

Midwest City Collection Scavenger Hunt

A walk through of the collection should take about 60-90 minutes. The purpose of the walk through is to spend time learning the collection layout before we start shelving training. If you cannot find the answer to any of these questions, feel free to ask a staff member for assistance.

Take note of the spine labels including any genres or stickers. When you look at these spine labels and/or stickers, what do you notice about the collection you are in? What questions do you have?

- Look at the Westerns. Where are the regular versus Large Print Westerns?
- How are the Large Print fiction genres and nonfiction books organized?
- Where are the adult graphic novels? The YA? The Juvenile? The Tween? What about nonfiction graphic novels in each of these areas?

- Where are the Music CDs for children and adults? How are the CDs organized?
- Where is the Young Adult (YA) collection? Can you find all the different areas (fiction, graphic novels, Sequoyahs, magazines, nonfiction, new books)? How is AV handled? Are fiction genres interfiled or not?
- What do you notice about the Adult Fiction collection (excluding Westerns and Large Print)? What are the different genres? Are Mysteries and Science Fiction titles interfiled or not? Are Short Stories separated out?
- Find the Harlequin books. (Hint: Look for “HQN” in large and regular print fiction). How are they organized?

- Find fiction and nonfiction audiobooks for different age groups. Where are they shelved? Which ones are interfiled with books and which ones are not? Where are the adult foreign language learning audiobooks?
- Investigate the children's area and identify the several different sections. What are they?
- Where are Sequoyah items kept for children? What do you notice about the spine label stickers?
- How are our feature films for different age groups divided throughout the library? What about documentary DVDs for the different age groups?

- Do we have a Foreign Language section or are they interfiled? Are bilingual books interfiled or not?