



Library Cards Empower Students and Fuel Academic Success

September 1, 2022 – September is Library Card Sign-up Month, a time when the Lewis & Clark Library joins the American Library Association (ALA) and libraries nationwide to remind parents, caregivers and students that signing up for a library card is the first step on the path to academic achievement and lifelong learning.

There is nothing more empowering than signing up for your own library card. Through access to technology, media resources and educational programs, a library card gives students the tools to succeed in the classroom and provides people of all ages opportunities to pursue their dreams and passions.

At Lewis & Clark Library, you'll find a wide variety of educational resources and activities, both online and in the collection.

“Libraries play an important role in the education and development of children,” said Lewis & Clark Library Director John Finn. “We have library programs that serve students of all ages and backgrounds such as Teen Book Group, Teen Bingo, Teen Crafternoons, and much more.

The Lewis & Clark Library, along with libraries everywhere, continue to adapt and expand services to meet the evolving needs of our community. To sign up for a library card or to learn more about the library's resources and programs, please visit <https://www.lclibrary.org> to learn more about the Library's online and in person educational resources.

Since 1987, Library Card Sign-up Month has been held each September to mark the beginning of the school year. During the month, the ALA and libraries work together in a national effort to ensure every child signs up for their own library card.