The District shall provide library instruction, resources and services that are an integral part of the educational program and will comply with the requirements of the Reader Privacy Act.

The purpose of the college library is to support the College in providing high quality, academically rigorous instruction in a comprehensive curriculum that respects the diversity represented in the student body and community. The library shall provide access to information both within and beyond the library walls. The library shall provide instruction and resources that ensure students and teachers are effective users of ideas and information.

Library functions shall include:

- Building a comprehensive and diverse collection that supports the College curriculum and challenges each student according to his/her abilities;
- Providing students and faculty with instruction and assistance in using library resources;
- Promoting the development of information competency skills among students and faculty;
- Providing professional and paraprofessional staff to instruct and assist in the use of library resources; and
- Providing leadership by assisting faculty in the promotion of the use of library resources in instruction and curriculum, and in the development of critical thinking by students.