## SCHOOL LIBRARY

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### SCHOOL LIBRARIES

In India, schools are further divided into four groups according to the levels of education they cater to. Schools can therefore be

Primary

Middle

Secondary and

Senior secondary

#### OBJECTIVES OF SCHOOL LIBRARIES

- > All types of schools have a library with the objectives to:
- > Awaken and foster interest in reading books.
- > Create love for books.
- ➤ Promote reading habits. inculcate communication skills through extra curricular activities like story telling, viewing and discussions on audio/visual programmes workshops etc.
- Functions of School Libraries In order to attract students to the library and develop their interest and curiosity, a school library should.

#### Cont...

- Acquire a good stock of teaching learning material for students and teachers.
- Display books in classified order
- > Provide functional physical facilities such as building, furniture and equipment.
- > Hire qualified committed staff.

# Functions of School Library

- > Some of the functions of school library are as:
- ➤ It provides suitable documents and information helpful in educational programs and extracurricular activities of the school.
- > It makes available text books and other additional reading material for all subjects as per the requirement of teachers and students.
- > It procures handy documents, illustrated picture books with bold and large fonts to create the interest of children in reading.
- > It procures latest teaching learning material in the form of books, CD, audio-visual etc. to improve the teaching skills to teachers.

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- ➤ It keeps reference books, dictionaries, year books, directories, encyclopedias, travel books, etc. so that students and teachers can get help of these other than the text books.
- ➤ It also keeps some books on easy self-learning like how to use computer, to develop the learning skills of students.
- ➤ It makes available biographies, autobiographies of freedom fighters and other national and international personalities to develop respect love for nation and humanity.
- > It provides books of simple and meaningful stories of classics, animals and birds of give moral values and ethics to children.
- ➤ It also procures bulletins, journals etc. on different subjects and various aspects of education to keep the teacher and school management updated in their respective areas

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