

WELCOME

The mission of the Jackson County Public Library is to help the community connect, learn, and grow.

Seymour Library
303 West Second Street
812-522-3412

Crothersville Library
120 East Main Street
812-793-2927

Medora Library
27 West Main Street
812-966-2278



- Diaper changing areas are in the public restrooms. Child-sized restrooms are located inside the Seymour Library Kidz Korner.
- Outside toys and activities (including toys, balls, bubbles, etc.) are not allowed. Many children use the space; personal items can get lost, or easily picked up by others.
- Persons under the influence of drugs or alcohol are not permitted on library property and may be permanently banned.
- Cell phone volume must be kept very low or off.
- Visitors are expected to clean up any areas used during their visit. Do not take library materials or toys to the restroom or out of the children's area.
- Do not allow children to pull books from shelves.
- Any person in the library must wear shoes and shirt, regardless of age.
- Children must be supervised at all times. Staff is not responsible for supervising children.

Food

- We do not allow any food in the Seymour Library Kidz Korner. Drinks cannot be purple, red, or left unattended.
- We have a small table in the Seymour lobby and many larger tables upstairs where visitors may eat.
- Visitors do not have access to a kitchen area, microwave, or phone.

What We Have

- Discovery centers including a kitchen area, Legos, trains, and building toys.
- Books to read during your visit.
- Computers and iPads for in-library use, when available.
- Puzzles and a magnet wall in Seymour.
- Library pets to observe in Seymour.
- Coloring sheets.



General

- 1-2 hours is the maximum recommended visit time. Children, especially young children, become restless if they are here for longer periods of time.
- We do not have private meeting rooms; visits take place in common areas.
- The children's area is not quiet but visitors are expected to use inside voices, with no running or rowdy play.
- Visitation participants are expected to follow the same rules and guidelines as all visitors. Violation of rules may result in being asked to leave.
- There is no smoking of any type allowed anywhere on library property.
- The library is not an appropriate place for celebrating birthdays, holidays, opening gifts, etc.



Suggested Play

- Read a book together. Point to the words as you read; ask your child questions about the book. What clues do the illustrations give you about the story?
- Play grocery store: count play money in exchange for goods.
- Have your child serve you a meal. Talk about setting the table and cleaning up. Discuss good manners.
- Use the building sets to create a home or town. Practice constructing a building; talk about where different animals and people live.
- Take turns putting on a puppet show. Demonstrate puppets treating each other kindly.
- Sort and organize magnets, when available, by type or color; use them to make patterns.
- Observe our library pets. Talk about their behavior, home, and how we care for them.
- Color or draw a picture with your child. Take turns choosing colors for one another.

Family Visitations



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