

Give Books to Public School Students

We are seeking sponsors for:

Washington Montessori (Central West End)

- 25 first and second-graders
- 25 kindergarteners

Patrick Henry School (Downtown)

- 25 fourth-graders
- NEW! 25 more students

Sponsored students will receive one book every other month—5 total in the 2010-2011 school year.

The titles will be selected and delivered by Left Bank Books.

The cost to the sponsor is \$100 per child—only \$20 every other month!

We will group sponsorships so that we can provide books to an entire class at a time.

Any extra funds will be used to expand their classroom library.

Our Mission Statement

The Left Bank Books Foundation exists to promote and increase education, literary and cultural activities in the St. Louis area, through reading and disseminating books and related materials to low-income persons, and to advance the unfettered discussion of ideas.

All donations are tax deductible.



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RIVER CITY READERS

Getting Books into the Hands of Public School Students

“These books have made readers out of students who wouldn't ordinarily pick up a book on their own.”

- Ms. Evans, 5th Grade Teacher at Patrick Henry School

Connecting Students with Authors

We also sponsor school visits with authors.

Students have a chance to meet famous authors who pass along their love of reading and writing.

Ms. Smith of Washington Montessori says, **“The storytelling was the absolute best... Thank you for giving our students the opportunity to meet with the author and Broadway star, LaChanze. The students were very excited and couldn’t stop humming and singing the show tune that went with the book.”**

Getting Books Into the Hands of Public School Students

*Thanks to sponsors of the River City Readers in our first year, we were able to donate over 350 books to students in three different classrooms in the St. Louis Public School System. Each Student (69 in total) received their own set of six different books. We sponsored three different author visits—Pulitzer Prize winner **Jane Smiley**, bestselling author **Anthony Horowitz**, and Broadway star **LaChanze**. Every student got the chance to meet at least one author, if not more, who could pass on their love of reading and writing.*



Become a Sponsor

Sponsor a child! Sponsor a class! Organize a group sponsorship with your coworkers!

To become a sponsor, fill out the form below and return it to: Left Bank Books, Attn: Sarah Pritchard, 399 N. Euclid Ave, St. Louis, MO 63108.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____

Method of Payment

- Check (payable to Left Bank Books Foundation)
 Visa American Express
 MasterCard Discover

_____ Number of **Students** to be sponsored (\$100 ea)

_____ Number of **Classes** to be sponsored (\$2500 ea)

Credit Card # _____ Exp. _____

CID Code: _____

Signature

Would you like us to charge \$100 per child to your card immediately, or charge \$20 per child every other month beginning in September?

- Charge me \$100 per child now.**
 Charge me \$20 per child every other month.