

The ALVIN ISD



READING IS A GREAT FOUNDATION!



Book Bus

We are excited to tell you about a new Alvin ISD project that will bring literacy and other learning opportunities directly to the neighborhoods of students and families this summer. The Alvin ISD Book Bus will provide reading resources to students and their families who may not have access to literacy opportunities at home, and those who may not have transportation to public or school libraries during the summer. The goal of The Book Bus is to promote literacy and help close the achievement gap that results from summer reading loss.

The Alvin ISD Education Foundation has partnered with the Alvin ISD by donating \$10,000 to help fund the project. The Alvin ISD Transportation Department provided an unused bus for the program, helped design the remodeling of the bus and suggested other mechanical and technical accommodations. The renovation of the bus is being done by students in the Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs including Construction Trades, Auto-Tech, and Welding. Alvin ISD librarians are also collaborating with the project. The Alvin ISD Library Department will be key in ensuring that The Book Bus has a variety of books and activities that will be appealing to students, and which will spark their interest to “get on the bus” when The Book Bus is in their neighborhood. The Book Bus is just another example of what’s great about Alvin ISD!

There are a number of expenses involved with The Book Bus, so we are asking our community partners to help us ensure that the Book Bus is ready to roll this summer and that it continues to touch students in the future.

Please see the following Book Bus sponsorship levels:

- Bluebonnet or Lone Star Book Set\$300
(provides 1 full set of Bluebonnet or Lone Star Books)
- Easy Reader Book Shelf.....\$1,000
(provides 1 book shelf of Easy Reader books, the shelf will be named in your honor)
- Chapter Book Shelf.....\$2,500
(provides 1 book shelf of Chapter books, the shelf will be named in your honor)
- Book Bus Partner.....\$5,000
(provides needed supplies and support, company logo will be on the back of the bus)
- Bus Wrap Partner.....\$10,000
(provides bus wrap, company logo will be on the back of the bus)

All sponsorships \$1,000 and above will be listed on the back of the bus!

All donations are tax deductible. Please make checks payable to the Alvin ISD Education Foundation and mail to 301 E. House St. Alvin, TX 77511. Thank you for your consideration and continued support for Alvin ISD.

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