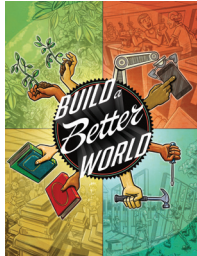


ODL + 51 Partners = 124,863+ Young Oklahomans Served!

In 2017, the Oklahoma Department of Libraries combined state and federal funding with private funds and in-kind contributions from a host of partners to enrich the lives of our young people.



99,000+ children and teens enrolled in their local Summer Reading Program.

4,750 children attended Reading Roundup author programs in schools and libraries in 10 rural communities.



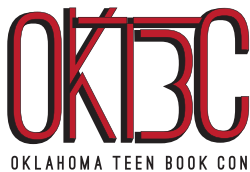
12,700+ young people participated in Sequoyah Book Week through 426 individual schools.

382 high schoolers attended the Congress, and 247 students wrote essays about the First Amendment.



310 students, grades 4 to 12, each wrote a letter to an author about a book that impacted the student's life.

4,559 students in 39 schools learned how to use the online Britannica School® homework help resource.



450+ middle and high schoolers attended the first Oklahoma Teen Book Convention.

1,425 pre-school children were gifted 8 books each during the school year. *That's 11,400 books!*



1,040 children attended this celebration of reading at the Oklahoma City Zoo, and each one received a book.

Hats off to our partners!

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