



SAYL Report Card 2018-2019 School Year

Providing support to children in San Antonio by empowering them with the skills needed to read to learn while fostering self confidence and an enjoyment of reading.

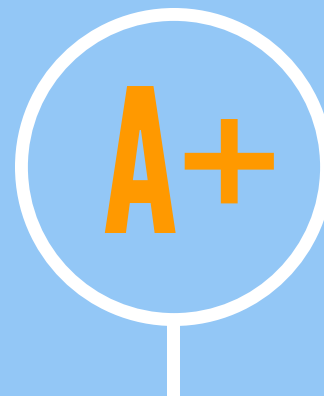
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Students Served



4.45 Reading Levels

Average improvement
based on the Fountas & Pinnell Assessment



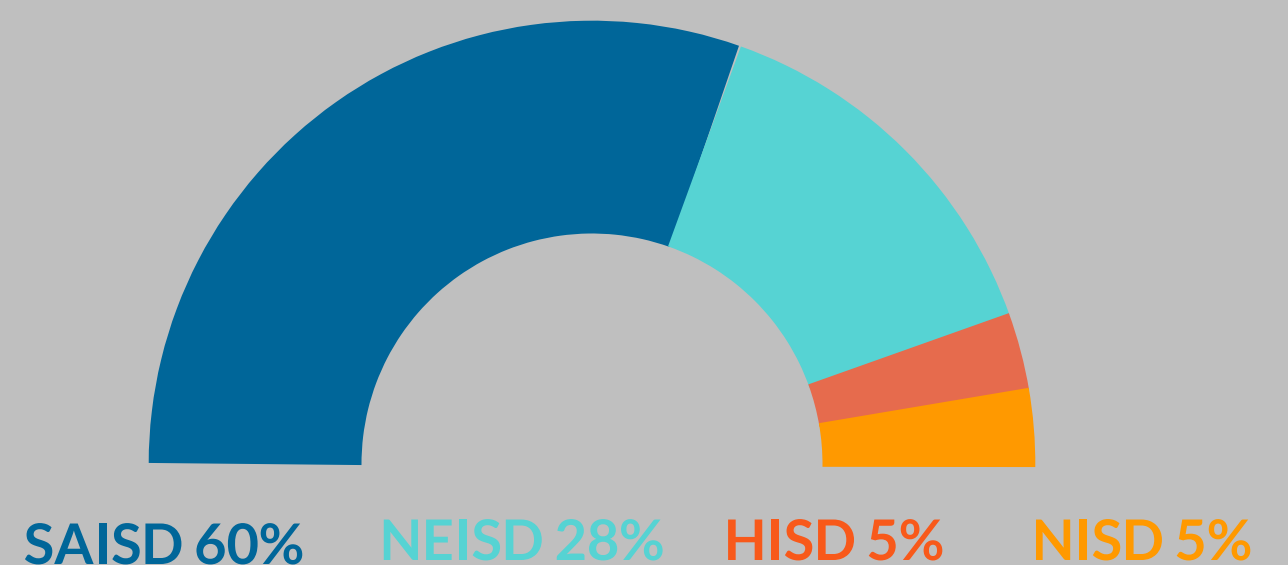
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Reading Buddy
Volunteers



