Ridgewood Public Library 125 North Maple Avenue Ridgewood, NJ 07450

## PT JOB OPENING-July 2021

CIVIL SERVICE TITLE: LIBRARY ASSISTANT

Primary Department: Circulation

## **EXAMPLES OF WORK:**

- Welcome and assist library patrons with a smile at busy Circulation Desk, with occasional coverage in other departments
- Perform superior in-person and telephone Customer Service
- Use computer system to help patrons locate, borrow and return books and media, and to create and update library cards
- Reader's Advisory: assist patrons at all service desks and in the stacks in selection of best books, films and music materials to meet specific needs and interests
- Lead or lend a hand with programming as needed, e.g., plan a lecture, lead a book group
- Shelve materials throughout library and keep the stacks organized, neat and clean
- Related duties as required.

**HOURS:** Schedule has some flexibility.

(16 hrs/wk) Monday 5-9 Thursday 10-6 Friday 2-6

Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday, 1 Sunday per month 1-5pm

**STARTING SALARY:** \$12 - \$16, commensurate with experience

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Team player: Loves meeting & inspiring people. Enjoys working with adults and children in a busy environment
- Customer-focused: warm, friendly, helpful, courteous & energetic with a can-do, positive attitude
- Excellent communication skills, computer proficient; creativity, familiarity with social media and desktop publishing experience a plus
- Knowledge of popular books and media in all formats and a desire to share that knowledge with others
- Able to create, administer or assist with programming. Fresh ideas welcome.
- Able to lift books, stand, shelve on low and high shelves
- College degree and BCCLS experience a plus

For employment application, please visit <a href="www.ridgewoodlibrary.org">www.ridgewoodlibrary.org</a> or the Circulation Desk. Please send application, resume & references to:

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