

Marion Carnegie Library Department Policy

Children's Department

The target age range for the Children's Department is birth to 12 years old and their caregivers and parents. All ages are welcome to browse the collection and borrow materials from the Children's Department. Ages 13 and older, unless accompanying a child, are encouraged to settle into an age appropriate department for activities beyond browsing the collection. Attendance at Children's programs is restricted to birth to 12 years old. Twelve-year old children may choose to attend either Children's programs or Young Adult Programs.

Young Adult Department

The target age range for the Young Adult Department is ages 12-18. All ages are welcome to browse the collection and borrow materials from the Young Adult Department. Use of Chromebooks, television, game consoles, other electronic equipment, games, and stand-alone activities in the Young Adult Department are exclusively for ages 12-18. Those outside of the target age range are encouraged to settle into an age appropriate department for activities beyond browsing the collection. Attendance at Young Adult programs is restricted to ages 12-18. Twelve-year old children may choose to attend either Children's programs or Young Adult Programs. Eighteen-year olds may choose to attend either Young Adult programs or Adult programs.

Adult Department

The target age range for the Adult Department is ages 18 and older. All ages are welcome to browse the collection and borrow materials from the Adult Department. All ages are free to read, study, meet, relax, etc. in the Adult Department on the main floor as long as all library policies and procedures are followed.

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