

Teen Advisory Board (TAB) Application



The goal of TAB is to provide real leadership experience to students in grades 8-12. One of the main goals of TAB is to promote library services to teens at the Mooresville Public Library. We wish to strengthen MPL's ties to teens in the community by using their knowledge and creativity to create programs, further expand our collection, and give back to the community. If you want to make a difference and offer your voice to the library and the Mooresville community, then fill out the application form below. Meetings are currently held on the second Tuesday of each month at 5:00pm. If you have any additional questions, please contact **Megan Mosher** at:

704-799-4161 or mmosher@mooresvillenc.gov

What are guidelines for joining TAB?

- TAB members must be between grades 7-12 or equivalent (whether students attend public or private school or are homeschooled), and a minimum of 13 years old.
- TAB members must be willing to commit to two meetings a month for a school year. *Failure to notify the teen librarian about missed meetings may result in removal from TAB.

TAB members will work as a team under the guidance and supervision of the Teen Librarian to:

- Advise, plan and implement teen programs
- Recommend books, movies, and other materials for the YA collection
- Assist in creating an inviting teen area and atmosphere in the library

Why should I join TAB/what do I get out of it?

- You will have a say in materials purchased and materials hosted at Mooresville Public Library
- You will have something creative and fun to do
- You have an opportunity to make the library a better place for teens
- Community service looks good on college and job applications
- The eternal and dying gratitude of the Teen/YA Librarian!

Name: (First, M.I., Last): _____

Preferred Name & Pronouns: _____

School: _____

Age: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Address (please include zipcode): _____

Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Please list any skills, special knowledge, or interests you might have that might be beneficial to volunteering as a TAB member.

TAB members may be asked to volunteer at the Mooresville Public Library for additional times to assist with different tasks or programs. Are you able to do this? _____

For Parents/Guardians

Do you give permission for your child/children to be photographed, videoed, Social Media, newspapers etc. during library events? **Yes or No (Circle one)**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

I _____ give permission for my
child _____ to become a Teen Advisory
Board member at the Mooresville Public Library. I have read and understand all the information above.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Emergency Contact Information

Name of Person to Contact: _____

Relationship: _____

Phone Number: _____ Alternate Phone number: _____

Thank you for your application!