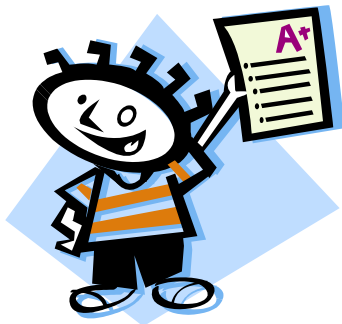

Thanks to all our wonderful volunteers!

Year after year, Cooper Library is graced with the presence of numerous hard working volunteers. Without your continued support, my success would be limited. It is thanks to your dedication that I am able to spend my time creating a learning environment for both the students and teachers of our school. Your work truly benefits everyone at Cooper. I am forever grateful!

Cindy



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Library Volunteers

James F. Cooper Elementary School



*If interested, please contact
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Why does the library need volunteers?

Cooper Library has over 20,000 books in its collection! That is almost double the amount that is housed in the other Cherry Hill elementary libraries. Without the help of volunteers, it would be impossible to maintain a collection of this size.



There is always something that needs to be done in the library! Below is a list of things that volunteers do for our library:

- Reshelf books
- Make sure books are in proper location
- Catalogue new books
- Print overdue notices
- Help with the weeding of outdated materials
- Assist students in locating materials
- Assist students with using the computers
- Check-in/out books
- Help with author visits
- And the list could go on and on...

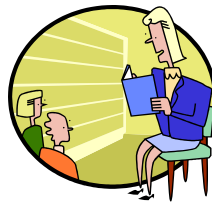
When are volunteers needed?

All the time!!! There is always something to do in the library! If you are interested in volunteering, you are welcome to come anytime! Some things require more time than others, so the length of your stay is up to you. If you can only come in for 10 minutes, that is plenty of time to shelve a few books, or check the ordering of a shelf. If you are able to stay longer, there are ongoing projects that could use your help!



I know that your time is precious, and I appreciate anything that you can offer. If you do want to volunteer, please don't feel that you are locked down to any one specific time. Feel free to come whenever you are able.

Your child's library time



Each week, your child's class will visit the library. If you are able to come to the library during your child's library time, you can assist the students in finding books to take home, and help them to check them out. This takes place at the last 8-10 minutes of each K-3rd grade class, and usually the first 8-10 minutes of each 4th and 5th grade class. When the students are not looking for books to take home, they will be engaged in a library information skills lesson that I will be teaching. During this time, volunteers will be able to help with one of the many tasks required to keep the library running smoothly.

I would like to volunteer. Now what?

First of all on behalf of the students and faculty of Cooper School I would like to thank you for your dedication to your child's school and our library!

Please contact me at your earliest convenience to let me know when you think you are able to help.

The best way to contact me is via email. Phone calls work too, but if I am teaching I cannot come to the phone. Please feel free to call anytime, but understand that I may have to call you back at another time. Also, the direct line to the library does not have an answering machine...so it may be hard to catch me on that line.

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I look forward to hearing from you!

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