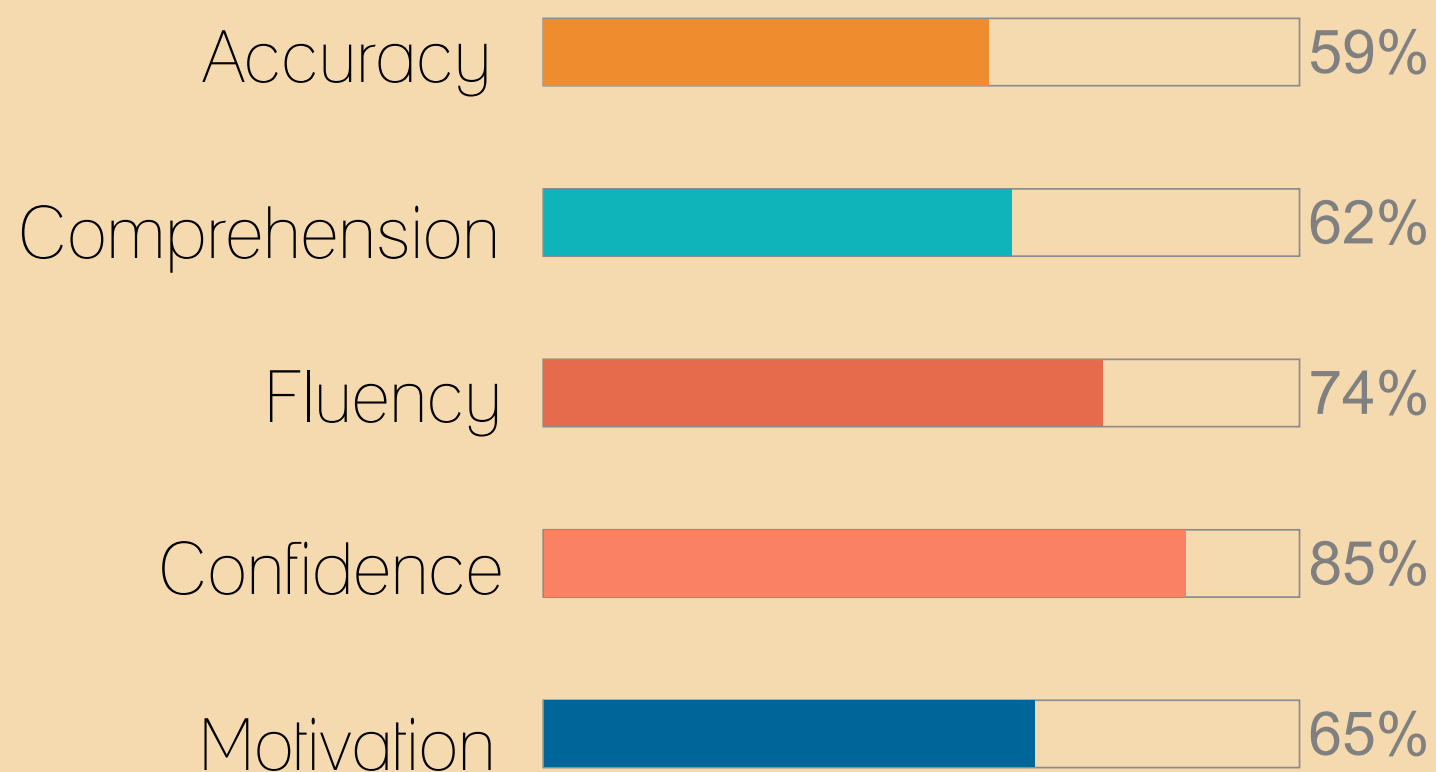
71 Schools

43 SAISD
20 NEISD
4 HISD
4 NISD



Student Improvement

Teachers Reported Students Showed Improvement:



94% of Students
Improved 1 Reading
Level or More

On average, students
improved by 4.45
Reading Levels

97% of teachers are
satisfied with the
program

"I think the chance to work one-on-one with a caring adult is of the utmost important factor to a child's success. Each of my students improved in confidence, behavior, and reading abilities."

Ms. Trimble, 2nd grade teacher, Jackson-Keller ES



15,038
Reading Buddy Sessions

An average of 13 sessions per student were completed by SAYL Reading Buddy volunteers. Each session is based on a 30-minute time block equaling...

