



Kent County Public Library Mission Statement

Kent County Public Library promotes lifelong learning and enrichment through access to information, a knowledgeable staff, and services in a free and open environment. We bring people together to stimulate the free exchange of ideas and a sense of community.

Our Values and Operating Principles

The Kent County Public Library is guided by the principles of Public Librarianship and First Amendment Rights.

We seek innovative ways to:

- Respond and reach out to serve the current and evolving information needs of our diverse community.
- Create a sense of community by providing a welcoming, inviting, secure environment for our public and staff.
- Provide excellent customer service that is both timely and confidential.
- Develop a well-trained, knowledgeable, courteous and professional staff.
- Communicate with our public and staff to ensure vital, relevant and effective library services.
- Manage our resources effectively and be accountable to our funding sources.

We celebrate our accomplishments, learn from our mistakes and take pride in serving our community.