English At Large Volunteer Opportunity – Spring 2018

Standardized Testing Administrator

Volunteers are needed to administer the BEST Plus standardized test, which measures English proficiency in speaking and listening using a computer-based program. This important volunteer function helps English At Large track the progress of the learners in our Tutoring Program. Testing will take place in public spaces, usually libraries, across our 21-community service area. There may be opportunities to administer tests throughout the year as new learners enter and exit the program, but all learners must be tested each year in May and June, which is when help is needed the most.

In order to volunteer to administer the BEST Plus test, you must attend a one-day training and complete the required follow-up assignment and certification exam.

There is no cost to attend this training, but registration is required. Training is held at World Education, located at 44 Farnsworth Street in Boston. The next scheduled training is Wednesday, April 25, 2018, from 9:30 am to 4:30 pm. For more information on the training and to register, please go online: http://sabes.org/event/7801

Questions on this volunteer position and/or about the Best Plus test can be answered by EAL staff. Please contact us at 781-395-2374.