

## Frequently Asked Questions

### **What things do volunteers help with?**

There is a variety of opportunities for volunteers. Some opportunities are cart ordering, shelving, and assisting customers with internet computers.

### **What time commitment is expected of me as a volunteer?**

Many of our positions require a minimum of 3-6 months. Some positions require more training and longer commitments of 6-12 months. A typical shift is 2 hours once a week.

### **Will I have a set schedule?**

Yes. We need to know when to expect volunteer help so scheduling is very important.

### **What if I only want to volunteer for a couple of weeks or a short period of time?**

Our positions require a regular on-going commitment of a minimum of 3 months. Short-term volunteer opportunities can be found at [Connect Central Oregon](#).

### **What is the minimum age required for volunteering?**

Applicants who are 12 years of age or older will be considered for most positions.

### **Can I complete service hours for school?**

Maybe. Contact your local library to discuss options. There are limited opportunities for students that need to complete 10 hours or less of service.

### **Can I complete community service hours that are court-referred?**

Maybe. Contact Volunteer Services at 541-617-7056 for more information.

### **How do I get training?**

On your first day, you will begin training with staff. Some positions require additional training which will ideally coincide with your regular weekly shift.

### **I'm interested in volunteering evenings or weekends. Is that needed?**

Maybe. Contact your local library to discuss evening and weekend opportunities.

### **How do I get started?**

Complete an online application. We'll be in touch 7-10 days after receipt of your application.

### **Other questions?**

Contact your local library or Volunteer Services at 541-617-7056