

Maitland MS

Media Center Collection Development Plan 2023-24

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Executive Summary

District Strategic Plan 2025

Orange County Public Schools is the eighth-largest school district in the United States and the fourth largest in Florida. The district serves more than 206,000 students at 202 schools and is one of the largest employers in Central Florida with more than 25,000 team members.

Vision: To ensure every student has a promising and successful future.

Mission: With the support of families and the community, we create enriching and diverse pathways to lead our students to success.

School Collection Development Plan

Maitland MS serves 737 students enrolled in grades sixth through eighth. The student population's ethnicity is made of 29% Hispanic and 71% Non-Hispanic students. Additionally, we serve a diverse population made up of 69% White, 24% Black, 0% Native, 2% Asian, 0% Pacific, and 3% Multicultural students.

The administration includes Principal Melik Brown and Assistant Principals Kimberly Pavlonnis and Vaughnsha Thompson. Maitland MS is proud to offer the many special programs which provide students with opportunities. These include PreAP, Sunshine State Young Readers Award, Orchestra/Band, National Junior Honor Society, Chess Club, Athletic Teams, Musical Theatre, Journalism Club/Yearbook, CTE

A thorough analysis of the current media center collection at Maitland MS indicates that the average age of the collection is 2007 and the number of books per student is 19. The <u>American Association for School Libraries</u> has established a criteria for highly effective media centers that includes a ratio of 15-20 books available per student in the collection.

At this time, Maitland MS does meet the recommended standards for the number of books per student.

The analysis of the collection also revealed the following areas of strengths and concerns:

- In addition to the physical media center collection, the district provides almost 5,000 Ebooks, audiobooks and digital magazines.
- Weeding will focus on the OCPS Catalog Project as well as aged titles in fiction and/or nonfiction.
- Purchases will focus on increasing representation for our Black and Hispanic students.

School Assessment Analysis

The school assessment analysis provides an overview of the school's assessment data for the previous two school years.

Proficiency Data							
Assessment	2021-22	Assessment	2022-23	Assessment	2021-22	Assessment	2022-23
FSA ELA Grade 6	59%	FAST ELA Proficiency Grade 6	49%	FSA Math Grade 6	49%	FAST Math Proficiency Grade 6	59%
FSA ELA Grade 7	54%	FAST ELA Proficiency Grade 7	49%	FSA Math Grade 7	58%	FAST Math Proficiency Grade 7	37%
FSA ELA Grade 8	55%	FAST ELA Proficiency Grade 8	45%	FSA Math Grade 8	24%	FAST Math Proficiency Grade 8	58%
Civics EOC	74%	Civics EOC	67%	FSA Algebra 1 EOC	85%	BEST Algebra 1 EOC	92%
NGSSS Sci 8 EOC	61%	NGSSS Sci 8 EOC	48%	FSA Geometry EOC	100%	BEST Geometry EOC	100%

Comparison between 2021-22 and 2022-23 Testing Data

(adapted from https://www.fldoe.org/accountability/assessments/k-12-student-assessment/results/2023.stml) In 2023, the state transitioned from Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) to Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (FAST) for English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics. The 2022-23 for FAST and Benchmarks for Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) End-of-Course (EOC) assessments are based on **provisional** achievement level cuts that are linked to each assessment's respective 2021-22 reporting scale. Comparisons should not be made between the 2023 data and previous years' data.

Collection Analysis

The collection is developed for and influenced by students, their interests, academic needs and alignment to the curriculum. The data below is a snapshot of the collection based on a Titlewise Analysis from July 2023. Purchasing or weeding after that time is not reflected in this data.



13,685 Items in the Collection



19 Items per Student



53% Fiction Titles in the Collection



32% **Nonfiction Titles** in the Collection

Library media resources are curated to include both recently published works and classics that both rightfully impact the average age of the collection



2007 Average Age of the Collection



40% **Aged Titles**



13% Newer than 5 Years

Library media resources should be representative of the school. A commitment to representative literature is reflective of **OCPS** values such as equity, inclusion, and respect.



