

AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S LIBRARY PROGRAM

MISSION STATEMENT

The school library program in the Avon Grove School District is an integral part of the total curriculum. School library media specialists implement programs to provide an active learning environment ensuring that each student has the opportunity to become an independent, effective, and responsible user of ideas and information.

PROGRAM GOALS

- Provide intellectual and physical access to information through a carefully selected and systematically organized collection of in-house and remote resources in print, audiovisual, and electronic formats that address the diverse interests, backgrounds, and varied ability levels of our students.
- Develop and implement a curriculum of information literacy skills that develop student competencies in selecting, retrieving, analyzing, evaluating, synthesizing, creating, and communicating information in various formats.
- Work collaboratively with teachers to provide relevant learning experiences that integrate information literacy skills with the classroom curriculum and help students achieve district and state academic standards.
- Provide leadership, collaboration, and assistance to teachers and others in the use of instructional and information technology for learning.
- Provide resources and learning experiences that stimulate the habit of reading and foster life-long learning.