

101. Mission Statement

I: Mission Statement

The Tolono Public Library District strives to provide diverse programming and technology-based services to its residents, constantly improving and upgrading the resources for both patrons and staff.

II: Goals/Objectives

These goals/objectives are based on the mission statement

Goals (objectives) for 2020-2025

1. Provide diverse programming aimed at patrons of all ages
 - a. Increase the number of programs, both in the Library and off-site
 - b. Increase the number of outreach programs
 - c. Partner with Unit 4 and 7 schools to ensure the Library District is meeting the needs of students
 - d. Expand computer-based programming for every age
2. Deliver a wide range of services, emphasizing today's technology-based world
 - a. Update welcome packet with an overview of library collections and services (also made available online)
 - b. Complete a comprehensive collection study of all resources to identify gaps
 - c. Increase the circulation of electronic databases
 - d. Create technology welcoming areas in the Library
3. Optimize resources for patrons
 - a. Apply for new grant opportunities each year
 - b. Enhance the website to make it more user friendly
 - c. Promote World Cat and other lesser-known resources
4. Support ongoing professional staff development
 - a. Encourage attendance at conferences, speaking opportunities, webinars, etc.
 - b. Continue regular staff meetings
5. Remain fiscally responsible
 - a. Maintain capital replacement schedule
 - b. Provide a yearly balanced budget
6. Promote Library Board Participation
 - a. Promote the collections and services to the community
 - b. Participate in relevant local, state, regional, and national decisions made to effect change that will benefit libraries
 - c. Each board member attends one staff meeting annually