

Substitute Reference Librarian

The Westport Library is seeking several substitute reference librarians who will play an important role in helping make our Library a stimulating place for people of all ages to engage, connect and utilize all the best resources. He/she will be an expert at teaching patrons and staff how to use technology from e-readers to on-line databases. The successful candidate will be able to deliver quality reference interactions via phone, IM, email, video chat, and in person sessions.

Potential other tasks assigned would be to design and deliver "how-to" training and innovative offerings, develop content for the web, and create resource guides. Experience with Libguides is a plus.

The successful candidates will enjoy working side by side with people in the community to showcase the best assets of each library patron. The selected candidates will have an MLS degree from an ALA accredited university; strong readers' advisory skills; experience in a library or similar knowledge-based environment; excellent research skills; and advanced computer skills.

The ideal candidates will have a very flexible schedule and will be willing to work as needed, including evenings and weekends. Recent graduates and MLS students in their last semester are encouraged to apply. This position pays CLA minimum standards.

Send resume and cover letter to jobs@westportlibrary.org