

Dear Sir or Madam:

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Funding for libraries helps provide fun technology education for our teens and their families at Minot Public Library. Here are some recent examples of tube tools and phone amplifiers.



State library funding also makes educational escape rooms possible. In these events, small groups work on team work, reading skills, inferences, riddles, poetry, decoding, matching, and map reading. In the Zoobreak Escape Room, this information is NOT next to each other! It takes teamwork and active listening skills to complete this task. These skills are skills we all could use personally and professionally to do a better job at work and school. Escape rooms are popular with teens to do with their families, or their friends making a special event for the library and great educational activity for our teens and tweens.

Teens are our future and their out of school learning is important. Our events are offered free of charge to any teen interested. Please fund our libraries

Sincerely,

Pam Carswell

Teen Librarian

Minot Public Library