

Community Library (HariNagar)

Libraries Values and Impact

- Effort to pull up community
- Provide answer what to study
- Provide answer if they got stuck anywhere
- Provide answer what should I do study next
- Fill gaps between book and money
- Helps in career choices

Purpose

- Carrer counselling
- Digital literacy
- Reading literacy
- Community growth
- creativity
- Health and well-being
- Self Independency among people

What people want from a library (according to my finding till now) :

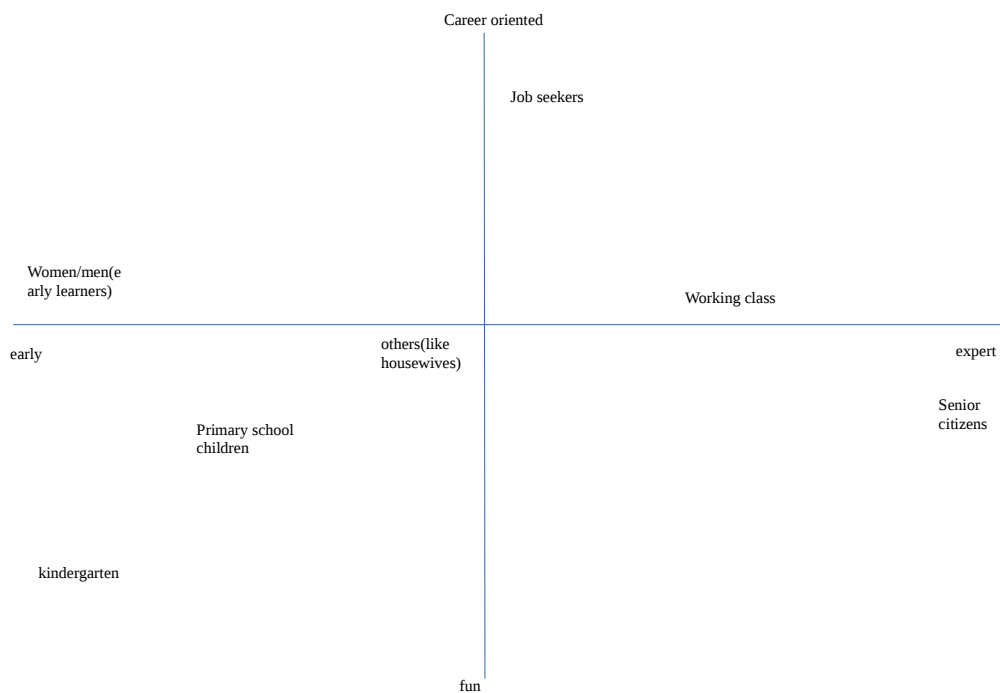
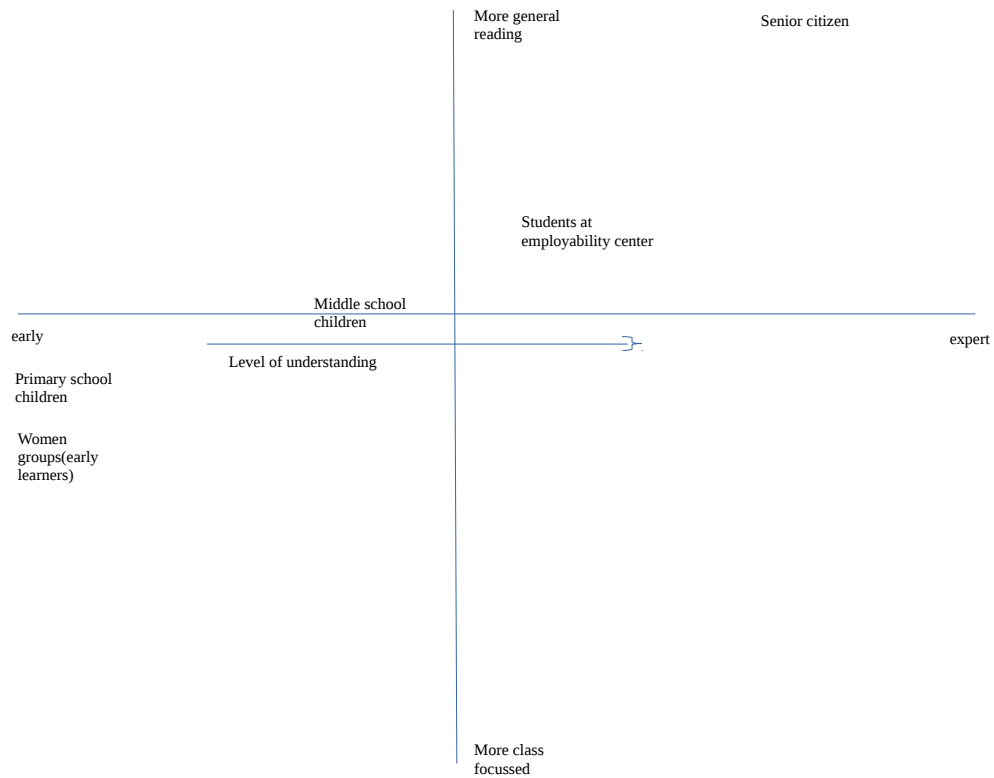
- study(school homework,tuition work)
- social contact
- reading stories
- finding out something
- more enjoyable than regular school classes

Persons we got to interact with :

- Students enrolled at employability center
- Garbage collector boy
- primay school children groups and individual as well
- Students enrolled in Agrasar Library
- Tuition teacher
- Women groups
- A boy who had not able to pass 10th board twice
- Parents of primary school children
- Tea shop boy
- Fruit vendor boy

After interaction from a bunch of people I arrived at the following framework for considering the user group of library.

