

## *Community Social Services of Wayne County Education Division*

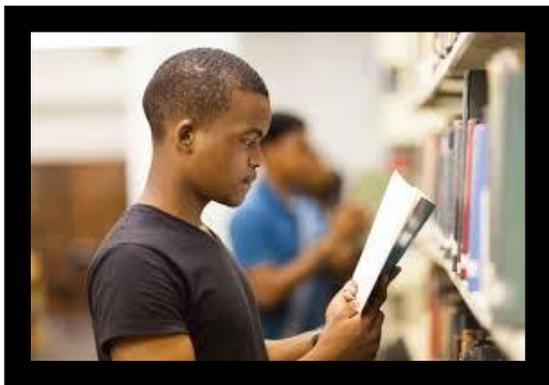


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# I KNOW RIGHT - IKR READING PROGRAMS



### **IKR Reading Intervention Program**

- Increases students' literacy level rapidly.
- Employs trained personnel who are experts in motivating students, while employing reading techniques that have been proven to heighten literacy.
- Uses Foundations of Analysis, Synthesis and Translation (F.A.S.T.) as the basis of the program. F.A.S.T. increases students' reading skills by using an array of approaches that encourages and stimulates reading abilities through auditory, visual, and kinetic learning.
- Uses phonetically based, controlled reading materials that are sequenced according to specific reading rules (concepts) and reading levels.

## **IKR Reading Comprehension Program**

- Increases students' general reading comprehension and test taking ability.
- Increases following skills: Standardize Test Taking, Understanding the Question, Recognizing Story Structure, and Summarizing.
- Engages students in learning activities consistent with one of these strategies each session for the duration of the program.

## **IKR Reading Biz World-Financial Literacy Program**

- Increases students' financial literacy and enhances their understanding of education's direct connection to the business world and business success.
- Grow in a variety of learning areas (mathematics, vocabulary, deductive reasoning, information recall etc.) while developing skills to be self-confident, self-reliant and a positive team player.

## **IKR Families Read Every Evening (FREE)**

- Follows the principles of PACT (Parent and Child Together). Combines monthly meals, reading workshops, and reading activities arranged for parents and their children.
- Provides book logs and books to each family. Reading activities and/or workshops coincide with the book that is assigned to each child and parent to read together during the previous month.
- Commits parents to read to/with their children 15 to 20 minutes daily; in addition to reading the assigned book.
- Improves the language and literacy of both parents and students.
- Helps students grasp the importance of education and becoming a good reader.