7,519 Volunteer Hours

\$188,726.90



Value of
Volunteer Time

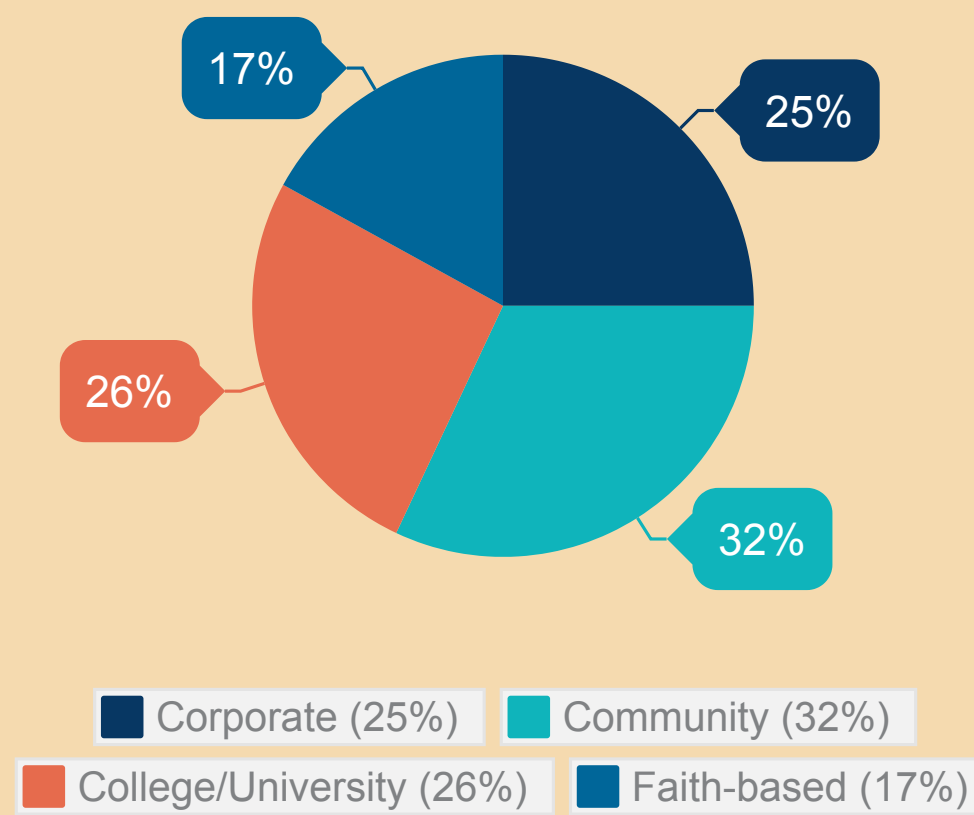
The Corporation of National and Community Service reports that the national average for the current dollar value of volunteer time in Texas is \$25.10 per hour.



Reading Buddy Stats

619 Total Volunteers
325 New Volunteers
46% Retention Rate

75% Female
23% Male



82%

Reading Buddy volunteers felt their volunteer work had an impact of their student's **interest in reading.**

89%

Reading Buddy volunteers felt their volunteer work had an impact of their student's **confidence in reading.**

82%

Reading Buddy volunteers felt their volunteer work had an impact on **increasing their student's reading level.**

Reading Buddies are so important, not only because of how they help children improve in reading, but also because of the friendships they form with students and the confidence they help children develop because of the fact that someone thought they were important enough to go out of their way to meet on a regular basis. I am a retired teacher and have truly enjoyed my SAYL Reading Buddy experience."

Angela Gonzalez, Reading Buddy Volunteer

Reading Buddy Partners:

Accenture Federal Services
Alamo Heights United Methodist Church
Alamo Stone Church
American Association of Blacks in Energy
AT&T
Barrington Neighbors
Broadway Bank
Brooks City Base
Castle Hills Christian Church
Celebration Circle
City of San Antonio
City of San Antonio - Senior Centers
Coker United Methodist Church
Colonial Hills United Methodist Church
CPS Energy
Cross Roads Church

Episcopal Church of Reconciliation
First Presbyterian Church
First Unitarian Universalist Church
Frost
Grande Communications
Laurel Heights United Methodist Church
LiftFund
MacArthur Park Church of Christ
The Mission Continues
Northern Hills United Methodist Church
Northwest Vista College
Our Lady of the Lake University
Randolph Brooks Federal Credit Union
Rotary International
San Antonio College
San Antonio Police Department

Silver Ventures/Pearl Brewery South Texas
Money Management
Southwest Research Institute
St. George Episcopal Church
St. Mary's University
Texas A&M University San Antonio
theKFORDgroup
Trinity Baptist Church
Trinity University
University of the Incarnate Word
University of Texas at San Antonio
Valero
Valero Vanguard
Wayside Chapel
Windcrest United Methodist Church
Zachry Construction Corporation



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