REGIONAL IMPACT & INNOVATION REPORT

San Francisco Bay Area, 2021–22





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



students received 12+ sessions of one-on-one tutoring



9,128 total tutoring sessions (26 sessions per student on average)



99%

of sessions delivered online via Reading Partners Connects



464 community tutors



22 partner schools

Program recognition

"Literacy means access. I love Reading Partners for delivering robust tutoring that we can actually afford and for instilling confidence in our students."

—Elaina, partner-school principal

Teachers

100%

report Reading Partners is valuable to their school.* **Volunteers**

90%

are satisfied with their volunteering experience.*

Student performance



All Reading Partners students

82%

meeting or exceeding their primary end-of-year literacy growth goal.



K-2 Reading Partners students

85%

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



460

additional students received non-tutoring literacy services including take-home books and literacy packets.

An evidence-based program













^{*}Among respondents of 2021-22 surveys