Youth Services Resource Guide

Find a great collection of resources for your Youth Services work at the public library. Check out resources on programming ideas, collection development, reading recommendations, promotional materials, and professional literature.

For Programming Ideas

Book Connections contains resources that engage and inspire readers, including resources for youth services library programming, summer reading title lists and activity kits, and tools to complement your work to enhance diversity in your library collections.

NoveList K-8 provides fiction reading recommendations, as well as read-alikes, genre guides, reading lists, and articles on reader's advisory, all provided by librarians and book experts. NoveList K-8 contains all the features of NoveList but just for younger readers and those that work with them! Sort titles by teen, ages 9-12 and ages 0-8.

For Professional Learning


MasterFILE Complete contains popular full text magazines, reference books, and other sources from the world’s leading publishers including titles for youth such as Boys’ Life, Girls’ Life, Highlights, Jack & Jill, National Geographic Kids, New Moon Girls.


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