

FIRST BOOK MEMBER PROFILE

ALABAMA

5,209
Members in Alabama 

156,270
Kids Reached 

260,545
Resources Distributed 

TOP MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS

- ◆ Montgomery Education Foundation
- ◆ Alabama Public Television
- ◆ Embracing Our Differences
- ◆ Southview Middle School
- ◆ Mobile Community Action Head Start

ABOUT FIRST BOOK & OUR NETWORK

First Book is a national, nonprofit social enterprise committed to elevating educational opportunities for children in need. Over the past 30 years, First Book has distributed more than 200 million books and resources to a network of 500,000+ educators working in underserved communities. All educators, caregivers, and providers working in a Title I eligible school, early childhood or out-of-school-time program, shelter, clinic, or other organization in which at least 70% of children served come from low-income families are eligible to join the First Book Community for free.

Benefits of Membership

- Stretch limited budgets — access free and low-cost books and resources for children in low-income, historically excluded communities
- Add voice to the largest and fastest growing community of those working with children in need to help ensure equal access to quality education
- Leverage large-scale resource distribution capability
- Access micro-funding for books and resources

Join the network at FIRSTBOOK.ORG/NPP



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THE STATS

Top Job Titles of Members

Teacher / Teacher's Aide	41.90%
Library Staff	6.95%
Principal	6.47%
Program Director	6.39%
Reading Specialist	4.28%
Other	11.59%

Primary Ages Served

Early Childhood Program	17.58%
Elementary Program	53.52%
Middle School Program	28.98%
High School Program	22.39%

Top Organization Types

School	76.08%
Early Childhood Program	6.18%
Community Organization	4.78%
Out-of-School Program	2.45%
Faith-Based Organization	2.33%
Library	7.23%
Health Department/Clinic	0.58%

Top Focus Areas

General Education	25.77%
Reading / Language Arts	23.32%
Special Education / Need	6.42%
Literacy	5.22%
Early Childhood/Preschool	5.58%
School Library	8.14%
Other	3.86%

ALABAMA IMPACT STORY

The Alabama Department of Early Childhood Education provided books to every pre-k child in the state to support continued learning during COVID-related closures. First Book provided title selection guidance for 2 books per pre-k child, as well as additional books for younger siblings. Together, First Book and the Alabama Department of Early Childhood Education distributed 40,700 books to young children during COVID-related program closures.

