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Barrington Public Library Mission Statement

The mission of the Barrington Public Library is to provide current materials, services, programs, and technology to meet the educational, informational, and recreation needs of community members of all ages.

We shall provide a place that is conducive to learning and recreational reading, as well as an area for meetings and programs that foster literacy and community.

We shall strive to meet all statewide standards for libraries, and we shall provide service hours and staff sufficient to serve the community needs.

We shall reach beyond our own resources to gain access to materials that we do not own, and we shall lend to other partnering organizations for the same purposes, thus building cooperative ties that will benefit our community at large.