

## Thank you for considering a gift to the Montreal Children's Library!

Your philanthropy and vision will sustain our core mission – teaching young children to read to awaken their imagination and creativity, making them lifelong learners.



### **Disclaimer**

*You should always consult a notary or lawyer when preparing a will to ensure your wishes are legally binding. The following is offered as general information and should not be construed as legal or other professional advice. None of the language here should be used without first reviewing it with your own legal and financial advisers to determine whether it is appropriate for your particular tax and estate planning situation.*

Legal name: **Montreal Children's Library/Bibliothèque des Jeunes de Montreal**

Charitable Registration number: **107718793 RR0001**

### **Sample wording for your will**

Here are some examples of wording which you can share with your notary or lawyer.

To give **the residue of your Estate** in whole or as a proportion using percentages. (The residue is what remains after taxes, administrative expenses and gifts to your heirs.) An advantage is that as your circumstances change, your will does not have to be altered, as the proportion remains the same.

**Example:** *"I give the residue of my Estate (or X % of the residue of my Estate) to the Montreal Children's Library, charitable number 107718793 RR0001."*

To give a **specific amount**.

**Example:** *"I give the sum of \$X to the Montreal Children's Library, charitable number 107718793 RR0001."*

To give a **specific piece of property, such as securities**.

**Example:** *"I give [insert number] shares of XYZ stock to the Montreal Children's Library, charitable number 107718793 RR0001."*

To make a **contingent bequest**. (This takes effect only if a specified event happens or doesn't happen.)

**Example:** *If my spouse does not survive me, I leave my estate to the Montreal Children's Library, charitable number 107718793 RR0001."*

If you have any questions or are considering directing your gift to a specific project or for a specific use, please contact us at (514) 276-7309 to make sure that your intentions will be respected.