



# Summer @ Your Library

## Explore, Learn, Read, Connect

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**801,000**

Signed up for a public library summer reading program

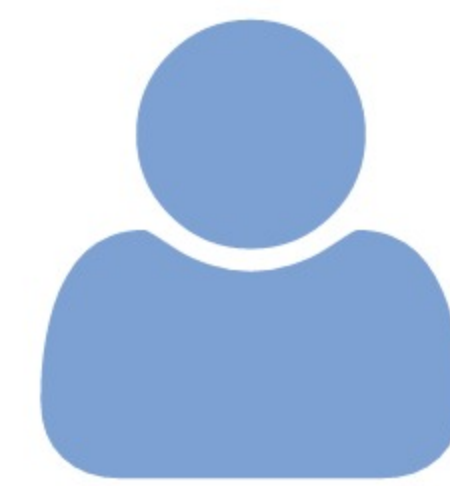


**1.5 million**

Attended summer reading events and activities



Thank you for offering this program. It's fun and it makes me want to read more during the summer.



- Summer reading program participant

Summer reading participation data was submitted by 169 of California's 184 public library jurisdictions.

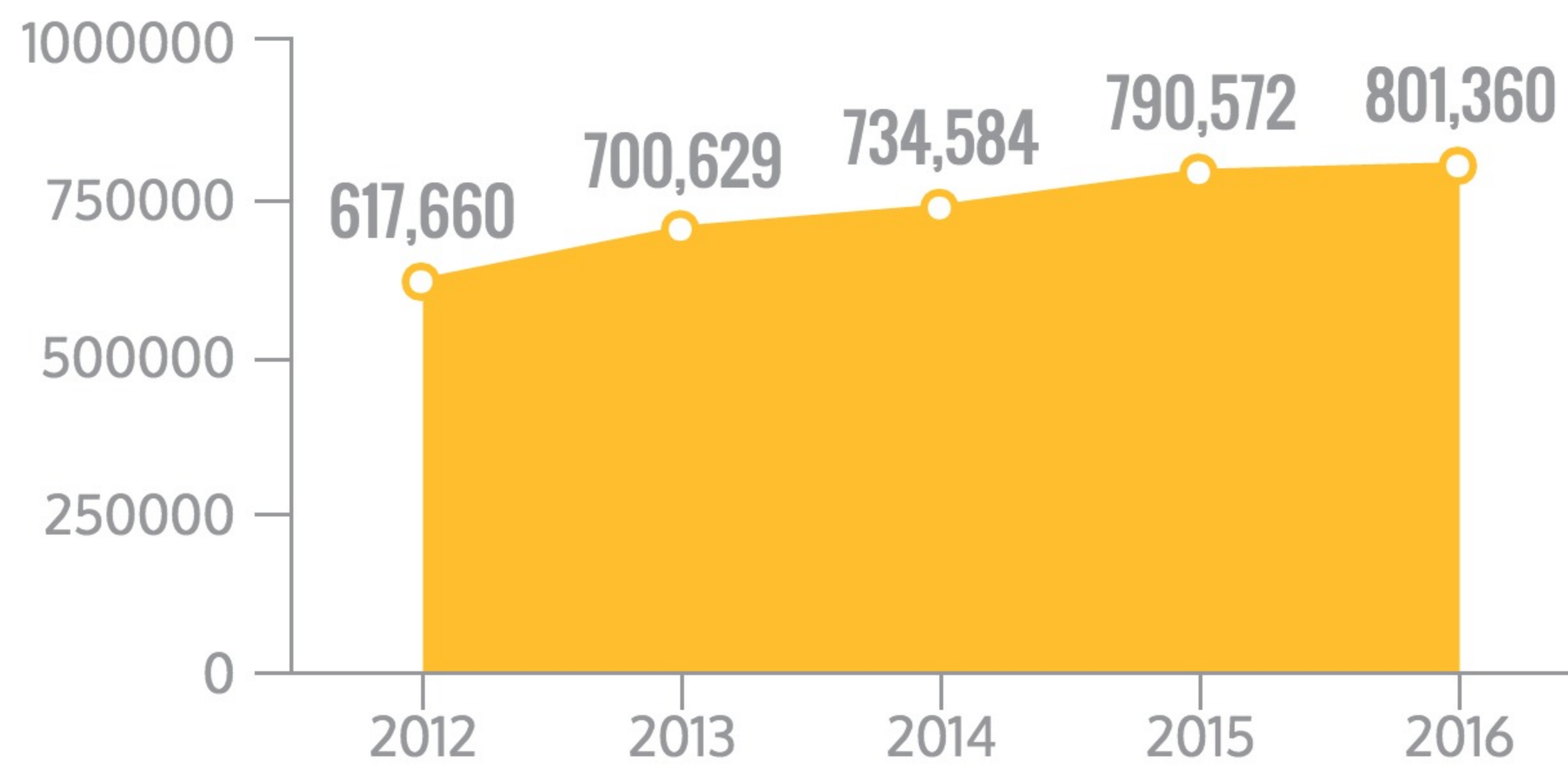


## Children who read, succeed!

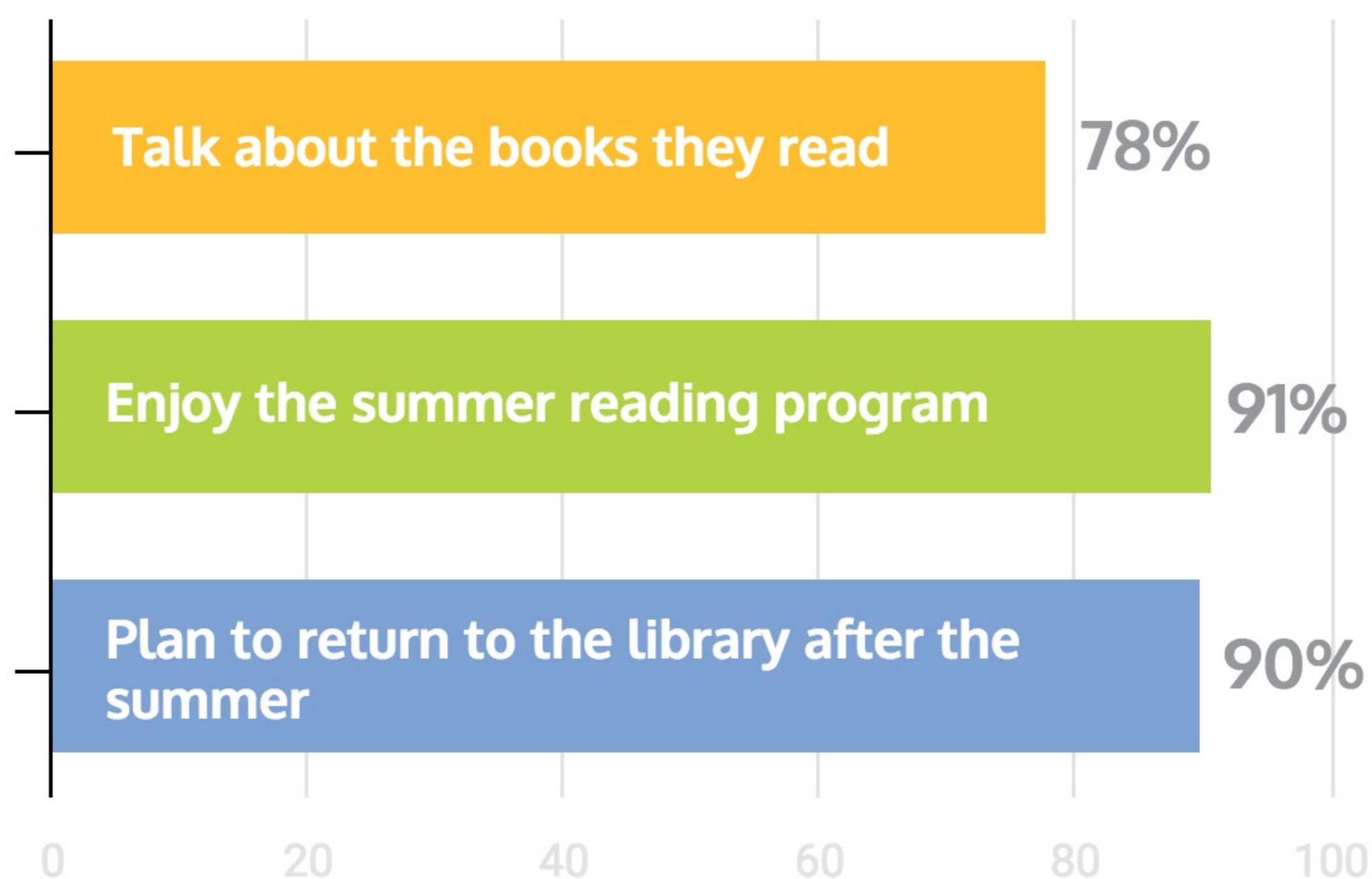
### California Summer Reading Sign Ups

**↑ 30%**

Increase in sign ups from 2012 to 2016

