



Denville Township Board of Education

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Motivating middle school students to read is sometimes difficult because they are not all interested in children's books, yet neither are they all ready for adult novels. Their interests, homework loads, and social activities are also tough competitors for books. When they do read, they want and enjoy books about other teens that they can relate to on a personal level.

The Valleyview Middle School library is a central resource for your child, containing materials specially selected to meet the reading interests and learning needs of students. The majority of our fiction collection is considered "Middle Grades", but we do have some "Young Adult" titles for our more mature readers. As a part of our effort to provide excellent programs for young people, we want to encourage you to allow your child to utilize the Valleyview Library by checking out books. As a parent/guardian, you are best able to judge the maturity of your reader; therefore, by signing the electronic permission form, you are agreeing to allow your child to check out any books from the Valleyview Library, including those labeled "Young Adult".

Sincerely,

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