

Queen Anne's County Library - Guys Read Volunteer Application

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email Address: _____

Phone Number(s): _____

The best way to contact me is phone email text

I am available to visit schools in the following areas

Kent Island Grasonville Centreville Church Hill Sudlersville

I am available to volunteer during lunch time hours on

Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday

I am interested in volunteering up to _____ times a month.

I understand that I must complete the Queen Anne's County Public School volunteer training session before I can begin helping little guys love reading.

How did you find out about Guys Read?

In Library Library website Library newsletter Facebook
 Newspaper Friend Other _____

Return the completed form to Kim Baklarz via your library or email kim@qaclibrary.org. For more information email or call 410-758-0980.

The average reading scores drop precipitously for boys in the 3rd and 4th grades because their brains are developing more slowly than girls at this age.

Showing reluctant readers that books can be fun will encourage them to read and use the library.

Many boys reach adulthood without having masculine role models who read for pleasure.

Establishing male readers as role models helps to counter a wide-spread stereotype of reading as a feminine activity

For the program to be successful we need men in the community to become volunteer readers.

Teams of volunteers visit the school at lunch time and read to the boys while they are eating.

Volunteers can choose to participate in only a couple or many sessions depending on their schedules.

Big guys volunteering their lunch time makes a huge difference in the lives of little guys.



Complete the Guys Read application to receive more information.

Questions? Contact Kim Baklarz

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