

BLOOMINGTON BRANCH LIBRARY

Client: The Related Companies Location: San Bernardino, CA

Product Type: Public Library and Community Center

Services: Architecture, Land Planning

Library: 6,700 sf Senior Center: 2,200 sf

Community Center/Classroom: 2,625 sf





The Bloomington Branch Library is an integral part of a residentially anchored, mixed use community in an unincorporated area of San Bernardino County. The County included the public library as part of the original program for the intergenerational development in the belief that the library would not only serve community residents but also help to catalyze future development in the district.

The library is designed to serve multiple generations of users, with special areas for different age groups: children, teens and adults. The children's space, located in the two-story tower at the corner of the building, is furnished to kid-scale with brightly colored tables and chairs and easy-to-reach bookshelves. The entire library is light and airy with ample stacks, computers and a variety of comfortable seating.





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