

**Project MORE**  
*Mentoring in Ohio for Reading Excellence*

To parents, grandparents, caregivers, and community members:

We are looking for reading mentors to volunteer with Project More. Project more will be held at all of our elementary schools, Greenbriar Middle School, and Valley Forge High School.

**Project MORE** is a highly effective, one-to-one reading mentoring program assisting students in grades K-12. As a reading mentor, your primary job is to be a coach and cheerleader.

*Enthusiasm is Key*

Project MORE students struggle with reading and need fluency and comprehension practice. You will be reading to and with your student, as well as facilitating skill review lessons, quizzes, and games. The daily lesson plan and all materials will be provided for you, tailored to each student and their unique needs.

*Service to Others: Your "Pay Back"*

Helping children learn to read is one of the most important ways to make their lives better. The time you spend with your student is a gift you're giving to the child and the whole community. The most important success component is the mentor-student relationship.

*Importance of Commitment*

If you choose to become a mentor, you will soon experience the love of your student. The child you're working with will admire you, love you and count on you. As a result, consistency is important. If a conflict keeps you from your mentoring appointment, please be diligent about communicating your absence to the coordinator.

The potential ripple effect of this mentorship is huge. Thank you for helping the entire Parma community become an even better place to live, work and grow.

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**Please cut and return the section below to Kira Karabanovs, Director of Family and Community Engagement, , or e-mail: karabanovsk@parmacityschools.org to submit information.**

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