Library Policy -- Children in the Library

Murray State College shall establish rules and regulations for unattended children left in the library.

Children 13 years and younger must not be left unattended in the library. The safety and security of children is very important and is the responsibility of the parent or adult caregiver. The library is a public space, situations can arise that can present risks to children. Staff cannot assume responsibility for the child's safety and comfort when they are unattended.

Please note: A child 13 and under must be under the supervision of an adult who assumes responsibility for him/her while in the library.

1. Parents and adults must monitor all activities and behavior of their children while they are in the library and are responsible for their actions and for any damage to property done by the child.

2. If a child is left unattended in the library or in the event of an emergency, staff will notify campus police.