



VOLUNTEER BACKGROUND REQUIREMENTS SOMERSET COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Level of Volunteer	Examples of Volunteers	Application, Database, Orientation Training	Log Hours	MD Courts/ Sex Offenders List*	(Nat'l) Commercial Background Check	Fingerprints/ DSS Background Check
<u>Tier I</u> 1 day/1event Controlled Access to Students No form requested	PTO Sports Day Career Day Book Fair Classroom Activities		X (School)			
<u>Tier II</u> 1 day/1 event Limited Controlled Access to Students	Field Trip Chaperone Regular Administrative Support	X (School)	X (School)	X (School)		
<u>Tier III</u> Overnight Supervision	North Bay Band/Chorus Trips Club/Team Trips	X (School)	X (School)	X (School)	X (HR)	X (HR)
<u>Tier IV</u> Recurring/Regular	Classroom Assistance Coach Assistance Club Advisor Group Advisor Mentor Tutor	X (School)	X (School)	X (School)	X (HR)	X (HR)

* Any individual on the Sexual Offenders List is not eligible for inclusion in the volunteer program with the Somerset County Public Schools.

Circuit/District Court website – www.courts.state.md.us/courtrecords.html

Sex offenders list from website- www.dpscs.maryland.gov/onlineservs/socem/default.shtml