

Your gift provides pathways to educational success in our community. Our education-focused literacy programs distribute free books for local youth and families in Whitfield and Murray counties! Did you know that putting books into kids' hands is a game-changer? United Way's mission is to ensure every child reads at grade level by third grade. Here's the good news: kids who read at grade level by third grade are four times more likely to graduate high school! That's the power of literacy! United Way's Keep Kids Thriving Literacy program is all about collective impact, and we are thrilled to partner with all three local public school systems to make it happen. Last year, United Way handed out over 28,800 FREE books to families in Whitfield and Murray counties. This year, United, we can do more! Let's get more books into the hands of our community's children and help them thrive. Give today and be a part of this incredible journey to success!

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