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This certificate prepares students for educational or library careers related to children and young adult literature, programs and services.

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Students will apply the principles of selection and evaluation to create an age-appropriate themed online pathfinder that is visually appealing and professionally annotated—object may be from LIS 517 or LIS 518.

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Using the tool of their choice, students will create the online pathfinder incorporating appropriate books, websites, and media; the project will be evaluated for content, writing and aesthetics using the Pathfinder Evaluation Rubric. Source of Evidence: Online Product (may be a website, wiki, blog, Google doc, Prezi, etc.) linked to the ePortfolio  
Source of Evidence: Project, either individual or group

Using the Pathfinder Evaluation Rubric, 90% of students will be rated commendable or exceptional.

100% (1/1) student seeking the certificate successfully completed the online pathfinder and scored exceptional (2/3) or satisfactory (1/3) using the Pathfinder evaluation rubric. (Spring 2015 1/1)

Students will create a year's worth of programs, coordinating supplies and budget, advertisements, and select examples for a targeted youth population.

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The required assignments will be assessed using the appropriate rubrics paying special attention to incorporation of theme months, appropriate paid consultants/performers, age appropriate selection of materials and program. Source of Evidence: Rubric rating score for calendar, budget, advertisements, and examples.

Source of Evidence: Project, either individual or group

Using the Rubrics, 90% of students will be rated satisfactory or excellent.

100% (1/1) of the students seeking the certificate were rated satisfactory or excellent using the rubrics. (Spring 2015 1/1)

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Review courses for possible additional electives for certificate plan.

	2013-2014
High	In-Progress
	Dr. Stacy Creel
	None

Compare our certificate course and assignment requirements with what other programs offer.

	2013-2014
High	In-Progress
	05/2016
	Faculty
	None

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No students completed the assessments during this cycle. We do have some students who will complete during the upcoming cycle and so far they are doing well on the assessments.

