



ROCKHAMPTON GIRLS GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Library Information and Resource Centre Policy

PURPOSE OF THE POLICY

A principal objective for education as we move into an age of complex technology and information is to learn how to clearly identify, locate, organise and present relevant information in a clear, concise and persuasive manner. With rapid changes in technology, students need to develop skills and manage complex information formats. Rockhampton Girls Grammar School provides such opportunities to foster student attainment of these skills and create a lifelong passion for reading and knowledge.

POLICY

Rockhampton Girls Grammar School Library Information & Resource Centre:

- Supports the School's curriculum and mission statement by enhancing educational goals.
- Develops and sustains in all students the habits and passion of reading for enjoyment and learning, and the use of libraries in their daily lives.
- Offers experiences for creating knowledge for information, understanding, imagination and enjoyment.
- Supports the student journey in learning and practising skills for evaluation and use of information regardless of format or medium.
- Provides access to local, regional, national and global resources that expose learners to a diversity of ideas, experiences and opinions.
- Works with students, teachers, administrators and parents to achieve the mission of the school.
- Proclaims the concept of individual freedom of access to information as an essential to learning for life.
- Promotes reading, and the resources and services of the school library within the school and wider community.

POLICY RELEASE DETAILS

Date of Policy	September 2011
Reviewed by	RGGS Executive in consultation with Librarian
Review Date	Biennially
Access	Public Availability – RGGS Website

RELATED POLICIES AND DOCUMENTS

RGGS Student/Parent and Staff Handbooks

RGGS Copyright Policy

RGGS Audiovisual Viewing Policy