



CHICAGO PUBLIC LIBRARY



TEEN



Chicago Public Library presents Teen Volume, a series of programs and services offering teens opportunities to find great books on library shelves, participate in book discussions, meet authors, discover their creative writing potential, adapt and perform literary works, acquire money literacy skills and explore dynamic website content.

Through the Teen Volume initiative, Chicago Public Library's Department of Children and Young Adult Services works with a team of teens and librarians from throughout the city to select books for its collections and design fun, educational and cultural programs for teens.

The overarching goals of Chicago Public Library's Teen Volume project are to:

- stimulate the reading and writing interests of teens
- get teens excited about discussing books and planning for their futures
- provide teens with opportunities for self-expression through programming and volunteering
- improve teens' reading comprehension and financial literacy skills
- showcase the free information available through books, magazines, databases and the website at the library
- shape life-long readers and literate adults who are thoughtful and creative participants in their communities