

# Everybody Wins!

Reading Is FUNdamental Pittsburgh is currently seeking volunteers for its Everybody Wins! Program. **This school-based literacy mentoring program pairs kindergarten- 3<sup>rd</sup> grade students with a caring adult** to build a meaningful relationship while sharing good books, conversation, and other literacy related activities for one hour a week. These consistent one-on-one experiences increase a child’s opportunity for success, both academically and in life.

## We have a few openings for volunteers at the following schools:

School	Days	Times
Pittsburgh Allegheny (Northside)	Tuesdays	Session 1: 10:45 – 11:30- 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Session 3: 1:00 – 1:45- 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Session 4: 1:45 – 2:30- 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade
Pittsburgh Faison (Homewood)	Wednesdays	Session 1: 12:50-1:30- 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade Session 2: 1:40-2:20- 1 <sup>st</sup> grade
Pittsburgh Weil (Hill District)	Thursdays	Session 1: 11:15-12:00- 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade Session 2: 12:45 – 1:30- 1 <sup>st</sup> grade Session 3: 1:30 – 2:15- 3 <sup>rd</sup> grade

\*These are tentative times and are subject to change before the start of the 2019 school year\*

### When you read with a child - Everybody Wins!

- **Children win** by experiencing the joy of reading in a fun, stress-free environment. Each week students have the opportunity to build a relationship with their “Reading Buddy” and spend time reading or engaging in other literacy-related activities. By combining books with the power of a positive, consistent relationship, Everybody Wins! sets children on a path towards a life-long love of reading and learning.
- **Volunteers win** by building a fulfilling relationship with a child, sharing a love of reading, and experiencing the big impact a small commitment can make. Our Everybody Wins! mentors do not provide tutoring, but instead provide their time and energy to explore literacy with students through shared, relaxed reading experiences.
- **Educators win** by gaining both support for their work in the classroom and another resource for achieving their academic and behavioral goals for students.
- **Companies and organizations win** by providing a well-managed, fulfilling volunteer opportunity for their employees and members that reflects their investment in the local community.

**If you are interested in learning more about this unique opportunity, please contact:**

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