



# Monticello Community School District

## Monticello Schools K-12 Library Plan

**2012 - 2015**

### District Vision

**Providing rigorous, authentic, personalized learning utilizing the local and global communities**

### Mission

The mission of the Monticello Community Schools, a district striving for educational excellence, is to prepare students through challenging experiences, to be caring, productive, creative citizens who will be life-long learners

### Core Values

Effective Instruction  
Technology & 21<sup>st</sup> Century Learning  
Collaborative Relationships

### Broad District Goals

- Increase student achievement in reading, math and science
- Produce students that will exhibit respect for self, others, living things and property
- Produce students that will exhibit competency in essential knowledge and skills matching his or her ability
- Produce students that exhibit civic, global and environmental responsibility
- Produce students that exhibit technological skills

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## **Monticello Community School District School Library Program**

### **Mission**

The Mission of the Monticello School Libraries is to implement, enrich, and support the educational programming of the district. Materials must support the curriculum with the intent of supporting the district's student learning goals and long range goals, which encompass individual, educational, emotional and recreational needs of students, faculty and staff. It is the obligation of the school library media centers to provide a wide range of materials on all levels of difficulty, with diversity of appeal and the presentation of different points of view. To this end, principle must be placed above personal opinion and reason above prejudice in selecting resources of the highest quality and appropriateness.

### **Vision for Monticello School Libraries**

Teacher librarians are uniquely prepared and strategically positioned to:

- **teach** students to think critically and independently to construct new understandings and insights from varied information sources.
- **lead** and embrace the integration of technology to enhance learning.
- **connect** communities of learners in virtual and physical spaces.
- **collaborate** with the school community to design and enact rigorous learning experiences and participate as positive digital citizens.
- **maximize** access to quality print and digital resources.
- **champion** and support the reading life of students.
- **nurture** curiosity to develop in students a passion for learning for life.

### **Curriculum Support**

The Monticello Community School District district has its developed it's own set of Information Literacy Standards and Benchmarks