

# Timberland Regional Library: 2020-2022 Strategic Direction

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## Vision

**Libraries connecting to our communities.**

## Mission

**Welcoming** everyone to a vibrant world of possibilities.

**Connecting** people, places, and ideas.

**Evolving** to meet the needs of our communities.

## We Value

- **Access for all.**
- **Working together.**
- **Diverse communities and ideas.**
- **Responsible use of public resources.**

## We Will Focus On

- **Local communities.**
  - Sharing local culture.
  - Increasing our presence in underserved communities.
  - Creating opportunities for intergenerational connection.
- **Equity, diversity, and inclusion.**
  - Reaching those with disabilities and other access barriers.
  - Reflecting underrepresented groups in our collections, staff, and services.
  - Partnering with local agencies and organizations to support diverse communities.
- **Children from birth to Kindergarten.**
  - Providing appealing spaces and engaging experiences.
  - Clarifying what they need and how to provide for those needs.
  - Empowering them to build relationships with the library and within their communities.

## Our Core Services

- **Borrow**
  - Assistive Devices
  - eBooks and Books
  - Movies
  - Audiobooks
- **Participate**

- Storytimes
- Book Groups
- Arts & Crafts
- Meeting Space
- **Discover**
  - Legal Forms
  - Auto Repair
  - Homework Help
  - Local History and Genealogy
- **Connect**
  - Wifi
  - Printing
  - Computers
  - Job Search