The Collaborative Summer Library Program (CSLP) is a consortium of states working together to provide a unified summer reading program. Washington State Library supports the CSLP’s work to benefit public libraries.

This year we are selecting an individual who devotes at least 50% of their time to youth services in a public library to take part in this work. If selected, the staff member must attend the CSLP’s annual meeting and work on one or more CSLP committees. You can find more information about this grant opportunity at <http://www.sos.wa.gov/library/libraries/grants/> or by emailing WSLgrants@sos.wa.gov.

|  |
| --- |
| Part 1 – Library informationName Click here to enter text.Mailing address Click here to enter text.District, consortium, city, or county library pertains to legally, as applicable Click here to enter text.Statewide Vendor number Click here to enter text.DUNS number Click here to enter text.Tax ID number Click here to enter text. |

|  |
| --- |
| Part 2 – Library SupervisorName Click here to enter text.Email Click here to enter text.Telephone Click here to enter text.Please indicate your understanding and conformance with the following[ ]  This is a three year commitment for your employee.[ ]  He/she must attend the CSLP annual meeting (4-5 days).[ ]  He/she must serve on a CSLP committee which will entail online meetings during normal work hours.[ ]  Please certify that this employee works at least 50% in youth services.  Signature Title Date |

|  |
| --- |
| Part 3 – Library applicant informationName Click here to enter text.Email Click here to enter text. Telephone Click here to enter text.How will your participation as a committee member of a CSLP committee working on summer reading programing support your ability to meet one or more of the following LSTA priorities for your library?* Develop public and private partnerships with other agencies and community-based organizations
* Target library services to individuals of diverse geographic, cultural, and socioeconomic backgrounds, to individuals with disabilities, and to individuals with limited functional literacy or information skills
* Target library and information services to persons having difficulty using a library and to underserved urban and rural communities, including children from families with incomes below the poverty line.

**Please answer on a separate sheet. Limit your answer to 1750 characters with spaces. Please type.** Please indicate that your acceptance of the CSLP Grant commits you to [ ]  Participate in a webinar following CSLP’s annual meeting. [ ]  Participate actively year-round as a member of at least one CSLP committee.[ ]  Certify that you work at least 50% time delivering services to youth. Signature Title Date |

Please send ***two copies*** of this application.

* One must be a digital copy in **Word**.
* The second must be a paper copy with original signatures. This second copy can be mailed to:

**CSLP Grant**

**Washington State Library**

**PO Box 42460**

**Olympia, WA 98504**

**ALL** applications must be postmarked by **Tuesday**, **March 1, 2016**. We cannot accept faxed or emailed applications. Please keep a copy for your records.

Washington State Library is supporting this grant with funds provided by Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA).