



Burnaby Public Library is located on the ancestral and unceded homelands of the hən̓q̓əmi̓ñəm̓ and Skwxwú7mesh speaking peoples. We are grateful for the opportunity to be on this territory.

BPL empowers the community to engage with and share stories, ideas and information. Our vision is a welcoming community where all people can explore, learn and connect.

Burnaby is the third largest city in British Columbia, with excellent rapid transit links, significant parkland, and well-equipped recreational facilities. Our 230,000 residents speak more than 100 languages, and more than half of our culturally diverse population has a mother tongue other than English.

BPL's four libraries are important public spaces, meeting places and centres for discovery and dialogue, anchored by our broad and deep collections and our commitment to in-person service. BPL is committed to meeting the needs of our highly diverse community, with an increased emphasis on community-led approaches and connecting with people outside the library, a greater focus on digital literacy, and a commitment to upgrading and rethinking our public and staff spaces.

Burnaby Public Library invites applications for the following position. Forward your resume and cover letter to libadmin@bpl.bc.ca. Please quote **Competition #25/2021.10.06**. The closing date for this posting is **Friday, October 15, 2021**.

Position Title: LIBRARIAN 1 – ADULT PUBLIC SERVICE – CAMERON LIBRARY

Position Summary:

Design and delivery of information, reference, reader's advisory, programming and technology assistance with a focus on service to adults at the Cameron Library. Approximately 60% of the time will be doing direct public service. The Librarian 1 reports to the Branch Manager.

This is a regular full time position. The weekly hours are 37.5 with varying shifts including evening and weekend work. The required schedule is included at the end of this posting.

Duties:

- Provide personal reference and information services that connect patrons with the resources and information that they need. Assist patrons with technology and digital resources.
- Develop and deliver library programs for adults.
- Engage with partners and community members outside the library walls to deepen BPL's knowledge of our community, to identify barriers to library service, and to develop relevant and inclusive library services.
- Prepare and maintain a variety of resource lists, records, reports and statistics related to the work.
- Attend meetings, workshops, seminars, conferences and other organized activities related to the work.
- Work assigned may be for the library system and may involve the supervision of other staff.
- Assume responsibility for library premises when required.

Qualifications:

- A Master's degree in librarianship from an ALA accredited university.
- Curiosity about the needs of library patrons and community members and passion for delivering excellent customer service.
- Experience and interest in reference and adult reader's advisory work.
- Excellent communication skills, a collaborative approach to working with colleagues and the ability to work with minimal supervision.
- Sound judgement and good conflict management skills.
- Sound knowledge of computer applications, publishing and electronic resources.
- A commitment to apply principles of equity, diversity, inclusion and anti-racism to the work.
- Ability to speak languages other than English is a considerable asset.

Salary: \$34.96 to \$41.78 hourly. Burnaby Public Library offers a comprehensive benefit package.

We thank all applicants for their interest in Burnaby Public Library. However, only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

CAMERON LIBRARY - LIBRARIAN 1 - ADULT PUBLIC SERVICE – RFT

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Week 1	9-5	9-5	12:30-8:30	12:30-8:30		10:15-6:15	12-5:00
Week 2		9-5	12:30-8:30	12:30-8:30	10:15-6:15		
Week 3	9-5	9-5	12:30-8:30	12:30-8:30	10:15-6:15		
Week 4	9-5	9-5	12:30-8:30	12:30-8:30	10:15-6:15		