

FIRST BOOK MEMBER PROFILE

ARIZONA

9,419

Members in Arizona



282,570

Kids Reached



537,646

Resources Distributed



TOP MEMBER ORGANIZATIONS

- ◆ Southwest Human Development
- ◆ Mesa United Way
- ◆ Read Better Be Better
- ◆ Laveen Elementary School District
- ◆ Native Health of Phoenix

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 225 million books and resources to a network of 525,000+ 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

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| Teacher / Teacher's Aide | 51.35% |
| School Support Personnel | 3.32% |
| Library Staff | 4.76% |
| Program Director | 3.89% |
| Educator/Teacher | 3.24% |
| Other | 11.01% |

Primary Ages Served

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| Early Childhood Program | 20.44% |
| Elementary Program | 55.44% |
| Middle School Program | 32.02% |
| High School Program | 18.75% |

Top Organization Types

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| School | 77.45% |
| Early Childhood Program | 8.36% |
| Community Organization | 4.42% |
| Out-of-School Program | 1.70% |
| Faith-based Organization | 0.88% |
| Library | 6.11% |
| Health Department/Clinic | 0.75% |

Top Focus Areas

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| General Education | 28.94% |
| Reading / Language Arts | 14.54% |
| Special Education / Need | 11.63% |
| School Library | 5.35% |
| Early Childhood/Preschool | 6.13% |
| English Language Learners | 6.64% |
| Other | 4.94% |

ARIZONA IMPACT STORY

Read on Arizona is a statewide public/private partnership of state agencies who have worked with First Book to increase access to books for kids 0-8, leveraging existing partners in early literacy and parent engagement programs including Childcare and preschool programs, Title 1 elementary schools, WIC clinics, and public housing sites. This partnership has engaged hundreds of educators and providers throughout the state and distributed over 30,000 books to children in need.

