan. I walked around and there were brick walls with small cracks. It was a lot bigger than I imagined. There were millions of books! I checked out a thick book about horses. I can't wait to come back when I'm finished with the book!

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