

TOGETHER WE ARE BUILDING A BETTER WELD COUNTY



COLORADO TUTORING CORPS YEAR-END REPORT 2022-2023

Colorado Tutoring Corps features full-time tutors in Weld County preschools, elementary schools and middle schools who have daily one-on-one and group sessions with students to help children prepare for kindergarten, build literacy and increase reading proficiency and math skills.

Isaiah was a second grader who has always struggled to read – with both his parents working to support their family, he didn't get to practice at home very much. Thanks to one-on-one sessions with a tutor at his school, he is now reading at grade level. Isaiah has worked so hard on his reading. He has been a great support to his younger brother Adrian and pushes him to do better in reading every day. Isaiah is a great example of the ripple effect reading can have on siblings and families.

Research offers that children struggle for the rest of their lives if they are not reading at grade level by the end of third grade. Third grade marks the pivotal point when children transition from “learning to read” to “reading to learn.” **Those who read proficiently by the beginning of fourth grade are four times more likely to graduate from high school than those who do not.**

United Way of Weld County has teamed up with AmeriCorps, Weld County school districts and Colorado Youth for a Change, which manages Colorado Tutoring Corps statewide, for this evidence-based nationally implemented program.

866 students worked one-on-one with a tutor to build their literacy skills.

Colorado Reading Corps
and Early Learning Corps



Tutors worked with **554** students at **22** Weld County schools who were behind grade level in reading. And with **312** students at **6** schools in Weld County to prepare them for kindergarten.

72% of students exceeded target growth rate, meaning they are catching up with grade-level peers.

485 students received small group tutoring to increase their math skills.

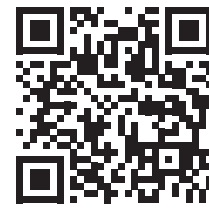
Colorado Math Corps



Tutors worked with **485** students at **16** Weld County schools who were behind grade level in math.

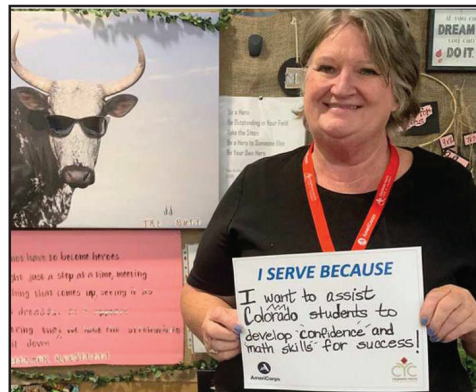
54% of students exceeded target growth rate, meaning they are catching up with grade-level peers.

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Jasmin has always been excited and ready to read. But as time went on, I noticed her getting more distracted from her reading. During a meeting, my coaching specialist and I spoke about changing Jasmin’s intervention to a different method. We have been practicing this for a few weeks now and Jasmin loves it. It really helps her stay focused as she tries to find and correct the error she made. I see her motivated and excited about reading again. She said, “I really like this new way we read.”

- Reading Corps Tutor



Austin started our Math Corps sessions by saying, “I know how to do that, I can do it myself.” When a specific problem was difficult, I let Austin know that it was okay to say that he didn’t understand. The next day he admitted to not knowing how to do the problem. A window was opened ... a small window that created the possibility for learning and leading to more questions and answers. Austin continued to solve the problem and is now more comfortable asking for help.

- Math Corps Tutor

As a preschool program, we have not been able to provide personalized interventions in our classrooms. With the support from Early Learning Corps, we can now provide small-group support to our students who need a little boost.

- Staff member



Participating Schools

Greeley-Evans SD6

- Bella Romero
- Brentwood
- Centennial
- Chappelow K-8
- D6 Online Academy
- Dos Rios

Franklin

- Heath
- Heiman
- Madison
- Maplewood
- Meeker
- Monfort

Prairie Heights

- S. Christa McAuliffe
- Scott
- Shawsheen
- Tointon Academy of Pre-Engineering
- Winograd K-8

Johnstown-Milliken RE5j

- Elwell
- Knowledge Quest

Windsor-Severance RE-4

- Grandview
- Skyview
- Tozer

