

“What the library means to me”

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The library is the best any kid could be. The library means so much to me, and here is why. The library consists of a staff that is not only the best resources but at least someone to make laughs with. So many people visit the library a day. It is an excellent resource to people who are doing projects, a nice area to do homework or read, and a place to feel safe in. The library is not for ‘nerds’ and for people who have nothing to do, it is a place full of opportunities and activities.

I've been at the library ever since I learned my ABC's. My 1st library card was at the age of 5. My sister is only 18-months old and she cries when it is time to leave. Everyone gets attached to the library. When I first came to the library I checked out so many books because I was excited that I had my own card and I could do anything with it. I check out about 10 books and read them all right in the library. I liked the fact that I had my own account. Many people miss out on the positives of the library. Matter-a-fact the library doesn't have any negatives issues. My experience at the library is like your first day at school, there is always something exciting to do. My mom signed me up for volunteering over the summer, but I didn't want to stop. I still volunteer every Wednesday. All of this volunteering has given me an opportunity to learn new things. For example, the other day I had an opportunity to use excel, I learned how to scan books and CD's into the computer and how to organize file cabinets.

Basically, my definition of a library is a place to escape from troubles and a place to express your education. The library enables me to meet people I have never met and go places I have never been. It's the place to help you for your future. By using the library I am building a career choice that others may not be able to do. It enhances my true feelings out. When I think of the world 'library' and what it is I think of the many choices of life. In some ways it could build up self-esteem. By being around such a positive atmosphere, it reflects on me. So by being in the library, I become a better person.