

Fresno County Public Library

English as a Second Language (ESL) Conversation Circle Leaders

Impact and Outcome

Assist adults learning English as a second language in improving their conversational English skills in an informal small group setting.

Key Responsibilities

- Plan and lead a small group activities and discussions for adults learning English
- Submit simple monthly reports on hours and participants
- Maintain contact with Literacy Services Center regarding needs, concerns, questions, etc.

Qualifications

- Must be over the age of 18
- Fluent in English
- Flexible, mature and patient
- Interest in and ability to work with people from diverse backgrounds

Commitment

Minimum six months commitment. Schedule; two hours per week to be determined by Circle Leader and student.

Training and Support

Free 3 hour Circle Leader training workshop
Materials provided
Ongoing information and consultation as needed

Benefits to the volunteer

Gain experience in working with people from diverse backgrounds
Learn about other cultures and language groups
Meet a variety of interesting people
Make a valuable contribution to our community

For more information

Contact Rebecca Wade at Rebecca.Wade@fresnolibrary.org or call the Fresno County Library Literacy Services Center at (559) 224-7094.