

The mission of the Santa Clarita Public Library is to bring people, information, and ideas together to educate, inspire, and enrich the quality of life in our diverse community.

Santa Clarita Public Library Volunteer Opportunities

Library volunteers help with a variety of services in the Valencia, Canyon Country, and Old Town Newhall Libraries, including organizing, shelving, and displaying materials, and assisting with programs and special projects/events, among others. The volunteer needs at each library vary, and not all opportunities are available at all locations.

Homework Helper – Assist K-6th grade children with their homework. *Volunteers should have strong academic skills in Math, Science, and Language Arts.*

Shelving Assistant – Organize and shelve library materials, and pull requested items.

Story Telling and Reading (STAR) - Share your love of books by reading with children at the library one hour/week. *Must be at least 18 years old.*

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) - Make your voice heard! TAB members assist in designing and implementing exciting library programs with other teens in 6th-12th grade teens. Monthly meetings are held at your local Santa Clarita Library branch.

Program Assistant – Assist the Librarian or presenter set up the room, equipment and/or materials, help with activities, interact with the public, and clean up after the program.

Friends of the Library Book Store Volunteer - Sort, categorize, and display gently-used donated materials to be sold in the Friends of the Library book store. *Must be at least 18 years old.*

Summer Reading Program (SRFP) Volunteers – Assist customers with online registration, distribute weekly incentives, assist with special events, and help organize and shelve materials. *SRP is a seven-week program.*

NOTE: The Library does not accept court-mandated or diversion program volunteers.

Qualifications:

- * **Must be at least 14 years old**
- * Able to file alphabetically/numerically
- * Able to follow multi-step directions
- * Able to work independently
- * Willing to commit to a regular, pre-selected schedule of 2 – 4 hours a week for a minimum of 10 weeks
- * Fingerprint clearance/background check required for volunteers age 18 and over