


## AASL Standards Framework for **School Libraries**- Engage

SHARED FOUNDATION & KEY COMMITMENT	DOMAINS & ALIGNMENTS			
	A. THINK	B. CREATE	C. SHARE	D. GROW
<p><b>VI. ENGAGE</b></p> <p><b>Demonstrate safe, legal, and ethical creating and sharing of knowledge products independently while engaging in a community of practice and an interconnected world.</b></p> <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 20px;">  </div>	<p><b>The school library serves as a context in which the school librarian ensures that the school community is aware of the guidelines for safe, ethical, and legal use of information by:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Educating the school community on the ethical use of information and the intellectual property of others.</li> <li>2. Designing instruction and delivery of services that support equitable access to information in an efficient and ethical manner by all members of the school community.</li> <li>3. Embedding legal-, ethical-, and social-responsibility concepts into the inquiry and information-seeking processes.</li> </ol>	<p><b>The school library supports ethical processes for information seeking and use by:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Providing an environment in which all members of the school community can work together to develop, approve, and engage in clearly stated use policies to guide acceptable and ethical use of information, technology, and media.</li> <li>2. Promoting the responsible use of ideas, information, media, and technology through compliance with copyright and intellectual-property policies developed by the school librarian in collaboration with all members of the school community.</li> </ol>	<p><b>The school library encourages participation in a diverse learning community to create and share information by:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Providing both online and physical spaces for the sharing and dissemination of ideas and information.</li> <li>2. Providing a context in which the school librarian can model for learners, other educators, and administrators multiple strategies to locate, evaluate, and ethically use information for specific purposes.</li> </ol>	<p><b>The school library supports individual responsibility for information use by:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Providing an environment in which the school librarian can effectively develop, direct, and promote resources, services, policies, procedures, and programming aligned with current standards, ethical codes, and principles of the education and information professions.</li> <li>2. Providing an engaging learning environment that supports innovative and ethical use of information and information technologies.</li> </ol>