

GUIDELINE EVALUATION SCHEDULE

A tool for planning and recording presentations of annual guideline ratings.

Teaching for Learning

Year	Rating	Guidelines
		#1 The school library media program empowers learners by providing opportunities for using technologies and collaborative partnerships to acquire the skills, attitudes, and responsibilities as defined in <i>Standards for the 21st Century Learner</i> and as aligned with learning standards in the content areas adopted by the Illinois State Board of Education.
		#2 The school library media program promotes collaborative partnerships that use strategic planning to enable students to achieve content area learning outcomes.
		#3 The school library media program promotes reading as a foundational skill for the development of new understandings, personal growth, and enjoyment.
		#4 The school library media program provides opportunities for differentiated learning of multiple literacies through the integration of existing and emerging technologies.
		#5 The school library media program uses student assessment and evidence-based practice to improve student learning.

Learning Environment

Year	Rating	Guidelines
		#1 The school library encompasses both physical and virtual spaces that provide flexible, equitable, and efficient access to resources for all learners.
		#2 The school library consists of both physical and virtual resources that have been selected through strategic planning, research, and evidence-based practice.
		#3 The school library media program receives adequate annual funding from the appropriate local authority to achieve program goals.
		#4 The school library media program respects the principles of professional ethics, intellectual freedom, and the ethical and responsible use of information.
		#5 The school library at each attendance center has the equivalent of at least one full-time, certified school library information specialist who teaches and who directs the program.
		#6 School library media programs in multibuilding districts have a unified vision, direction, and leadership that creates partnerships inside and outside the district.
		#7 The school library media program has adequate paid clerical support staff under the supervision of at least one certified school library information specialist and access to technical support.

Leadership

Year	Rating	Guidelines
		#1 The school library information specialist works to integrate current learning standards into the entire school environment.
		#2 The school library information specialist explores new technologies and actively models the use of those technologies for learning.
		#3 The school school library information specialist is actively involved on school and districtwide committees as a curricular leader and participates in professional organizations.
		#4 The school library media program is promoted through the school school library information specialist's role as a teacher of teachers, thus creating a collaborative, participatory learning environment for students in the school.