



# WASHTENAW LITERACY

## MISSION

Believing that literacy is the foundation for a sustainable community, Washtenaw Literacy provides literacy support, free of charge, to adults through a network of trained tutors.

## VISION

It is our vision to eliminate illiteracy in Washtenaw County,

## STRATEGIC GOALS

### Programming

We will focus literacy services to promote equity in our community.

### Sustainability

We will sustain literacy with diverse funding, partnerships, and human capital.

### Advocacy

We will advocate for literacy at the local, state, and national level.

## CORE VALUES

Literacy is a right and a cornerstone to equity. We work to accomplish our mission with these values guiding our decisions, relationships, and programs. We hold ourselves accountable for living our core values.



### Integrity

We promote excellence in literacy programming.

We uphold confidentiality in our operations and relationships.

We rely on evidence-based practices to ensure the effectiveness of our work.

We operate within a transparent framework of policies and procedures.



### Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion

We honor the diversity of our community and collaborate with partners to drive our commitment to equity and inclusion.

We seek to eliminate barriers to participation in the communities we serve.

We focus our expertise to remain relevant to the evolving needs of our community.



### Passion

We give generously of our resources, talent, and time to change lives.

We value our volunteers, supporters and staff.

We foster lasting relationships and shared engagement to realize our mission.

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