Volunteer Options

For Ages 14 +
Grades 9-12

___Youth Desk and Programs:
  ___Library Programs
  ___Crafts
  ___Outdoor Work
  ___Youth Desk Assistant
  ___Tutoring (NHS Members)
  ___Summer Reading Program
  ___Other (list talent/skill)

Volunteer Options

For Grades 7-12

___Teen Advisory Board:
  ___Create Teen Displays
  ___Plan Teen Events
  ___Graphic/Digital Design
  ___Select Teen Books
  ___Select Teen DVDs/Games
  ___Choose Prizes
  ___Write Book Reviews
  ___Photography/
    Videography

Today’s Date:
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Volunteering Guidelines:
For general volunteering, you must be 14+ years old and/or in 9-12th grade at time of application. For the Teen Advisory Board (TAB), you must be in 7-12th grade. The library does not offer volunteer opportunities for court-ordered service.

How to Apply:
Fill out both sides of the application (please print neatly) and return it to the Teen or Youth Desk.

- General volunteer applications are kept on file for a year and applying to volunteer does not guarantee placement.
- For TAB, you must turn in this application and attend the monthly meetings.

We Will Contact You by email or phone to let you know about available opportunities and to schedule orientation and volunteer times.
Availability (check all that apply)

| Mon | __am | __pm | Tues | __am | __pm | Wed | __am | __pm | Thurs | __am | __pm | Fri | __am | __pm | Sat | __am | __pm | Sun | __am | __pm |

Number of Hours Needed (if applicable)

Reasons for Volunteering:

Emergency Contact

Name: ________________________________  Phone: _____________________________

Name: ________________________________  Phone: _____________________________

Volunteers under the age of 18* must have this portion completed by a parent/legal guardian.

Volunteer Hold Harmless Agreement for Minors

I, ________________________________, being the parent or legal guardian of ________________________________, do hereby voluntarily release, acquit and forever discharge the City of Westland, the William P. Faust Public Library of Westland, the Library Board and its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, servants and others working on behalf of the City or Library from any and all actions, causes of action, liability, claims, demands, damages, costs, loss of services, expenses, compensation, attorney fees and litigation expenses and all consequential damages that I may have against the City, the Library and its employees, agents, officials or servants on account of, or in any way growing out of or caused by any and all activities __________________ has engaged in or may engage in as a volunteer on behalf of the Library, including any and all known and unknown personal injuries, death and property damage that may result, including, but not limited to, any and all personal injuries or property damage which in any way results from or is in any way related to participation as a volunteer on behalf of the Library; and, I also agree that to the fullest extent permitted by law that I will indemnify and hold harmless the City of Westland, the Library Board and its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, servants and others working on behalf of the City or Library from and against any and all injury, loss, cost, expense, damage, liability or claims, whether groundless or not, which are caused by or are as a result of the intentional or negligent actions of ______________ as a volunteer on behalf of the Library or any of my agents, servants, representatives or persons acting on my behalf. I further agree, at my own cost and expense, to defend any claim, suit, action or proceeding which may be commenced against myself or any of my agents, servants, representatives or persons action on my behalf and/or against the City or Library; and I agree to pay any and all judgments or settlements which may be recovered in any suit, action or proceeding and any and all expenses, including, but not limited to, costs, attorney fees and settlement expenses which may be incurred by reason of such claim, suit, action or proceeding.

Signature of Volunteer ________________________________  Date _____________

Signature of Parent or Legal Guardian ________________________________  Date _____________

* If applicant is over 18, the Public Library of Westland reserves the right to conduct a background check.

Librnat Hours:

Mon - Thurs: 9am-9pm, Fri - Sat: 9am-5pm, Sun: 12-5pm
CLOSED Sundays from Memorial Day Weekend through Labor Day Weekend