42% Representative Titles in Collection



2007 Representative Titles Average Age

Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) library media resources can contribute to the **development** of character and social-emotional skills, one of the OCPS's key performance indicators.





SEL Titles in Collection SEL Titles Average Age

Library media resources are distributed across the *Lexile reading level ranges* noted below.

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10	75	200	1711	4475	1610	75
BR-199 Lexile	200-349 Lexile	350-499 Lexile	500-674 Lexile	675-909 Lexile	910-1299 Lexile	1300+ Lexile
Items	Items	Items	Items	Items	Items	Items

Collection Analysis by Category

The information collected in this section provides a detailed look at the current library collection by classification and genre. The information was gathered from Follett Destiny, the library management system, and Titlewave, the vendor's ordering and analysis tool.

Section	# of Titles	Average Age
Computer Science, Information & General Works	67	2011
Philosophy & Psychology	58	2010
Religion	59	2008
Social Sciences	827	2009
Language	73	2005
Science	437	2010
Technology	461	2009
Arts & Recreation	685	2008
Literature	546	1994
History & Geography	379	2012
Biography	507	2009
General Fiction	7272	2008
Graphic Novels	446	2013

Category Reflection

• There are several areas of non-fiction that need to be updated by adding more copies and weeding out aged titles.

Representation Analysis

Enrollment & Demographic Data						
737		Subg	roups	Federal Ethnicity		
2023-24 Student Enrollment as of September 7, 2023		12% ELL	12% ESE	29% Hispanic	71% Non-Hispanic	
Federal Race Category						
69% White	24% Black	0% Native	2% Asian	0% Pacific	3% Multicultural	

To deepen focus on strategic collection development, specific sections of the collection were analyzed in detail to determine whether the media center collection reflects and represents various points of view and experiences. The goal is to provide a balanced collection that can be both a mirror, to reflect a reader's experience, and a window, so readers can experience different viewpoints.

Results

Based on the available school data of Maitland MS in comparison to Collection Analysis results, it was found that:

Student Representation	% of Students	Total # of Titles	Total % of Titles	Avg. Age of Titles
Hispanic	29%	294	2%	2010
Black	24%	610	4%	2009
Asian	2%	116	1%	2009

Strategic Focus

This page lists the priorities for selection and weeding for each school year and includes the action, updates, and outcomes. This is subject to change due to funding and time constraints.

School Year	Strategic Focus
	 Selection Priorities African American titles Latinx/Hispanic titles Student requests and interest Fill gaps in series
2023-2024	Weeding Priorities
	Selection Priorities
2024-2025	 Weeding Priorities Aged non-fiction titles District weeding focus Books with low circulation

Budget and Purchasing Plan

This page outlines the current budget available and specifically lists the priorities for this school year (2023-2024).

Annual Budget 2023-2024

State Funds			
Source	Amount		
State (1001111000) 8,115.			
Internal Accounts			
Source	Amount		
Library Fines and Book Fair Profits	2,620.75		

Purchasing Plan 2023-2024

Approximate Purchasing Plan			
Purpose	Amount		
African American titles	20%		
Latinx/Hispanic titles	20%		
Student requests and interests	35%		
Updating Series (Fiction and Graphic Novels)	20%		
Sunshine State Books	2%		
Book subscriptions	3%		
TOTAL	100%		

Year-to-Year Collection Change

The information below represents the year-to-year change within the library media center collection from the 2022-23 to 2023-24 school year. The 2022-23 data is based on a collection analysis from June 2022, while the 2023-24 is based on a collection analysis from July 2023.

Data Reflection

• The items per student went up by two because our enrollment went down.

2022-23 Purchased and Weeded Materials				
Materials Added to the Collection	42	Materials Weeded from the Collection	21	
Ca	tegory	2022-23	2023-24	
	Items in the Collection	13,635	13,685	
	Items per Student	17	19	
C	Average Age of Collection	2008	2007	
	Representative Titles in the Collection	41%	42%	