



OhioReads Program – Partners in Literacy 2006-2007

Volunteers Needed!



*Do you enjoy reading with children?
Do you know Junie B. Jones, Harry Potter, Arthur or Clifford?
Can you offer your time and make a commitment of 30-60 minutes a week?*

If you answered “yes” to any of these questions then

**Northwood’s “Partners in Literacy Program”
is the
volunteer opportunity for you!**



North Canton City Schools received a grant from the OhioReads Program, which government’s education initiative to improve the reading skills of Ohio’s kindergarten and elementary students. The program is a partnership of schools, community and service organizations, local businesses, parents and students working together to ensure Ohio’s youngest students are reading at the appropriate level. This program is unique in that not only does it offer the opportunity for us to help as individuals, but also provides an avenue for the community to become actively involved in our schools.

We are in need of volunteers to read one-on-one with our children. An important feature of the program is that volunteers are trained to be literacy tutors and work under the guidance of our Northwood Teachers. An orientation session will be held before a volunteer begins.

To determine the volunteer’s interests and to ensure the safety of our students and the volunteer, an application must be completed. After receiving your initial information, you will be sent the application and directions for its return. We are very excited about our OhioReads program. If you have any questions, please contact Beth Sutter at 330-305-6892 or e-mail dsutter1@neo.rr.com.

RETURN THE FORM BELOW TO YOUR CHILD’S TEACHER AND AN APPLICATION WILL BE SENT TO YOU.

Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Address: _____

E-mail address: _____ Grade/Homer oom: _____