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THE PURPOSE OF THE  
NANTAHALA REGIONAL  
LIBRARY IS TO PROVIDE ALL  
RESIDENTS OF CHEROKEE,  
CLAY, AND GRAHAM  
COUNTIES WITH A  
COMPREHENSIVE COLLECTION  
OF MATERIALS TO AID IN THE  
PURSUIT OF INFORMATION,  
RESEARCH,  
EDUCATION, RECREATION,  
AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF  
CREATIVE CAPACITIES FOR  
THEIR LEISURE TIME,



Nantahala Regional Library is the oldest regional library in North Carolina and one of the first regional libraries formed in the United States. It first began on May 1, 1937 when the Tennessee Valley Authority signed a contract with the Murphy Library Board to provide service at the construction site of the Hiawassee Dam in Cherokee County. Nantahala Regional Library became officially established on November 14, 1940 after construction on the Dam completed.

# BOOKMOBILE

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(PICTURE OF NANTAHALA REGIONAL LIBRARY'S BOOKMOBILE IN 1964)

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FACILITIES, HOME BOUND  
PATRONS, OR YOU JUST  
SIMPLY ENJOY THE  
EXCITEMENT OF HAVING  
BOOKS ON WHEELS COME  
TO YOU!

We can bring you items that we have selected for you based on your preferences, books of specific authors or titles, or you may hop on the Bookmobile and pick them out yourself!

The books and resources will be rotated often, as well as themes, to help our patrons discover new finds every time we visit!

(PICTURE OF THE NATION'S FIRST BOOKMOBILE CIRCA 1905 IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, MD)



There is a four week rotating schedule, excluding holiday weeks. So we can see you as often as once a month, or less, if that is more accommodating for your reading habits.

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