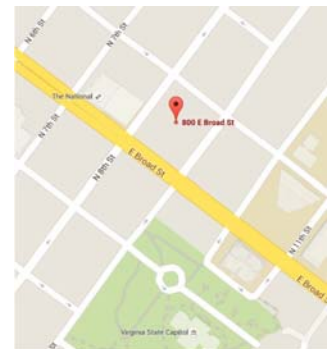




Position Overview

The Library of Virginia is seeking an experienced Children's & Youth Services Consultant for the Library Development and Networking Division. The successful candidate will provide comprehensive consulting services and programs in the areas of service to children, youth, families, literacy initiatives, and similar specialized areas offering direction, assistance, counsel, oversight, and training to the public libraries. The Library fosters an open, team-oriented environment and is looking for a candidate who will support our core values and competencies: collaboration, teamwork, building trust, and supporting the Library's Vision and Mission.



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Richmond, VA 23219

The Library of Virginia

The Library was founded in 1823 to preserve and provide access to Virginia's incomparable manuscript and printed holdings, 123 million & 3 million respectively. Our collection, which has grown steadily through the years, is the most comprehensive resource in the world for the study of Virginia history, culture, and government.



As the Commonwealth's library and archives, the Library of Virginia is a trusted educational institution. We acquire, preserve, and promote access to unique collections of Virginia's history and culture and advance the development of library and records management services statewide.

THE LIBRARY OF VIRGINIA'S MAIN BUILDING

CHILDREN'S & YOUTH SERVICES CONSULTANT (Library Specialist III)

Position Number 00112

Salary Range up to \$65,000 (commensurate with experience)

Full-time with benefits

Qualifications

- Valid Virginia's driver's license or the ability to obtain one prior to hire;
- Progressively responsible professional library experience;
- Knowledge of library management and information services, the principles, practices, and policies of youth services in libraries;
- Knowledge of trends and techniques in planning, managing, and evaluating youth services;
- Knowledge of the principles of Outcome Based Evaluation measurements;
- Knowledge of the principles, practices, and public policies relating to youth;
- Knowledge of principles of literacy development in families and at various stages of childhood;
- Ability to conduct research, plan, and conduct programs and training;
- Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing;
- Ability to work in teams internally and externally;
- Ability to use computers and standard applications in the modern office environment;
- Ability to work independently;
- Ability to travel during the day and occasionally overnight;
- Graduation from an ALA accredited university with a master's degree in library science preferred; and,
- Virginia Professional Librarian Certificate preferred.

An equivalent combination of education, training, and experience may substitute for educational requirements.

To Apply

Candidates must submit a fully completed Virginia state employment application and cover letter online at <https://virginiajobs.peopleadmin.com> for position #00112.

Please visit our website at www.lva.virginia.gov for additional information about the agency. Selected candidate must complete a criminal background check.

The Library of Virginia is an Equal Opportunity Employer and encourages women, minorities, individuals with disabilities, veterans, and people with National Service experience to apply. Reasonable accommodations are available to persons with disabilities during the application and/or interview process per the Americans with Disabilities Act.

An EEO/AA/ADA Employer

The Office of Human Resources can be reached at 804/692-3586 or by email at nancy.epperly@lva.virginia.gov.

Applications for this position must be received by 11:59pm on February 16, 2018.