

Employee preparation for Library Staff Appraisal

Ensure your quantitive statistics are current:

- Loan issue figures for previous year
- Count of bodies using the LRC at non- curriculum timetable times
- Numbers and spread of any pupil library assistants
- Numbers of groups/lessons booked into the LRC
- Figures on subject departments' use of LRC
- Numbers of events held organised by school library staff
- Numbers of pupils participating in these events
- Number of networking events attended
- Amount of training undertaken during year
- LRC budget details, how it's negotiated, spent, evidence of best value factors
- Description of Induction Programmes for new pupils and staff and progression into next keystage
- Example of promotional information sent to staff to promote services
- Example of posters used to promote the services to pupils
- Library committee meetings held and initiatives implemented
- Evidence of external promotion

Ensure your qualitative statistics are current:

- Recording of comments of where library has helped, students and staff, or from parents
- Increase in attainment levels in instances where you have worked with staff/students
- Result of networking tips picked up
- Result of implementing ideas learned on training impact on students and staff
- Improvements in stock, library accommodation, range of LRC offer, e.g. installation of e-book platform or other promotions evidence needed

Pull all of this together for your Annual Report.

Update the School Library Policy document and Development Plan. Does your job description reflect what you actually do day-to-day? Complete your part of Appraisal form so appraiser knows what you will be discussing.

Ensure you will not be interrupted during time set aside for appraisal.