LIBRARY MEDIA CENTERS

The Bainbridge Island School district library/media centers will be used to support and extend the classroom program of instruction. Each center will provide learning resources to support the school curriculum and meet the unique needs of students.

Each district library/media center will be appropriately staffed to assist teachers and students in the use of the collection, as well as in the completion of teacher and/or student assignments. The Teacher-Librarian and the library media staff will assist students and teachers in securing a variety of resources which support student mastery of the Common Core State Standards and the implementation of the district's and/or school's improvement plan. Additionally, the Teacher-Librarian, through the school library media program, will collaborate as an instructional partner and information specialist to help all students meet content goals in all subject areas, and will also provide information and technology literacy instruction. Librarians will assist students in completing state mandated assessments and high school seniors completing the state mandate culminating project.

The superintendent will establish procedures for the selection of materials. Citizens who wish to express a concern about specific material included in the collection may do so according to the procedures outlined in Procedure 2021P, 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 Reference: Board Policy 2020 Curriculum Selection Policy and Procedure

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