## The Village Charter School No. 473

**INSTRUCTION** 2510P

## Selection of Library Materials

The selection of library materials is a professional task conducted by the library staff. In selecting library materials, the librarian will evaluate the existing collection; assess curricula needs; examine materials and consult reputable, professionally prepared selection aids.

## Weeding

When materials no longer meet the criteria for selection, they shall be weeded. Weeding is a necessary aspect of selection, since every library will contain works which may have answered a need at the time of acquisition, but which, with the passage of time, have become obsolete, dated, unappealing, or worn out.

Discarded materials will be clearly stamped:

"WITHDRAWAL FROM THE VILLAGE CHARTER SCHOOL LIBRARY"

Materials may be disposed of in the most cost-effective and expedient manner by an employee with such authority consistent with the Articles and Bylaws.

## Gifts

Gift materials may be accepted with the understanding that they must meet criteria set for book selection.

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