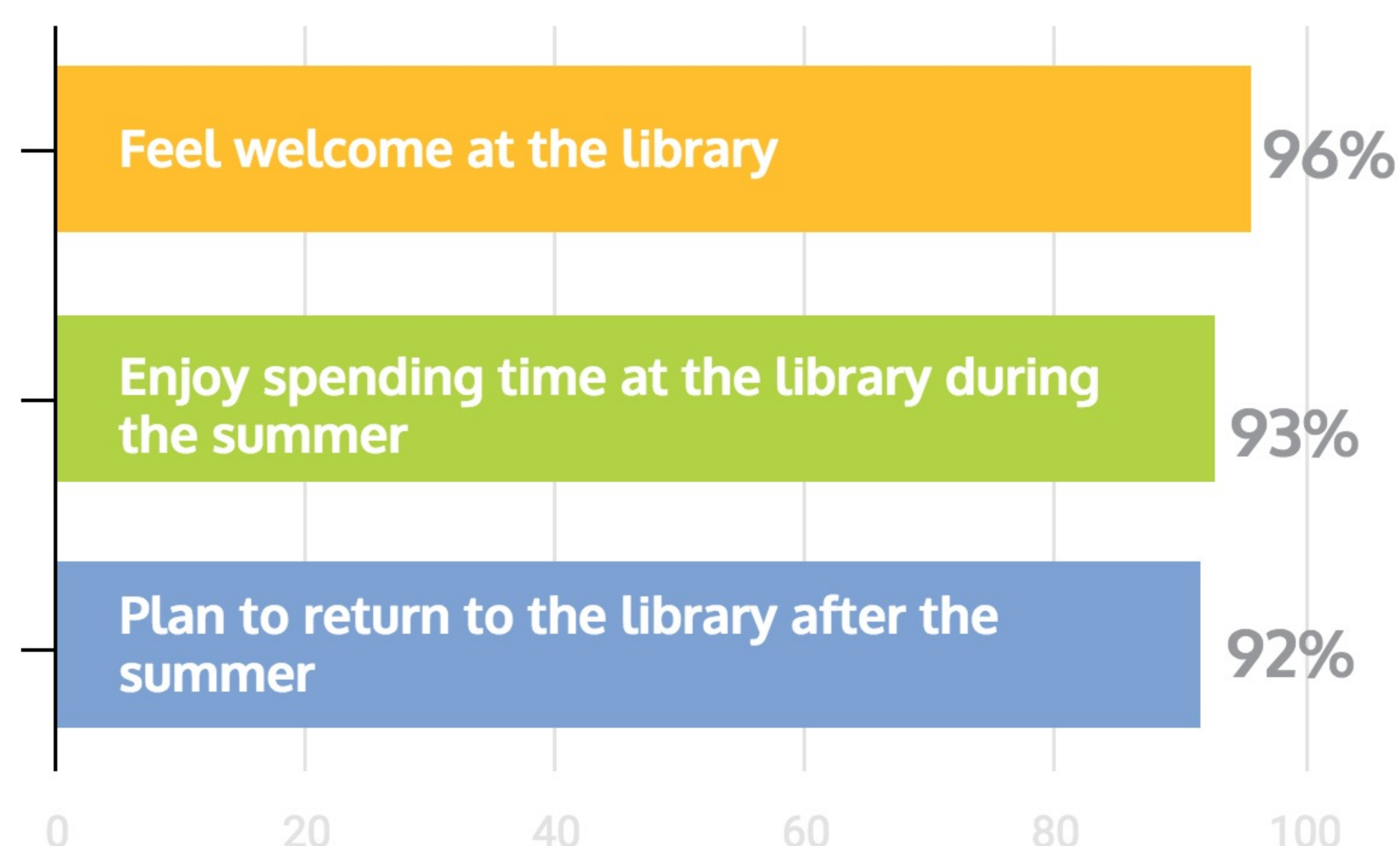


### Children who take part in Summer Reading...



10,918 children completed summer reading surveys in 28 public library jurisdictions.

### Teens and Adults who take part in Summer Reading...



3,445 teens and adults completed new summer reading surveys in 6 public library jurisdictions.