How Teen Advisory Board Builds Student Success

Our focus is teaching **teens ages 13-18** essential leadership skills to succeed in high school and beyond. These life skills are demonstrated through actively participating in volunteer opportunities, working on library projects, and becoming a community advocate for the library. Leadership skills we impart to the teens involve time management, working with peers to accomplish a goal, critical thinking and communicating with all age groups. Another important component of Teen Advisory Board is learning about new digital technologies; including 3D printing, the fundamentals of coding, Cricut and other items in our newly established creation station. After learning skills, the teens are encouraged to share knowledge volunteering to assist children through adults with library technologies.

![Teen Advisory Board Road Map to Success]

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GENERAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Population (since 2017) 96,578

Library Card Users (2018) 37,109

TOTAL ACTIVE MEMBERS

2018 - 2019 17
2017 - 2018 16

TOTAL VOLUNTEER HOURS

2018 - 2019 166 HOURS
2017 - 2018 263.57 HOURS

SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS

$73,000

- Saint John Fisher College Trustees Scholarship & Honors Program
- Urban League of Rochester Black Scholars Award
- Allegheny College Global Citizens Scholars Program
- National Women in Sports Day Essay - Honorable Mention Award
- PLA Inclusive Internship Initiative
- The Princeton Prize in Race Relations