I am going to the library.

Madison Branch
Before I go to the library.

If I am nervous about visiting the library, I can talk to someone and ask questions first. I can call 615-862-5868.

I can ask the person for a tour of the library.

I can ask the person about story time.
The library is usually a quiet place where people talk quietly, relax, read books, and use the computer.

Sometimes I come to the library for programs. We have fun at the library.

Sometimes it might be noisy. If it is too noisy, a librarian will help me find a quieter area.
Visiting the library.

When I get to the library, I will see the front door with a button on the right side.

I will push the button to open the doors.

When I enter through the doors, another set of doors will slide open and I will walk through.
Visiting the library.

When I walk into the library, I will see a big desk. This desk is called the circulation desk.

If I have a question, someone at the circulation desk will help me.

When I am ready to pick out my books, I will turn right and walk towards the children's area.
Visiting the library.

This is the children's help desk. If I need help, a librarian will help me. The librarian can help me find books, DVDs, and audiobooks.

Sometimes, the book or movie I want is not there. The library can also help me find another book or movie I might like, and can put the item I want on a waiting list so I can take it home another day.

When I am at the library, I can read books. I can play on the computers. If I want to listen to the computer, the librarian will let me borrow headphones.
Visiting the library.

I can play with the toys in the play area. I will try to play quietly.

Other children might want to play with the toys. I will try to share the toys. I will try to wait my turn if someone is using something that I want.

If I clean up my toys when I am done playing, the librarian will give me a reward at the desk!