

 MAKE A DIFFERENCE! 

Join Ashland Public Library's Youth Advisory Committee

Get involved at the Ashland Public Library!

- > Plan library programming for teens, including Summer Reading Programs
- > Write and film book reviews
- > Help purchase books for the library's collection
- > Juniors and seniors can ask for a letter of recommendation for their college applications



If you are in grades 7-12 , can commit to one year of service on the committee (meetings are once a month) , are enthusiastic about teen books, and you are willing to be part of an integral group at the library, you can turn in this application to the Youth Services Department.

Turning in an application does not automatically grant membership to the Teen Advisory Committee, as all applications must be reviewed.

Questions? Contact the Youth Services Department at 419.289.8188 x.603

Ashland Public Library Youth Advisory Committee Application

Name: _____

Grade and School: _____

Age: _____ Phone #: _____

Name(s) of Parent or Guardian: _____

Phone Number of Parent or Guardian: _____

Why do you want to be on the Youth Advisory Committee?:

What's your favorite teen book or series? Why?

Give two ideas for programs we could do at the library for tweens and teens (these don't have to be related to books; be creative and think of programs you would come to if they were offered):

Are you involved in any extracurricular activities or volunteer work? If so, please explain:

By signing this form you agree to the following rules if you are selected for membership:

- > Members must attend Youth Advisory Committee meeting. If a member must miss a meeting, that member should contact the Youth Services Department. More than two unexcused absences may result in the revocation of membership.
- > Members agree to be respectful and courteous of other Youth Advisory Committee members, the Committee Coordinator, library staff and library users.
- >Members must be willing to participate in all activities, brainstorming sessions, and to talk to their peers about the teen events at the Ashland Public Library. It is understood that schedules, school, jobs, family and other obligations will not allow for participation in all events but willingness to attend is key.
- > Members understand that their images may be used on various promotional materials for YAC and the library while they are a part of this group.
- > Members agree to adhere to the missions of the Youth Advisory Committee
 - > Plan and execute programming at the Ashland Public Library
 - > Volunteer for library programs and events, including children’s activities
 - > To be an integral part of the Ashland Public Library

Print Name: _____

Signature : _____ **Date:** _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____