

TEEN DEPARTMENT INTERNSHIP

NOW HIRING: TEEN INTERN

JOB TITLE: Teen Department Intern

LOCATION: Headquarters Library, Teen Department

INTERNSHIP CYCLE: May 1-August 31, 2018

STIPEND: \$500 stipend upon successful completion of internship

DEADLINE TO APPLY: Monday, April 16th

HOURS: 6-10 hours per week. The intern must complete at least 130 hours of work to qualify for the stipend. The schedule varies, but will mostly be weekdays between 4-6pm during the school year, 2-5pm during the summer, and one Saturday a month.

The Teen Department of the Spartanburg County Public Libraries developed this internship to give Spartanburg County teens ages 14-18 an opportunity to work in a public library setting, gain hands-on experience and valuable skills, and discover how fun the library can be!

TO APPLY: Read through the posting below, complete the application, and return it to any SCPL location or to the Teen Hub at the Headquarters Library. Teens selected to interview will be contacted!

YOU WILL MOSTLY:

- Provide input on department initiatives and library services
- Collaborate with staff on program planning and provide program assistance
- Shelve and maintain neatness of the teen collections
- Write book reviews and create social media content
- Generally assist Teen Department staff and the public in the Teen Hub
- Plan and lead a teen program as the culmination of internship

IT WOULD BE AWESOME IF YOU:

- Are energetic and enthusiastic with a positive attitude and a willingness to do whatever is required
- Are organized, punctual, and able to adhere to a schedule
- Are welcoming and friendly to all teens (especially new ones!)
- Possess strong communication skills
- Are willing to take direction, learn quickly, and work independently
- Exhibit creativity, a good work ethic, and flexibility
- Enjoy reading teen literature and have a Spartanburg County Public Library card
- Have the ability to push heavy carts

WHY IT'S GREAT TO BE OUR INTERN:

- Gain work experience and community service
- A digital portfolio of initiatives and accomplishments assembled throughout the internship
- \$500 stipend upon successful completion of internship

This position is not an employee of the Spartanburg County Public Libraries. There are three internship cycles a year: January-April, May-August, September-December. Interns must be Spartanburg County residents.



TEEN DEPARTMENT INTERNSHIP APPLICATION

This application is how we decide who to interview, so tell us how awesome you are! Please fill it out completely. You may attach additional information...or anything else to show us why you're the best candidate!

Name	Age	Date of Birth / /
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Full Mailing Address

School	Grade
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Email	Phone #
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Do you need community service/volunteer hours for school? YES NO	Library Location
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How do you currently use the library? Have you ever been to a teen program?

What are your hobbies and interests? What are you passionate about?

Describe yourself in 5 words.

Have you had a job or volunteered anywhere before? If so, briefly explain your responsibilities.

Why are you interested in this internship? What do you hope to gain from it?

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Times you're available to intern:							

List any specific availability details here. (This includes days/times you can never intern, vacations, etc.)

Signature	Today's Date
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Parent/Guardian Information

Name	Relationship to Teen
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Address	Phone #
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Signature
