

Pickerington Public Library  
Unattended Children's Policy

The Board of Trustees and staff of the Pickerington Public Library are pleased that you are visiting us. It is important that we provide an environment that allows all patrons to enjoy the facility in a safe, relaxed manner.

Unattended young children often become frightened or wander away and may not be safe alone in a large public building. Library staff cannot supervise unattended children or function as babysitters; therefore, parents need to be responsible for their children just as they are in any other public building.

Children and young people who are disruptive in the library or on the grounds interfere with the library's service to their other patrons. For this reason, the Board has adopted a policy concerning unattended children.

**Policy Statement**

Children under age seven must be attended by an adult. Parents are responsible for their children's behavior while in the library and on the grounds.

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