

**James V. Brown Library
Volunteer CIRCLE Program
Position Description**

Outreach Storyteller

The Outreach Storyteller provides storytime programs that meet the educational and entertainment needs of children, parents, and caregivers by sharing stories, music, and movement in a loosely structured storytime format. This person will provide these stories in various location throughout the community including child care facilities, community centers, clinics, doctor's offices, etc. These programs will be scheduled through the library's Youth Services Outreach Coordinator.

Hours	Flexible.
Time Commitment	Flexible.
Location	Various.
Nature of Work The following list is representative of the typical duties and responsibilities performed. The employee's actual duties and responsibilities may vary slightly depending on department needs and individual assignments.	Plan, with the assistance of youth services staff when needed, simple storytime programs that will engage and entertain families in various locations throughout the community. Alert staff when they will not be able to do a program that they have planned due to a scheduling conflict. Keep accurate statistics according to established library procedures of how many children and adults participated in the program. Have fun, share stories, read to children and take great pride in introducing the children and families of the community to the joy of books and reading.
Qualifications	Must love to read. Must love children. Must love libraries. Must be able to and comfortable with being in front of a group. Ability to read to various ages of children and their parents/caregivers in a group setting. Ability to share the joy of reading and stories with children.
How to Apply	Contact Volunteer Coordinator at 326-0536, pick up paper application at library customer service desk, apply online at www.jvbrown.edu/volunteer.html
Supervisory Department	Family and Youth Services