Brand Identity Guidelines





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Mission

The Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District is a community resource for the advancement of knowledge, and a provider of innovative and informative cultural enrichment for all ages.

Vision

We aspire to be a recognized leader and collaborative partner within our communities, and an innovator in library best practices.

Key Messages

WNPLD is for everyone in the community. Individuals and groups use it in unique ways; these stories are what make the library special.

WNPLD is a place to connect with friendly staff, fellow patrons, resources, and ideas.

WNPLD expands worlds. Travel across millennia... or across Chicago; no boundaries here.

WNPLD is a premier library system. Staff go above and beyond to meet community member needs. The Northfield and Winnetka staff are united in providing the highest level of service.



Brand Positioning Statement

A brand positioning statement outlines exactly what your company does, for whom, and what makes you different. The idea behind it is to create a unique niche for your brand in the minds of consumers within your category. Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District (WNPLD) is a collaborative community resource that helps all members of the community learn and grow. An innovative hub that goes far beyond books, the Library takes an innovative approach to cultural enrichment and connecting people to knowledge.

Staff members are committed to providing the highest level of personalized services to help people uncover their story. Whether you visit the library at the Northfield location, the Winnetka location or engage online, WNPLD is a friendly resource that stirs your imagination, quenches curiosity and connects people and ideas.

Brand Tone

Brand tone includes key attributes to achieve when drafting outward-facing communications.



Sample Copy

Standards for tone and personality should be reflected in copy. A few examples are provided here.

Winnetka Northfield Public Library Disctrict

Did you know? Literacy Learning Starts Long Before Reading.

It's never too early for toddlers and preschoolers to start learning with WNPLD's Early Literacy Kits. Teach important pre-literacy skills through books, games, toys and a hearty dose of laughter.

Cutting-Edge Tools Available in The Studio.

From 3D printers to vinyl cutters, the WNPLD makerspace provides access to professional-level digital tools to inspire your next creative endeavour.

Are You Doing Everything to Prepare Your Child for Literacy?

It's never too early for pre-readers can enhance their literacy skills with kits that explore concepts such as words, rhymes and songs through books, games, toys, and more.

Logo Primary logo



Winnetka-Northfield PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

Logo Condensed logo



Winnetka-Northfield

PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT **Logo** Vertical logo



Logo Logomark



Logo White logos



Winnetka-Northfield PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

Primary logo



Color

Primary color palette



Primary logo lockup and clear space



Correct usage

Use the logo only in all black or all white, depending on which provides better contrast.



Northfield PUBLIC LIBRARY DISTRICT

Winnetka-



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Incorrect usage



Logomark color & fill



The logomark, unlike the full logo, be used in any color or fill when used alone.

Logo Usage Tagline

Discover Something New

Logo Usage Example

Tagline with logo

Discover Something New



Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District

Discover Something New Winnetka-Northfield

Regular

Condensed

Logo Usage Tagline with logo

Discover Something New Winnetka-Northfield Public Library District

Tagline



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Secondary marks with logo

When using the logo with an unbranded subset entity, such as a summer camp programs or currently The Studio, applying the logo mark behind the name is prefered.



The Studio logo treament

Typography Headlines

Laca

If unavailable, subsitute with Sen: https://fonts.google.com/specimen/Sen ABCDEF GHIJKL MNOPQ RSTUV WXYZ

Light Book Medium Semibold Bold

abcdefghijklmn opqrstuvwxyz

0123456789 !@#\$%^&*?

Typography Body copy

PT Serif

https://fonts.adobe.com/fonts/pt-serif https://fonts.google.com/specimen/PT+Serif

Also to be used for the tagline.

ABCDEF GHIJKL MNOPQ RSTUV WXYZ

Regular **Bold**

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Typography

Hierarchy and Styling

Headlines: Laca bold

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Laca medium

Body: PT Serif regular

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