

April 1—April 30



United Way of Johnson & Washington Counties
2020 Education Commission

My Very Own Book

Children's Book Drive

Not every child in our community has access to books at home



How YOU Can Help

- Donate Books for grades PreK to 6th grade
- Sign Up to be a collection site
- Contact United Way for literacy volunteer opportunities
319-338-7823

Books Distributed to kids through elementary school literacy nights, community summer lunch programs and other youth-serving programs.

2016: 3,176 books distributed

2017: 5,216 books distributed

A Book for Every Child

Research shows that having books at HOME:

- Improves a child's reading performance
- Causes children to read more and for a longer period of time
- Produces improved attitudes toward reading and learning

For more information: www.myveryownbookjwc.org