Can you find these @ your library™?

- Licensed, full-time Teacher-Librarian
- Library support staff
- Students engaged in learning
- Welcoming atmosphere
- A current book collection
- Recreational reading opportunities
- Brochures, bookmarks, and posters on display
- New materials on display
- Locations of materials clearly marked
- Sufficient, functional technology tools
- Space arranged for group and/or individual use
- Alternative scheduling options for the library
- Evidence of collaborative lesson planning
- Opportunities exist for student and teacher input into the library program
- Library's mission statement is visible

Key Resources

Guide for Developing and Evaluating School Library Media Programs, 6th ed. (Nebraska Educational Media Association, Libraries Unlimited, Englewood, CO, 2000)

* **Information Power: Building Partnerships for Learning** (American Library Association, Chicago, 1998)

Kansas Association of School Librarians Web pages http://www.kasl.ws

Library Research Service http://www/lrs/org

Taxonomies of the School Library Media Program, 2nd ed. (David V. Loertscher, Hi Willow Publishing, San Jose, CA, 2000)

Virginia Department of Education Web pages http://www.pen.k12.va.us/VDOE/Technology/imtresources.html#librarymedia

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