



The United Way Reading Buddy Program will enter its 6th year, supporting our schools, teachers and students struggling to read at grade level.

When students are not reading at grade level by 3rd grade, they are 4 times more likely not to graduate on time or at all.

Last school year, 184 Reading Buddy volunteers served 800 students in 28 elementary schools.

But, we have schools on a waiting list and more students to reach!

Lincoln Elementary in our temple neighborhood would like Reading Buddy help in their school.

About 1 hour a week is all it takes to help change the life of a child. Help students sound out tricky words, learn new vocabulary, build comprehension skills and become a stronger, more confident reader. The experience will enrich your life too.

Orientation is required.

**January 10, 2018
First United Methodist Church**

**1:30 p.m. - 3 p.m.
1224 Legion Way SE, Olympia**

Sign up today at www.unitedway-thurston.org/united-way-reading-buddy-program. Click the button that reads CLICK HERE TO GET STARTED. For questions contact Marisela at 360-943-2773, ext. 124.

Join us, won't you?

