

CHILD SAFETY POLICY

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The Library strives to provide an environment where children can find books and other materials and attend programs that interest them and support their education.

In order to ensure that young patrons enjoy the library safely:

- All young children should be accompanied by a parent or responsible adult at all times.
- Parents, or accompanying adults, are responsible for the safety and behavior of their children. Library staff cannot assume responsibility for caring for unattended children in the library.
- Adults without children are welcome in the Children's Room for brief periods of time to retrieve children's materials.

If a parent or caregiver cannot be located at any time, Library staff will notify the local law enforcement agency or the fire department.

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