



Teen Advisory Board Information

Want to make a difference and offer your voice to the library and in the community? The Teen Advisory Board (TAB) is a group of teens, ages 12-18, from Grafton and Cedarburg who are interested in having a say in what their library does for them. TAB will meet monthly over snacks to talk books, movies, music, plan programs! Interested teens can fill out applications. If we receive numerous applications, we will use the application to evaluate who best fits with the board's needs.

WHAT DO WE DO?

The TAB's goal is to promote library services to teens at the Grafton Public Library and within the community by:

- Advising, planning and implementing teen programs.
- Promoting ideas, reading, programming and expression by and for teens by creating bulletin boards and displays in the young adult area.
- Recommending books, movies, music CDs and magazines for the YA collection.

WHAT WILL I GET OUT OF IT?

- Having a say in materials & programs for teens at the Grafton Public Library.
- Opportunity to be creative and expressive through art and imaginative activities.
- Personal satisfaction in serving your community and peers.
- Community service hours look great on college and job applications.

HOW MUCH TIME COMMITMENT IS REQUIRED?

- TAB meets on the second Monday of every month starting September 12th (at Cedarburg Public Library) and alternates between meeting at Grafton on even months and Cedarburg on odd months.
- Additional hours may be requested for special programs and projects.

HOW DO I GET STARTED?

- Fill out the Grafton Public Library's application and return it to the Children's Circulation Desk at the Grafton Public Library.
- Nicolette, the Youth Adult Librarian, will contact you about your application and our first meeting.

If you have any questions or need more information, contact Nicolette at (262) 375-5315 or by emailing her at nbirkholz@esls.lib.wi.us.

Please return the completed application to the Children's Circulation Desk by Tuesday, April 24.



Teen Advisory Board Application

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Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____

Why do you want to volunteer with the Library?

What projects or causes would you like to see the TAB support?

The Teen Advisory Board meets for 1 hour each month. Can you commit to meeting once a month and twice during the summer? ___ YES ___ NO

TAB members may also volunteer at the Library at other times with tasks for running programs. Would you be willing to do this? ___ YES ___ NO

Please list some of your activities and interests.

What do you like about the Library?

Thank you for your interest in participating with our Teen Advisory Board!