



Dunedin Youth Volunteer Program

Thank you for your interest in participating in the Dunedin Youth Volunteer Program (DYV) at the Dunedin Public Library. The DYV program is designed to provide teen leaders, ages 13-18 and in 9th-12th grades, with a sense of pride and ownership through volunteering while developing skills that will prepare them for the workforce. We enthusiastically welcome individuals of all backgrounds and abilities who are able to perform tasks independently with minimal supervision. Please note that completing an application does not guarantee placement.

What We Expect:

- 12-month commitment for DYV members
- Complete 1 DYV orientation.
- Attend monthly DYV meeting held the 2nd Monday of the month at 6:00
- Help to set up or break down and attend at least 1 library program per season
- Attend a library volunteer opportunity at least once per month
- Assist library staff in developing and executing programs including planning, creating crafts and serving snacks
- Recommend books to be purchased
- Create teen content: videos, reviews and more!

Please complete the attached:

- Program application
- Supplemental Questions
- Attach one reference letter from a non-relative

Return the completed application to Dunedin Public Library by **January 24th, 2026**

Dunedin Public Library
223 Douglas Ave.
Dunedin, FL 34698
(727) 298-3080 ext. 1705

Please schedule an interview when you drop off your application.

Interview dates available the week of 2/9/2026 - 2/13/2026

Supplemental Questions:

- 1.) Why are you interested in participating in the Dunedin Youth Volunteer program?

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- 2.) Are you involved in any student related clubs, service organizations or groups? What other volunteer experience do you have?

- 3.) Do you have any previous experience in working with children? If so, describe where and what age group.

As a DYV member, you will be expected to attend all monthly meetings including at least one educational or community service project per month and volunteer a minimum of one program per season.

For our purposes the seasonal periods are Summer: June-August, Fall/Winter: September-December, and Spring: January- May. This includes arriving one hour before the program to set up and staying after the program to clean up.