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Library Summary

Institution name:	Southland College Prep Charter High School
Library name:	Resource Center
Library type:	School
City:	Richton Park
Primary library contact:	Victoria Keller, Research Information Specialist
Recommended board action:	RECOMMEND FOR FULL MEMBERSHIP
Major metropolitan area:	Metropolitan Chicago
Population served/FTE:	599

Library Information

Holdings:	7,104 books/78 periodicals/102 AV titles
OCLC member (yes or no):	No
Online catalog (OPAC):	Follett Destiny
eRead Illinois member (yes or no):	No

Strengths: The school library is located in a high traffic area of the school and the librarian takes advantage of this by creating book displays for students. The Broadcast communications class utilizes a classroom space in the library which provides a steady stream of students visiting the library.

Challenges: Like many schools today, the students maintain a very rigorous academic schedule, which leaves little time in the day to visit the library for leisure reading.