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### BIBLIO POLICY RECOMMENDATIONS



## 1. Adopt a user centric approach in any library strategy

Libraries are access providers, and at the heart of this access provision are the users and their preferences and needs. A user centric approach guarantees flexibility to adapt to communities particular needs.

## 2. Increase direct and indirect funding for libraries

Investments in digital infrastructure, directly through funding measures, or indirectly through investments benefiting communities as a whole (public transport, or digital infrastructure for households).





# 3. Provide librarians and other staff with regular, accessible and timely training opportunities

They should be provided with training offers that are up to date, and the necessary flexibility to be able to take up trainings as part of their work.











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## 4. Embrace libraries as digitised community spaces

The opportunities of a digital transition can only be fully realised through the recognition of hybrid models between digital and physical activities.





### 5. Foster collaboration with other libraries and cultural institutions

Sharing resources, expertise, and best practices for digital services and programs plays to the strengths of libraries as connecting spaces, both physically and online.

#### 6. Assist libraries in connecting to users

Supporting libraries to engage with their local communities through social media and other digital channels to promote library services and programs, thus enabling the assessment of each library's individual and specific digitalisation strategy.



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