With schools facing attendance and enrollment challenges, Reading Partners leveraged a mix of traditional and innovative programs and partnerships to provide critical support to students, schools, and communities throughout a second full year of COVID-19 disruptions.

By the numbers

- 221 students received 12+ sessions of one-on-one tutoring
- 5,114 total tutoring sessions (23 sessions per student on average)
- 79% of sessions delivered online via Reading Partners Connects
- 291 community tutors
- 15 partner schools

Student performance

All Reading Partners students
79% meeting or exceeding their primary end-of-year literacy growth goal.

K-2 Reading Partners students
83% developing mastery of key foundational reading skills* needed to read at grade level.

*We track growth in the key foundational literacy skills students need to become independent readers, such as alphabetic principle, phonics, and vocabulary.

Additional school and family literacy support

232 additional students received non-tutoring literacy services including take-home books and literacy packets, digital library access, or family workshops.

Program recognition

Teachers
100% report Reading Partners is valuable to their school.*

“...It is wonderful to see how proud [my student] is about her reading and how confident she has become.”
—Volunteer tutor

*Among respondents of 2021-22 surveys

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