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VOLUNTEER JOB DESCRIPTION

Title: Summer Reading Challenge Volunteer

Summary: Assists Summer Reading Challenge participants with registration, activities, programs, and shelving materials in the Children's Department. Reports to the Children's Summer Assistant and/or Branch Summer Reading Challenge Volunteer Supervisor, and works with other staff and volunteers in the department.

Locations: Aberdeen Branch, Abingdon Branch, Bel Air Branch, Darlington Branch, Edgewood Branch, Fallston Branch, Havre de Grace Branch, Jarrettsville Branch, Joppa Branch, Norrisville Branch and Whiteford Branch. *Note: volunteer opportunities vary from branch to branch; limited openings*.

Need:

- 2 3 hours per week (determined by branch needs)
- June 19 thru September 3 (date range varies by branch needs)

Essential Functions:

- Describe summer reading challenge to children
- Register participants in the program
- Help maintain control during group activities and programs
- Direct customers to other staff for assistance
- Shelve materials in the children's department
- · Record volunteer hours electronically using computer system
- Present a positive public image
- Other duties as assigned

Required Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Volunteer must be entering 6th grade and up
- Ability to work well with groups of children, parents, staff, and other volunteers
- Legible handwriting and printing
- Experience entering information into a computer
- Ability to follow directions
- Ability to give clear directions to participants
- Ability to attend training at selected branch

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