**UNATTENDED CHILD POLICY**

**CRESCO PUBLIC LIBRARY**

**April 2019**

**In cases where children are under 9 years of age, they are to be accompanied by a parent, guardian, or other responsible individual. Children over 9 years of age that are unaccompanied by a parent or guardian, are expected to behave appropriately.**

**Children or groups of children visiting the Library from any preschool, childcare, babysitting facility, or social services agency must be directly supervised at all times by caregivers to ensure safety and to monitor behavior. Caregivers must maintain visual supervision at all times.**

**The Library is not responsible for children left in the building. In cases where children are remaining in the building at closing time, an attempt will be made to call parents or a guardian. If this attempt is unsuccessful, the Cresco Police Department will be notified.**

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