

D. A. Hurd Teen/Student Volunteers

The D. A. Hurd Library serves our community population of adults, students, and children ages 0 to 90+. Our role as a public library is to provide access to information and act with concern for individual privacy.

As a volunteer, we ask that you follow a few guidelines that reflect our mission to our users:

As a representative of our library, treat patrons, staff, and community members with the utmost respect and courtesy.

Individual library records and usage are considered privileged information and may not be discussed or shared with anyone other than the person concerned.

Appropriate attire is requested. If you choose to wear loungewear, short shorts or other relaxed attire, please do not wear those items while you are representing the library as a volunteer.

While sitting at the circulation desk, personal use of the library computers is prohibited. Please do not check your personal email, social media accounts, play games, or chat online. If your friends are in the library, please leave the front desk area before socializing.

If you have special talents, skills, or interests, please let us know. It would be helpful in providing us with ideas on how to best fill your volunteer time. For example, please share if you have web design skills, computer knowledge, musical ability, or an artistic flair.

Please choose and maintain a consistent schedule so we can provide a meaningful volunteer experience. Please call the library if you are unable to meet your volunteer obligation.

Teen volunteers earning community service hours must sign in and out for each visit. Unrecorded volunteer hours will not count towards community service time.

D. A. Hurd Library Mission Statement:

To offer the resources and encouragement necessary to promote the joy of reading, increase awareness of the world, broaden cultural horizons, and foster life-long learning; to provide a comfortable and welcoming place for all members of the community.

Teen/Student Volunteer opportunity application:

How often do you prefer to volunteer?(check all that apply)

Once a week

Once a month

Once a season

Summer

Other (call us to discuss at 207 676-2215)

Virtual Volunteering (check all that apply)

- Book reviews (online) (9th - 12th grade)
- Youth Advisory Board (9th - 12th grade)
- Programming assistance (9th - 12th grade)

In-person Volunteering: (check all that apply)

- Youth Advisory Board (9th - 12th grade)
- Programming assistance (9th - 12th grade)
- Summer Reading assistance (9th - 12th grade)
- Teen Tech Assistance (9th - 12th grade)
- Homework assistance (11th - 12th grade)
- Shelf support/display assistance (9th - 12th grade)
- Junior Board of Directors (10th - 12th grade)

Other: _____

Your Name:

First _____

Last _____

What grade are you in? _____

Parent or Guardian name:

First _____

Last _____

Parent or Guardian Email _____

Parent or Guardian phone number _____

Your Email (if applicable) _____

Your Phone Number (if applicable) _____

Do you have any skills/hobbies/talents/interests you'd like to share? _____

With gratitude,
Laura Cashell,
Library Director
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