

S P L A T !

Sherman Public Library Advisory Teen (Board)
School Year 2018-2019 Application

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email: _____

The best way to contact me is: _____

Emergency contact and phone: _____

Why do you want to participate in SPLAT? _____

What do you hope to accomplish by being a member of SPLAT? _____

What are your hobbies and interests? _____

Why is the library important to you? _____

Do you have previous volunteer experience? _____

What other school or extracurricular activities do you participate in that may conflict with monthly SPLAT meetings (held every third Thursday of each month, except for August)? _____

For the success of SPLAT, we require that you respect everyone who attends. We want to have a warm, inviting atmosphere, free of as many distractions as possible. In order to create this environment, we all need to remain within the guidelines.

Please read the following rules of conduct for participating in SPLAT. By signing this form, you agree to abide by the following regulations:

1. Limit joking around, and do not antagonize others. We do not tolerate racial or sexual jokes and do not allow colorful, vulgar language.
2. Do not play, i.e., running around, jumping, manipulating library furniture, playing with the snacks, etc.
3. Remain engaged with the meeting. Unless you have to go to the bathroom or an emergency occurs, you may not leave the room.
4. Take turns speaking and respect the one speaking.

If you do not abide by these rules, Ms. Melissa will have to speak with you to discuss your participation in SPLAT. SPLAT is a working board where we try to make a difference in the library. If you do not participate in the group in meaningful ways, you will have to resign from the group and join at another time.

I agree to abide by the rules of conduct and will do my best to be respectful to my fellow SPLAT members: _____

As a member of SPLAT you are expected to attend SPLAT meetings and volunteer in at least 2 library programs annually (e.g., book sortings and sales, summer reading program, Trick or Treat village, children's story times and special programs, any special SPLAT created programs, etc.). Are you willing to make this commitment? _____

Please return completed application to the library. For more information, please contact the library at 903-892-7240.