My Very Own Book

Community Children's Book Drive

Not Every Child in our Community has Access to Books at Home



A Book for Every Child

Research shows that having books at home:

- Improves a child's reading performance.
- Encourages children to read more.
- . Increases reading time.
- Improves attitudes toward reading & learning.



How You Can Help:

- Donate books for PreK to 6th Grade
- Sign Up to be a Collection Site
- Contact United Way for Literacy Volunteer Opportunities (319) 338-7823

For more information: www.MyVeryOwnBookJWC.org

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

25,000
Books
Distributed
Locally
Since 2016