



OUR CORE VALUES

The Kenton County Public Library is committed to providing excellent service and materials to all residents by adhering to the following Core Values.

At the Kenton County Public Library we are:

WELCOMING & DIVERSE

We believe access to our diverse facilities, programs and services improves the knowledge of individuals and the strength of the entire community. Our facilities, programs, services and free resources are open to everyone in the community and are distributed in a fair and equitable manner. We strive to employ a diverse staff that is reflective of our community.

CARING & CUSTOMER-CENTRIC

We take a genuine interest in each person who uses our services, and we are committed to preserving our area's history. Our customer service is second to none.

COLLABORATIVE & COMMUNITY FOCUSED

We work with other agencies, governments and institutions to better serve the people of the region, and work with other libraries to enhance our services to patrons.

RESPONSIBLE & PROFESSIONAL

We are respectful stewards of the resources entrusted to us and live up to state standards and our professional code of conduct.

READING & KNOWLEDGE CHAMPIONS

We believe that innovative, instructive programs can spark the imagination of children and teens and can build the confidence and expertise of adults. We are committed to intellectual freedom including freedom of speech and the right of patrons to have access to information. We will provide the materials needed to fulfill one's educational, recreational and informational needs.



STRATEGIC PLAN

Fiscal Years 2022/23-2025/26

Approved by the Board of Trustees July 19, 2022

LIFELONG LEARNING

- 01 | We will provide an environment of engagement that expands avenues and opportunities to gain new skills, and reinforce and evaluate existing skills, for enrichment and advancement.
- 02 | We will have a collection that is diverse and inclusive, meeting the entire community where they are and where they want to be.
- 03 | We will get to know our entire community and use our position as an anchor institution to bring about positive change.

STIMULATE IMAGINATION

- 01 | We will have a collection that is active and engaging – inspiring discovery and unlocking the passions of individuals and communities.
- 02 | We will have inclusive and welcoming environments that cultivate exploration and collaboration.
- 03 | We will create an innovative environment and continually challenge ourselves to reimagine what a public library can be and do.

EARLY CHILDHOOD LITERACY

- 01 | We will put materials where children need them.
- 02 | We will enhance and introduce early childhood literacy initiatives in our community to be a leading voice.
- 03 | We will integrate child-focused thinking and practices into our services and environments.

See the entire plan at kentonlibrary.org/aboutus

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