

# **Parent-Child Policy of the Carrollton Public Library**

The staff of the Carrollton Public Library welcomes you and your child to the library. In order to provide a safe and enjoyable visit for all users, the library has established the following policy.

1. A parent or caregiver is accountable for the conduct of their child.
2. Library employees cannot assume responsibility for children in the library.
3. Children under the age of 9 must be accompanied by a parent or caregiver while in the library. Staff may call police if a parent or caregiver cannot be contacted.
4. Disruptive behavior by any child in the library will be referred to the child's parent or caregiver.
5. Unattended children 12 years or younger left at the library after closing will be considered abandoned. Employees will attempt to contact a parent or responsible adult before releasing the child to the Carrollton Police Department.