

BOARD OF TRUSTEES
HUMBOLDT COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

POLICY 6015
INSTRUCTION

SCHOOL LIBRARIES

The Humboldt County School District libraries are embedded in and support the academic learning environment at each school location. Additional supports are provided for the remote rural schools through a book rotation program. The library system supports the American Library Association's Bill of Rights which provides for the freedom to read, rights to parents, and confidentiality. While not all resources in the collection are appropriate for all learners, there are appropriate resources in the collection for all learners.

The library program policies and practices are designed to maintain intellectual freedom and ensure the right to learn in each school environment. The program focuses on the following:

- a. Teaching inquiry and connecting learners with independent reading experiences
- b. Nurturing creativity, communication, critical thinking, collaboration, and curiosity
- c. Promoting academic rigor through careful curation of information and learning resources
- d. Facilitating student achievement through support of personal and curricular learning objectives
- e. Enhancing the District's curricular and co-curricular programs.

The Humboldt County School District library program is governed by and adheres to a series of regulations in order to carry out its mission to serve the students in the District.

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