## **Unattended Minors Policy**

## Purpose

The Morgan County Library District's Board of Trustees believes that the fundamental responsibility for a minor's physical well being remains with the parents of the minor.

## **Notes**

- Minors under age 10 may not be left unattended on library property. Any minor of preschool age must be within eyesight of a parent, guardian or caregiver. Parent or caregiver must be aware of and monitor the minor's behavior.
- Any minor visiting the library without a parent, guardian or caregiver must behave in an appropriate manner. Minors who misbehave will be asked to leave. The minor or a library staff member will call parent, guardian, or caregiver to come and get them.
- Police or Family Services will be called to pick up any minor who has not been picked up by closing time.
- The library is not a child care facility and library staff members are not babysitters.
- The library assumes no liability for unattended minors.

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