Volunteer Opportunities for Teens at the Louisville Public Library

The Library has several opportunities for middle school and high school students interested in volunteering. Take a look at the opportunities below, check off which ones you are interested in, and return this completed sheet along with your volunteer application to the Volunteer Coordinator, Jill Siewert, by:

- Email (jills@louisvilleco.gov),
- Fax (303-335-4833),
- Regular mail, or
- Bring it to the Library and turn it in at any public desk.

A staff member will contact you as soon as possible to discuss current openings.

Teen Services Department:

- ☐ Teen Advisory Group
  - Meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month from 5-6pm to plan library programs and events, recommend books for the collection, offer opinions on policies, and more.

- ☐ Study Buddies (for high school students only)
  - Provide drop in homework help for kids in grades 4-8.

- ☐ Tutoring (for high school students only)
  - Meet with a middle school student every week for one hour throughout the semester.

- ☐ Review Crew
  - Write book reviews for the library’s teen book review blog.

Makerspace:

- ☐ Makerspace Program Assistant
  - Greet Makerspace guests, answer questions about use of space, and provide assistance as needed. Collaborate with staff & volunteers developing maker programs and organizing required materials and resources.

- ☐ Makerspace Maintenance
  - Restock Makerspace supplies, make sure the space is clean and organized, and ensure that everything is in working order.
Children’s Department:

☐ Reading Buddies
  o Read one-on-one with a child in grades K-2 for an hour each week to help foster a love of reading.

☐ Teen Summer Squad (*opportunity only available during the summer)
  o Help out in the Children’s Room during the Summer Reading Program by staffing the summer reading check-in station and helping out with various tasks around the department.

☐ Children’s Project Aide
  o Help the Children’s Division with one of our current projects or come in to clean books. Shifts are a maximum 2.0 hours long.

☐ Children’s Division Aide
  o Help the Children’s Division with various tasks throughout the department such as prepping crafts, filling displays, and tidying up. Shifts are a maximum 2.0 hours long, scheduled once a week, for a full semester.

Please provide your contact information below. A staff member will contact you to follow up with more information.

Name_________________________________________________________ Grade___________

Email address________________________________________________________

Anything else you’d like us to know?:

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