Early learners	Active learners	Other citizens
Typical young children	Non Job seekers	Senior Citizens
Men/boys	Job seekers	others
Women/girls	Working class	Working class



The user of library is basically divided in 3 parts which are further divided into subparts :

- Early Learners
 - Typical young children
 - Men/Boys
 - Women/Girls
- Active learners

- Non Job Seekers
- Job seekers
- Other Citizens
 - working class *
 - Non-working class
 - Senior citizens
 - Others

*people employed for wages

Below is the the insights from interviews conducted. Their needs and what library can deliver them is noted down.

Early Learners

- Typical children(3-6 years)

User Needs

- Reading
- Digital literacy
- basic skills of daily activities (like related to health and hygiene)
- Workshops
- Art & craft activities
- Interesting informative videos
- Experiment books
- Invention books
- use computer

Need to Deliver

- require a teacher/volunteer to deliver specific tasks
- a proper schedule for workshops and activities
- competitions like reading challenge, picture identification,etc.
- Schedule to use computer by each of them.
- Inculcate them volunteering to help others.

- men
No Interaction with them at all.
- women
No proper interaction with them.

Active learners

- Non job seekers (consists of typical school going teenagers)

User Needs

- Career related information
- counsellor
- subject related doubts
- digital literacy
- Motivational sessions
- Organization of discussion of same kind of people in specific time

Need to deliver

- A library daily routine for same level or kind of people for discussion with each other
- Weekly counselling sessions from persons of different fields either in person or through video conferencing.
- Books to improve weak subjects.
- Books of tell me why showing them reasons of stuffs.

- Job seekers

Needs

- Guidelines to pursue a particular field
- Teacher in library
- search for the solution of problems arrived in his job*
- way to remember what he study
- books related to his/her area of interest like gk, skill development
- book borrowing service
- books that are not present should be made available after request
- Information about upcoming jobs
- book to handle family responsibility
- self help books
- book to learn english language/english language learning sessions
- to get knowledge of happening around us
- Tough language books should be made understandable
- how to start a good career
- easy process to get books
- information about job in his locality
- Session for importance of health & hygiene (girls hygiene)
- knowledge about how to start business

Need to deliver

- Motivational sessions/motivational biography
- Inculcate attitude of helping others through sessions/videos
- video projector

- career counsellor from different fields
- Books for starting business,gk,skill development,self help,personality development
- computers,handle family responsibility
- A library daily routine for same level or kind of people for discussion with each other
- Sessions from already employed citizens in different fields.
- Life hack books like how to remember stuffs,how to become engineer/scientist/doctor/teacher/other stuff.
- to get student feedback about the books they want
- Dictionary
- Notice board for about job in his locality
- Notice board for upcoming jobs
- Sessions for managing health and hygiene
- Newspapers (English & Hindi)

Other Citizens

- **working class**

User Needs

- Health & well being information
- social interaction
- digital literacy

Need to Deliver

- Internet
- books/ebooks
- health advice sessions
- Newspapers
- Religious textbooks
- Magazines

- **Non Working**

- **Senior Citizens**

Needs

- Digital literacy
- reading
- health and well being

Need to deliver

- Health information
- Books
- home service for books
- Religious textbooks
- Magazines
- **Other**

Needs

- Digital literacy
- reading
- health well being

Need to deliver

- Health information
- Books
- home service for books
- Religious textbooks
- Magazines regarding house managing stuffs

What library can deliver

- Must have books
 - Art and craft activities, board games related to learning purpose
 - Encyclopedia, space science, stories, Tell me why.
 - Science Experiment books
 - Self help books
 - learn and write english from basics , english grammar , dictionaries
 - about career information (like how to go in this field)
 - about starting own business
 - Monthly Magazines like pratiyogita darpan, competition success, etc.
 - About health and hygiene
 - Religious books like gita, ramayan, etc.
 - NCERT textbooks/ebooks , help books for NCERT
- computer (also a schedule so that user can also use computer for their own specific use)
- Interesting informative videos offline/online
- organize competition at regular intervals for all age groups
- Q & A session from experts online/offline at regular intervals
- career counselling sessions online/offline at regular intervals for both job seekers and active learners.
- A library schedule as per framework of division of population by me so that they can have discussion with each other
- Motivational sessions/motivational biography per week
- A notice board about job in locality and anyone in locality can update it , if he knows about vacancy somewhere or those who can offer job.
- Employability related newspaper and also regular hindi and english newspaper.

- Video projector
- monthly motivational figures documentary sessions

Purposed Library Structure :

- Library Student Council for managing library (will be given special incentive in some form like extra book issue, gift them book)
- Guest book feedback and suggestions
- Student book feedback and suggestions
- Feedback grid

Like	Any change
Dislike	New Idea

- publicity of library in govt. Schools
- teaching/story telling through videos
- A weekly routine for workshops/activities for primary and middle schools children and other activities like drama performance by students self prepared by students
- competition ideas
- Half yearly review sessions for library
- Beside these there is a need for proper environment design for library space.