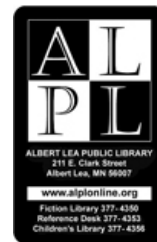


MISSION STATEMENT

The ALBERT LEA PUBLIC LIBRARY is working to connect you with the books you want, the information you need, and the community you live in.



Collection Focus Area

Goal: Develop library collections to meet diverse community interests and needs.

Objectives:

1. Enhance physical and digital collection offerings.
2. Investigate alternative collection offerings.
3. Review library policies that affect access to library collections.
4. Review current collection signage.

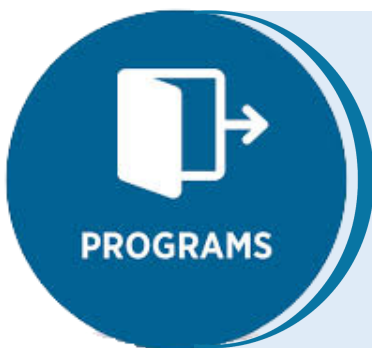


Service Focus Area

Goal: Provide services that reflect and respond to community needs.

Objectives:

1. Expand and diversify technology services available for public use.
2. Expand library hours of operation.
3. Promote the library as a source for information and lifelong learning.
4. Support service program with trained library staff.



Program Focus Area

Goal: Explore additional opportunities for programming and partnerships.

Objectives:

1. Expand partnerships.
2. Cultivate program offerings to meet varied ages and interests.
3. Effectively promote library services.



Building Focus Area

Goal: Provide an accessible and welcoming space for the community.

Objectives:

1. Evaluate current library interior environment to maximize its potential for patron use.
2. Advocate for available space within the current city/library building.
3. Identify physical barriers to library usage.
4. Define library as a community space.