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The Systems Department worked and updated certain aspects of the library.

1. The two robots have been at the library for 9 months cruising for books and guiding patrons to collection areas. LUCI and NIGEL are a vital part of the staff operations now. They provide information, service, and fun to the McKinney Library community.
2. Partnered with City IT to help with replacement and installation of new circulation computers.
3. The Programming, Communications, and Systems teams launched the Libcal platform after months of preparation for a successful transition from previous platforms (book scheduler, ticketleap, and calendar system).
4. The copier is the main printer for patron printing needs at JJGL. This has been approved for HALL. It will be implemented very soon. The copier effortlessly handles the higher volume and different formatting of prints from patrons. This allowed our current fax/scanner machine to be used without interruption.
5. The team reorganized the check-in area at HALL. The smart bin, check-in computers, and carts have shifted to allow more open space and easier return access for patrons in the lobby.