

Pennsylvania School Librarians Association

Definition of a Quality School Library Program

Every Pennsylvania student and teacher needs a quality school library.

A quality school library program:

- Instructs and empowers students to use and create information;
- Encourages students to read independently;
- Provides quality print and digital resources;
- Supplies up-to-date information technologies that are available 24/7;
- Receives adequate annual funding to support these components.

A full-time, certified librarian leads this program and teaches with other teachers to assure student academic success.

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