

Williams Bay School District

LIBRARY MEDIA - TECHNOLOGY PLAN 2026-2029

LIBRARY MEDIA - TECHNOLOGY MISSION

Multimedia enhances teaching and improves learning.

LIBRARY MEDIA - TECHNOLOGY VISION

Engaging and empowering students to open doors to their future.

DISTRICT COMMITMENTS

Belonging:

We commit to providing a welcoming and inclusive space for all to be seen, heard, and valued as their authentic selves.

Growth:

We support each other in taking risks to grow professionally and positively, with the belief that all students can learn at high levels.

Safety:

We create an environment where all members of the school community feel physically, mentally, and emotionally safe.

Celebration:

We acknowledge the positive and the possible in our students, our staff, our community, and one another.



Continuous Improvement:

We strategically use data and high-quality instruction to advance student belonging, achievement, and growth.

Relationships:

We collaborate and build positive, trusting partnerships with our district and our Community.

Communication:

We engage in clear, comprehensive, and consistent communication to make informed decisions.

Compassion:

We strive to teach empathy and kindness to create a community of acceptance for our differences and respect for ourselves and others.

<u>Goals</u>	<u>Action Steps</u>
<u>GOAL ONE:</u> <i>Utilize library media and technology to promote continuous student growth and achievement.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Utilize technology to communicate, collaborate, and think critically through student-centered, student-driven activities. Provide instruction in information literacy and research skills to all students. Apply technology skills to a variety of devices and platforms. Empower students to use AI by fostering an understanding of AI and the effects of its use on their learning and academic growth. Continue to develop and refine academic and career planning (6 - 12). Continue the development and implementation of a STEAM program (K-12). Develop responsible digital citizens. Promote student and parent education in Digital Literacy. Support RTI programs through digital tools. Improve library website for better accessibility and ease of use. Promote summer reading and other literacy-related activities outside of the school year.
<u>GOAL TWO:</u> <i>Staff will continuously develop the skills necessary to utilize technology to enhance learning.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The librarian and technology coordinator will work jointly with the BLTs and district administrators to coach / support curriculum initiatives, including AI implementation and usage. Provide continued Google training to staff. Facilitate the transfer of student skills to a variety of devices and platforms. Train office staff in tools available to create professional looking documents and resources. Provide and/or facilitate a variety of modalities to access personalized professional learning (face-to-face, blended, on-line). Support teachers in creating virtual projects to connect and explore diverse cultures, ethnicities, and races. Use various digital tools and resources to collect and analyze formative assessment consistently. Create guidelines for both faculty and students to follow in order to ensure responsible utilization of AI.
<u>GOAL THREE:</u> <i>Manage library media and technology resources in a responsible, efficient, and effective manner.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Research, review, and recommend library media and technology resources and equipment for each grade level (K-12). Conduct a risk and cyber threat assessment and create a cyber security plan. Plan a 5 year plan of review and replacement of district technology equipment in collaboration with the maintenance department. Make resource documents for staff reference and education to ensure students and staff have equitable use of instructional resources. Prioritize multimedia needs and follow Common School Fund guidelines when developing library budgets. Create a collaborative space within the middle / high school library.
<u>GOAL FOUR:</u> <i>Develop a long-range plan for library media and technology that allows flexibility to address the evolving needs of students and staff.</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Analyze digital resources to replace curricular expenses. Use library media resources and technology to support the goals of the strategic plan. Integrate technology into the implementation of curricular initiatives. Review and analyze yearly progress on Library Media and Technology Plan, and complete DPI Digital Learning survey. Train staff and students on student privacy and security. Build data comprehension and analysis for all district personnel. Provide parental access to curriculum maps and instructional resources as appropriate. Continue development of competency-based learning opportunities. Foster ongoing partnership between school and public libraries. The librarian and technology coordinator will support personalized learning through resources and professional development.