LIBRARY COLLECTION GUIDELINES

Library Monitoring Rubric - Section 1.2 - Section 1.5 Librarian Growth Rubric - Standard 6 School Library Guide - Section 4.4



Type of Resource	Elementary School (Grades Pre-K - 5)	Middle School (Grades 6 - 8)	High School (Grades 9 - 12)
Encyclopedia, General	 At least 1 or more online general, grade-level appropriate encyclopedia AND 1 current set of print, not older than 5 years 	At least 1 or more online general, grade-level appropriate encyclopedia	At least 1 or more online general, grade-level appropriate encyclopedia
Dictionaries	 Electronic access to online dictionary AND Up to 5 copies of recent, appropriate dictionary AND Foreign language dictionaries available for languages taught or spoken in the school and represented by the community 	 Electronic access to online dictionary AND Up to 5 copies of recent, appropriate dictionary AND Foreign language dictionaries available for languages taught or spoken in the school and represented by the community 	 Electronic access to online dictionary AND Foreign language dictionaries available for languages taught or spoken in the school and represented by the community
Atlases	 1 Globe AND 1 US Atlas AND 1 World Atlas AND Electronic access to online atlas and map resources 	 1 US Atlas AND 1 World Atlas AND Electronic access to online atlas and map resources 	Electronic access to online atlas and map resources
Almanacs	 1 general, appropriate almanac AND 1 state almanac, latest edition available 	 1 general, appropriate almanac AND 1 state almanac, latest edition available 	 1 general, appropriate almanac AND 1 state almanac, latest edition available
Thesaurus	 Electronic access to online thesaurus AND Up to 5 copies of a standard thesaurus 	 Electronic access to online thesaurus AND Up to 5 copies of a standard thesaurus 	Electronic access to online thesaurus AND
Geographical Dictionary	Electronic access to online geographical dictionary	Electronic access to online geographical dictionary	Electronic access to online geographical dictionary
Biographical Resources	A print or digital biographical reference source of each of the following groups:	A print or digital biographical reference source of each of the following groups:	A print or digital biographical reference source of each of the following groups:

	 Americans of current and historical interest, Authors, Current and historical world figures in science, math, the arts, and other fields of endeavor appropriate for study in the curriculum, and Current and historical figures of general interest and appeal to a diverse population 	 Americans of current and historical interest, Authors, Current and historical world figures in science, math, the arts, and other fields of endeavor appropriate for study in the curriculum, and Current and historical figures of general interest and appeal to a diverse population 	 Americans of current and historical interest, Authors, Current and historical world figures in science, math, the arts, and other fields of endeavor appropriate for study in the curriculum, and Current and historical figures of general interest and appeal to a diverse population
Magazines	2-4 print or digital subscriptions to appropriate periodicals that support the curriculum or of the school's students choice	2-4 print or digital subscriptions to appropriate periodicals that support the curriculum or of the school's students choice	2-4 print or digital subscriptions to appropriate periodicals that support the curriculum or of the school's students choice
Newspapers	1 local or regional newspaper, current subscription (print or digital)	1 local or regional newspaper, current subscription (print or digital)	1 local or regional newspaper, current subscription (print or digital)
Bibliographies	Collection of print or digital bibliographies specific to curriculum needs or student interest	Collection of print or digital bibliographies specific to curriculum needs or student interest	Collection of print or digital bibliographies specific to curriculum needs or student interest
Professional Collection	 A goal of 20 current professional titles AND Access to print and/or digital professional periodicals AND Current credible websites for professional development purposes available through the school library website 	 A goal of 20 current professional titles AND Access to print and/or digital professional periodicals AND Current credible websites for professional development purposes available through the school library website 	 A goal of 20 current professional titles AND Access to print and/or digital professional periodicals AND Current credible websites for professional development purposes available through the school library website

Resources

Guidelines for Library Media Programs in Louisiana Schools, 2017