

Youth Services in Public Libraries

Note: Students who wish to work in a North Carolina public library can choose to apply for [NC Public Librarian Certification](#) at or after graduation. This optional certification requires completion of at least one course in each of the following areas: cataloging (INLS 520 or 721), reference (INLS 501), collection development (INLS 513), and library management (INLS 585). Under the new curriculum, these courses are no longer required, but if you are seeking this certification you will want to make sure that you take these. To ask whether a different SILS course might count in one of these areas, please contact the [certification commission](#) directly.

Core Courses (Take in Your First Year)			
INLS 777: Perspectives (Fall)		INLS 776: Ethics (Spring)	
Recommended Bin Courses			
<i>*Highly Recommended</i>			
Information	Services and Organizations	Technology	People and Communities
<i>Take at least 2</i>	<i>Take at least 1 (MSIS) or 2 (MSLS)</i>	<i>Take at least 2 (MSIS) or 1 (MSLS)</i>	<i>Take at least 1</i>
INLS 513 Resource Selection and Evaluation INLS 530 Young Adult Literature* INLS 732 Children's Literature* INLS 842 Seminar in Popular Materials	INLS 501 Information Resources and Services INLS 558 Principles and Techniques of Storytelling* INLS 585 Management for Information Professionals INLS 711 Disaster Planning for Libraries INLS 721 Cataloging Theory and Practice INLS 733 Administration of Public Library Work with Children and Young Adults* INLS 782 Library Assessment INLS 783 Library Instruction and Pedagogy INLS 843 Seminar in Public Libraries*	INLS 523 Introduction to Database Concepts INLS 534 Youth and Technology in Libraries*	INLS 500 Human Information Interactions INLS 660 Social Media and Society INLS 690 Information Professionals in the Makerspace* INLS 737 Inclusive Information Services for Diverse Populations
Capstone (Take in Second Year)			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● INLS 778 / 992 (research-based master's paper track) OR ● INLS 779 / 992 (practicum / project track) 			
Additional Recommended Courses			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● COMM 563 Performance of Children's Literature 			