Vaughan Public Libraries’

COLOURING BOOK

[Image of a building and colored pencils]
Boasting an open and inviting ambience, Ansley Grove Library is a community branch conveniently attached to the Chancellor Community Centre. A must-see is the mural, “It’s Time for Fairy Tales” painted by artist Anna Muniak, in the Children’s area, which adds to the warm atmosphere.

By Ria
Planning for the Ansley Grove Library began in 1986, with the library opening to the public July 3, 1990. Its official opening ceremony was held on October 14, 1990.

The focal point of the building is the rotunda, or cupola, giving a feeling of light and airiness to the library.

By Giovanna
Open in 1994 as the City of Vaughan’s first resource library, the Bathurst Clark Resource Library is located right by the Promenade Mall. Noted as one of the quietest libraries on Yelp!, visitors can enjoy comfy seating, various study areas and diverse programming for all ages, including the Learn It! space where children’s programming and technology is emphasized. You can discover the world of virtual reality, build a computer or create a stop-motion movie!

By Lily
The library’s design features large windows to the north and south as well as study alcoves on the east and west.

As the first resource library in the City of Vaughan, Bathurst Clark Resource Library serves the immediate residential and commercial areas with resources and programs for all users.

By Lily
Inspired by rollercoasters and nominated for various architectural awards, this 36,000 square foot, innovative resource library offers a music recording studio with several instruments, a green room, a 3D printer as well as an extensive collection of diverse resources. Grab a book and enjoy the sunshine on the second-floor patio or in the reading garden.

By Denise
Opened in 2016, the Civic Centre Resource Library boasts several appealing design features, an interior courtyard/reading garden, a second-floor public meeting room with access to outdoor patio overlooking courtyard. The library itself has a large, open floor plan with distinct zones, such as a teen lounge and a children’s activity area. The whole space takes advantage of the floor-to-ceiling windows and has ample natural light.

By Denise
Inspired by the shape of a snowflake, the Dufferin Clark Library offers a bright and airy central atrium with four large solarium-style bay windows. This Vaughan Public Libraries’ branch is conveniently located inside the Dufferin Clark Community Centre.

By Tim
Before the Dufferin Clark Library opened on September 18, 1988, the area was served by a very busy one-room library in the Patricia Kemp Community Centre and only offered paperback fiction. Now customers visit Dufferin Clark Library to borrow materials of all varieties, in multiple languages. They also make use of the public access computers, sunny children’s area, and quiet study spaces.

By Janice
Nestled beside the McMichael Canadian Art Collection, the Kleinburg Library is a cozy, community branch open to all. While touring the local restaurant and shops, feel free to pop in and use the resources.

By Lily
Kleinburg Library opened to the public in 1966, and has seen many alterations and renovations over the years. It has an attractive split-level design with a large basement programming space. The library has floor-to-ceiling windows that let in lots of natural light, and boasts an outside reading garden.

By Denise
Children will love their very own space at the Maple Library, located within the Maple Community Centre. A children’s area, diverse programming and a collection of over 79,000 items are just a few of the offerings available at the library.

By Tim
The Maple Library opened to the public January 8, 1991. The library was designed to have a sense of spatial clarity and functional efficiency, the one floor building and generous use of outdoor light give it a spacious feeling, while the choice of materials and use of different forms at ceiling level help define the varying activities within the building.

By Tim
This is an award-winning library that does not disappoint with its popular teen lounge and Make It! Creative Lab with a 3D printer and Carvey® machine. Learn, create and enjoy diverse programming for all ages.

By Lily
Awards the library has won: 2006 Library Interior Design Award for Public Libraries over 30,000 square feet, by the American Library Association (ALA) and the International Interior Design Association (IIDA), and 2007 Award of Excellence from the Ontario Library Association’s (OLA) Library Building Awards.

By Sekoia
Adjacent to the North Thornhill Community Centre, Pleasant Ridge Library offers study rooms, a reading lounge, a children’s area with heated flooring, diverse programming and more for all ages. With an exterior reading garden and floor-to-ceiling windows throughout the building, you can read in the sunshine, no matter what season it is.

By Lily
The Pleasant Ridge Library opened to the public on December 20, 2014. It was designed to have many flexible features, such as movable shelving in the children's area and a movable door to create different study spaces, to best serve the diverse needs of the Thornhill Woods community. The library is also home to Tortellini the Turtle.

By Lily
At 8,300 square feet, the Vellore Village Library is a nature inspired building in a distinctive hourglass shape with an abundance of natural light. Features include: large outdoor balcony that overlooks skate park in the summer and skating rink in the winter.

By Irva
The library is fully accessible, interactive and inviting children’s area with heated floors, vibrant comfortable seating throughout the library, state-of-the-art technology including iPad and Notebook Kiosk, Self-Checkout and automated Book Return.

By Irva
Situated in historic downtown Woodbridge, next to the Market Lane Outdoor Shopping Concourse, Woodbridge Library is the definition of a cozy community library. Enjoy the area’s quaint atmosphere and drop by the library to pick up your favourite piece of literature.

By Sekoia
Woodbridge’s first public library was located on Pine Street back in the late 1880s. The current Woodbridge Library opened to the public October 1981, and was built to preserve the façade of the last municipal offices of the Village of Woodbridge.

By Sekoia
Vaughan Public Libraries’ staff shared their drawing talents by capturing the unique characteristics of each location, depicting various aspects of the architecture and internal features. We hope you enjoy colouring each and every page!

Visit Us Today!

**Ansley Grove Library**  
350 Ansley Grove Rd., Woodbridge L4L 5C9

**Bathurst Clark Resource Library**  
900 Clark Ave. W., Thornhill L4J 8C1

**Civic Centre Resource Library**  
2191 Major Mackenzie Dr., Vaughan L6A 4W2

**Dufferin Clark Library**  
1441 Clark Ave. W., Thornhill L4J 7R4

**Kleinburg Library**  
10341 Islington Ave. N., Kleinburg, L0J 1C0

**Maple Library**  
10190 Keele St., Maple L6A 1G3

**Pierre Berton Resource Library**  
4921 Rutherford Rd., Woodbridge L4L 1A6

**Pleasant Ridge Library**  
300 Pleasant Ridge Ave., Thornhill L4J 9B3

**Vellore Village Library**  
1 Villa Royale Ave, Woodbridge, L4H 2Z7

**Woodbridge Library**  
150 Woodbridge Ave., Woodbridge L4L 2S7