

Appendix 2

Category :	Description		
Area Library	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serve a population of over 5,000 within a 3 mile catchment or fifteen minutes of travel by public transport • The library is located in the main shopping area within the catchment • Opening hours - at least 20 hours to at least 40 hours in the larger centres • Floor area - at least 150m² for a library that serves a population of less than 20,000 and at least 300m² for a library that serves over 20,000 • At least 10,000 items of stock in a wide variety of formats, with between 10,000 and 15,000 items of stock in the larger libraries. • Link to e-government and e-learning and provision of specialist collections, e.g. - Local History, Health and Welfare, sets of books for Reading Groups, • At least 8 computers available to the public with at least 16 computers in the larger libraries • Free Wi-Fi service and space to use personal lap-tops and tablets • Self Service points • Activity space within the Children’s Section, or access to the appropriate space • Space, or access to a space, for holding Community and artistic events • Continuous consideration to co-locating with other similar services or partner 	<p>More than 20,000 annual visits</p> <p>More than 25,000 items borrowed annually</p> <p>More than 5,000 computer sessions</p> <p>Cost per head (library user) less than £2.00 on average</p>	<p>Bangor Caernarfon</p> <p>Porthmadog, Pwllheli</p> <p>Bala Barmouth Blaenau, Dolgellau, Tywyn</p>

<p>- Children and Young People</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Monthly visits. • One Children and Young People Mobile Vehicle (Lori Ni) for the whole authority • Every primary school will be visited by the mobile Vehicle for borrowing books and all secondary schools will be provided with the young people's information service. • Duration of visit in each school is based on pupil numbers 		
<p>Community Link / Access Point</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Serve a population between 1000 - 2000 people within a mile's walking distance • Provide a click and collect service with a partner and / or local Community • Self-service as the main element of the provision supported with a partner / local community and where this is feasible • Arrange alternative access to the service by the authority through monthly mobile service; service to the home; and the children's mobile Service • Computers with access to the internet available to the public through another agency, and supported by the authority 	<p>The following Standard as a basis for changing the current provision :-</p> <p>Less than 10,000 annual visits</p> <p>Less than 10,000 items borrowed annually</p> <p>Less than 1,000 computer sessions</p> <p>Cost per head (library user) more than £3.00 on average</p>	<p>Deiniolen , Llanberis</p> <p>Penrhyndeudraeth, Harlech</p>