

THE LEARNING CURVE @ CENTRAL LIBRARY - UPDATE

The Learning Curve @ Central Library, a unique flexible space located off the Atrium level, will extend traditional library services to children and teens by taking advantage of technology and multi-media resources. Take a sneak peak below at some of the features of the Curve at Central Library.

Construction crews have been busy building activity areas and installing the lighting, furniture, and carpeting in the Curve. There are eight learning spaces in the Curve designed to meet the needs of children (0-17) during every phase of learning development.



Hands on activities created by the Activity Guides will help young people from babies to teens become avid readers' ready to meet the challenges of the information age. These activities are based on current models for teaching information skills and complement Indiana Educational standards.



The Curve will have several spaces for parents and caregivers to enjoy constructive, creative time with their children

-in a Group Gove



-in the Make-Believe Theater



or deciding what areas to explore at the Directory Wall.



Young people can work together to access and use information to solve problems and produce their own projects in the Tech lab, the Arena, and Research Central. Other areas to explore are the Think Tank and the Multi-media Lab. Activities in the Curve will focus on inspiring curiosity and encourage inquiry helping kids to become better problem solvers and critical thinkers.

The Information Vortex-the visual signature piece at the Curve- invites visitors into the area with moving images projected onto a vortex shaped structure that represents the continual movement from chaos to order.



Please visit us when the Central Library opens to see the Learning Curve @ Central Library - destined to become a favorite place for families and children to visit while in the downtown Indianapolis area.