

Penticton Public Library's Youth Advisory Committee (YAC)

Please fill out all the information below to apply to be on the Youth Advisory Committee.
Your information will be kept private and will not be shared with anyone.

YOUR INFO

Name: _____ Age/Birthday _____
Would you like me to use a different name at YAC? _____
Home Address: _____
Phone Number: _____
E-mail: _____
Parent Name(s): _____
Best way to contact you: _____

SCHOOL INFO

School & Grad Year _____
What's your favourite class? _____
Are you interested in earning volunteer hours? _____

TELL US MORE!

Why do you want to join the YAC? _____
How did you hear about the YAC? _____
Do you want to join us on Discord? If yes, write your Discord name here: _____

AND SOME MORE...

Top Two Hobbies: _____
Board games or video games? _____
What would you pick as a super power? _____
Favourite cereal or breakfast food? _____
Salty or sweet snacks? _____
Binge a tv show or draw it out for as long as you can? _____

MEDICAL STUFF

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____
Home number: _____ Cell Number: _____
Allergies/Health conditions we need to know about?
(Asthma, allergies, gluten-free, medic-alert bracelet, etc) _____

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WHAT IS A YOUTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE?

A Youth Advisory Committee (YAC) is a volunteer teen group designed to let teens be part of what happens at Penticton Public Library. With monthly meetings, YAC will work with the Penticton Public Library's Youth Services Technician to create a variety of fun programs for teens, work on teen library projects, and participate in other volunteer opportunities

OUR MISSION STATEMENT

"The Penticton Public Library's Youth Advisory Committee will create events to entertain teens. We will encourage teens to explore all aspects of the Library, and share what we do with the community. (P.S. We have free pizza.)"

WHO CAN JOIN THE YAC?

You can join the YAC if you:

- Are 13-18 years old
- Have a ton of great ideas
- Like designing events
- Are interested in working on your leadership skills
- Are interested in sharing your opinion about library services & events for teens!

WHAT DO I GET FOR JOINING?

- FREE PIZZA!!!!!!
SO MUCH PIZZA EVERY MEETING!!!!
 - Volunteer credit for grad portfolios
 - A chance to develop workplace skills
 - A nice add-on for a resume/
university application
 - To hang out with other library teens
- You can also request to have a reference letter written if you come to meetings often!

WHAT DOES THE

LIBRARY EXPECT FROM ME?

- To attend monthly meetings
- To work with other teens to boss us around
- To tell your friends about free library programs
- To come to teen night events
- To share ideas and participate in discussions

Note: If teens miss more than 3 meetings in a row and there is a waitlist to join the YAC, that teen may be asked to step down from their position



***Please note: There will (sadly) be no actual, live yaks attending the YAC meetings.**

HAVE QUESTIONS?

Still have more questions about the youth advisory committee? PERFECT.

Feel free to contact Lara at the library, or check us out on social media.

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