California School Library Association
Strategic Plan

The current Strategic Plan, adopted by the CSLA State Board at the 2016 annual conference, examines five critical issues:

Critical Issue (1): Strong School Library Programs

How can CSLA promote strong school library programs across the state?

> ***Goal 1:*** *To identify and publicize school libraries that exemplify the California Model School Library Standards.*
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> ***Goal 2:*** *To offer outreach and support to districts and county offices of education who offer limited school library services and encourage extending the nature and availability of those services.*
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> ***Goal 3****: To provide tools to help stakeholders evaluate and support their school library programs.*

Critical Issue (2): Development

How can CSLA provide support and professional development for its members?

> ***Goal 1:*** *To build our members' professional learning communities.*
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> ***Goal 2:*** *To provide resources to help our members create strong school library programs.*

Critical Issue (3): Advocacy

How can CSLA advocate for strong school library services and instruction for all students and learning communities throughout California?

> ***Goal 1:*** *To be a strong voice for California school library services and programs, which create and support information literate students*
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> ***Goal 2:*** *To provide tools and resources for school library advocacy*

Critical Issue (4): Collaboration

How can CSLA make connections with organizations that support its student-centered values and goals?

> ***Goal 1:*** *To foster collaborative professional development*
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> ***Goal 2:*** *To foster collaborative advocacy efforts*

Critical Issue (5): Research

How can CSLA support, promote, and disseminate research projects that focus on California school libraries?

> ***Goal 1:*** *To seek funding resources to support research.*
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> ***Goal 2:*** *To encourage individuals and organizations to engage in research focused on California school libraries, their impact, and their needs.*
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> ***Goal 3:*** *To share research findings with CSLA membership, partners, and the broader educational community.*