

Library Information and Technology Programs

The purpose of the Reardan-Edwall School District library information and technology programs is to support student mastery of the essential academic learning requirements and state standards in all subject areas. The programs will provide a broad, flexible array of services, resources and instruction.

The teacher-library, through the library information and technology programs, will collaborate as an instructional partner and informational specialist to help all students meet the content goals in all subject areas and to assist high school students in completing their culminating project and High School and Beyond Plans.

Additionally, the Teacher-Librarian's duties may include, but not limited to, integrating information and technology into curriculum and instruction; providing instruction to students and staff regarding use of emerging learning technology; providing instruction to students as to appropriate use of computers and mobile devices at school; helping teachers and staff access and use information ethically; instructing students in digital citizenship; promoting a culture of reading within the school community; and providing individual support and guidance for students.

The superintendent shall establish procedures for the selection of materials with the understanding that media literacy resources will consist of a balance of sources and perspectives. Citizens who wish to express a concern about specific material included in the collection may do so according to the procedures outlined in 2020P, with the understanding that the criteria and rationale for reconsideration of library resources differs from the criteria and rationale for reconsideration of classroom/curricular instructional materials.

Cross References:

Policy 2020, Course Design, Selection and Adoption of Instructional Materials

Procedure 2020P, Course Design, Selection and Adoption of Instructional Materials

Legal References:

RCW 28A.320.230, Instructional Materials – Instructional materials Committee

RCW 28A.320.240, School Library Media Programs – Stocking of libraries – Teacher – Librarians

WAC 392-204-005

009, 020, 025, 055, Library Media Centers

WAC 392-204-005, Purpose and authority

WAC 392-204-009, Definitions

WAC 392-204-020, School library media program

WAC 392-204-025, Services

WAC 392-204-055, Other sources

Management Resources:

2017 – July Issue

Policy News – December 2015 Issue

Policy News - April 2001 Issue

Policy News, October 2007 Elimination of Outdated and Obsolete Policies

Policy News, April 2005 State Board of Education Revises Library Media Rules

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