



**NMB LIBRARY**  
COMMUNITY IMPACT

# COMMUNITY

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- Builds strong ties
- Cultural representative programming
- Economic impact
- Upholds community values
- Community redevelopment
- Community support & success



# CULTURAL REPRESENTATION

Ensuring that the various cultures in the immediate community are represented in our programming allows us to innovate and improve services that respond to the needs of the evolving community.

This meets IFLA's and UNESCO's cultural convention for the protection and promotion of cultural diversity.

It is up to us to libraries as the grass roots arm of the community to realize that our cultural programming is a driver for the developing and building understanding in our communities.



**CELEBRATE**  
**YOM**  
**HA'ATZMAUT**  
**ISRAEL INDEPENDENCE DAY**

## STRONG TIES

- CREATES A SENSE OF BELONGING
- INCREASES COMMUNITY SATISFACTION
- SENSE OF WELL-BEING



# ECONOMIC IMPACT

Demonstrating our knowledge of community needs and our willingness to impact the future has brought collaboration with business innovators, technology, museums and industry leaders. This allows us to build sustainable development goals and deliver instruction that leads to employability and furthering education.

- STEM Saturdays
- FABF Media Lab
- FABF Financial Literacy
- Augmented Intelligence/ TCT Robotics
- AI Community Instruction



# UPHOLD COMMUNITY VALUES

- COLLECTION DEVELOPMENT-BALANCED
- ORIGINAL FOREIGN LANGUAGE COLLECTION
- PROGRAMING SENSIBILITIES
- BUILD APPRECIATION & UNDERSTANDING AMONG DIFFERENT COMMUNITIES
- DELIVER SENSE OF BELONGING



# COMMUNITY REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY

- Displaying values of community building
- Investing in artists and programs
- Beautification of CRA business area
- Investment in library neighborhood
- Investment in education!





# COMMUNITY SUPPORT AND SUCCESS



- Perceived value by community and stakeholders
- Perceived value by partners and collaborators
- Providing employable skills and certifications to our teens
- Exposing students to college accessibility and options
- Obtaining college credit for teens finishing our program
- Providing a sense of belonging, civil involvement, satisfaction, cognitive and mental health outlets to all age groups
- Using our programing to provide added value to our surrounding businesses
- Staff professional development



FOR A BRIGHT FUTURE



# FIND YOUR COMMUNITY & THRIVE

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