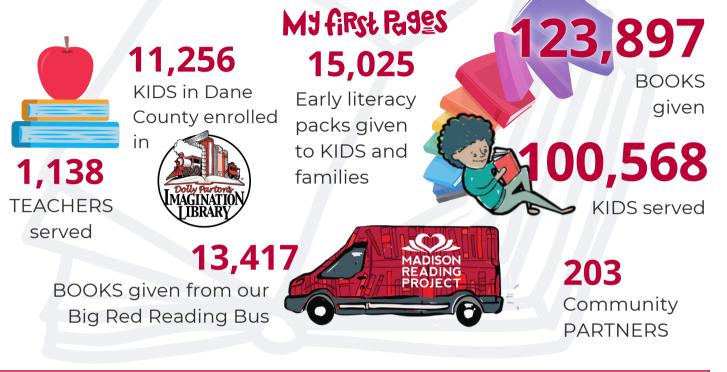


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# PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

**Books for Educators** Our book center is filled with thousands of new books and literacy resources. Each year, a teacher can register to shop in our book center for 25 free books to help them build diverse classroom libraries.

### **My First Pages**

From birth to age 5, children get 10 high-quality, new books each year. Increasing book ownership helps families build early literacy skills so crucial for future learning success.

### **Imagination Library**

We are the official local affiliate for the Dolly Parton's Imagination Library in Dane County. Each child in a household, from ages birth to 5, receives one, free book by mail per month.

#### Little Free Library

Our team installs and maintains the boxes in the area. Donated used books are taken by our volunteers to stock the boxes throughout the area. Anyone can take a book to keep or leave a book to donate.

## **Big Red Reading Bus**

It's a free book fair on wheels! We bring new books them to kids and families around Dane County. Kids select a new book of their very own to keep and enjoy forever. *New bus* COMING IN '24



Our mission is to connect our community with **free books** and literacy resources to ignite a love for **reading** that reflect and affirm the unique identities of young readers.