## **CUMULATIVE IMPACT REPORT** 2015–18: Charlotte



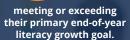
#### **Student performance**

Reading Partners students are performing well overall and our youngest students continue to show impressive progress in the critical early years. Here are results from the 2017-18 school year.

All Reading Partners students



**K-2 Reading Partners students** Bb



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.



#### By the numbers (2015-18)



645 students served



528 community tutors



15,819 tutoring sessions



partner schools

**Proud AmeriCorps** service partner



### 100% report improved school-wide reading progress\* PRINCIPALS 98% report Reading Partners is **TEACHERS** valuable to their school\* 96% are satisfied with their **VOLUNTEERS**

\*Among respondents of 2017-18 surveys (percentages similar to prior year results)

## **Program recognition**



Gold-standard research found Reading Partners' program had a positive and statistically significant impact on student reading proficiency, leading to acceptance into the Institute of Education Sciences What Works Clearinghouse.



AUGENBLICK, ANCALL A leading education research firm found that

students served by Reading Partners (and particularly English Language Learners) showed significantly greater improvement in their literacy skills than comparison students not served by the program.



volunteering experience\*

The 2017 Library of Congress Literacy Awards program

honored 15 organizations, including Reading Partners, for outstanding work in the field of literacy and implementation of best practices in literacy promotion.

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# **Partnership highlights**