

Maine State Library Services Survey

As the members of the Maine Library Commission work on a strategic plan for the Maine State Library, they would like information about how libraries are currently using Maine State Library services. This survey has been developed to gather that information for the Commission.

Thank you for taking a few minutes to respond.

Deadline for survey responses is February 8, 2010 at 5 pm.

1. What type of library do you represent?

- Academic
- Public
- School
- Special

2. Do your PATRONS use any of the services provided by Maine State Library (MSL)?

Check all that apply.

- MSLN Internet connection (worth \$5,000-\$9,000 yearly)
- Interlibrary Loan (via Minerva, MaineCat, or ARRCs [Area Reference and Research Centers which are Portland, Maine State Library, Bangor])
- Van Delivery (subsidized by MSL)
- Large Print Program (Outreach services)
- Talking Books program (Outreach services)
- MARVEL! Databases (MSL and InfoNet)
- HeritageQuest online through MSL library card
- Obituary search service
- State Government documents
- Other services

Other (please describe)

3. Below is the list of services provided by the Maine State Library. Please check ALL those used by your library.

- MSLN Internet connection
- Van Delivery
- WebJunctionMaine and/or WebJunction online courses
- TechAtlas
- SCOOP Cooperative Purchasing Agreement
- District Consultant Services (Construction, Trustee/Board issues, one-on-one help)
- District Consultant Programs (Workshops, Council meetings, Reading Round up, etc.)
- Mentoring Program
- Library Makeover Program
- MARVEL! Databases
- Interlibrary Loan (via Minerva, MaineCat, or ARRCs [Area Reference and Research Centers which are Portland, Maine State Library, Bangor])
- Reference assistance (via ARRCs)
- E-rate support for individual libraries and MSLN paperwork
- Media services (Educational Videos, Digital Video Services, etc.)
- MSL website content and other online services for librarians (ex. job postings, Baxter reservations, event registrations)
- Listservs (MELIBS, MEINFO, MEFIND, etc.)
- Large Print books (Outreach services)
- Professional book collection
- HeritageQuest online through MSL library card
- Obituary search service
- State Government documents
- Other services

Other (please describe)

4. Of the following services please choose the 6 most important to your library?

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5. How would your library be affected if these services were not provided?

6. Are there other services that you would like the MSL to offer? Please answer yes or no. If yes, describe the other services.

7. Any additional information you would like to provide?

Thank you for completing this survey!

You will be redirected to the Maine State Library website after submitting.