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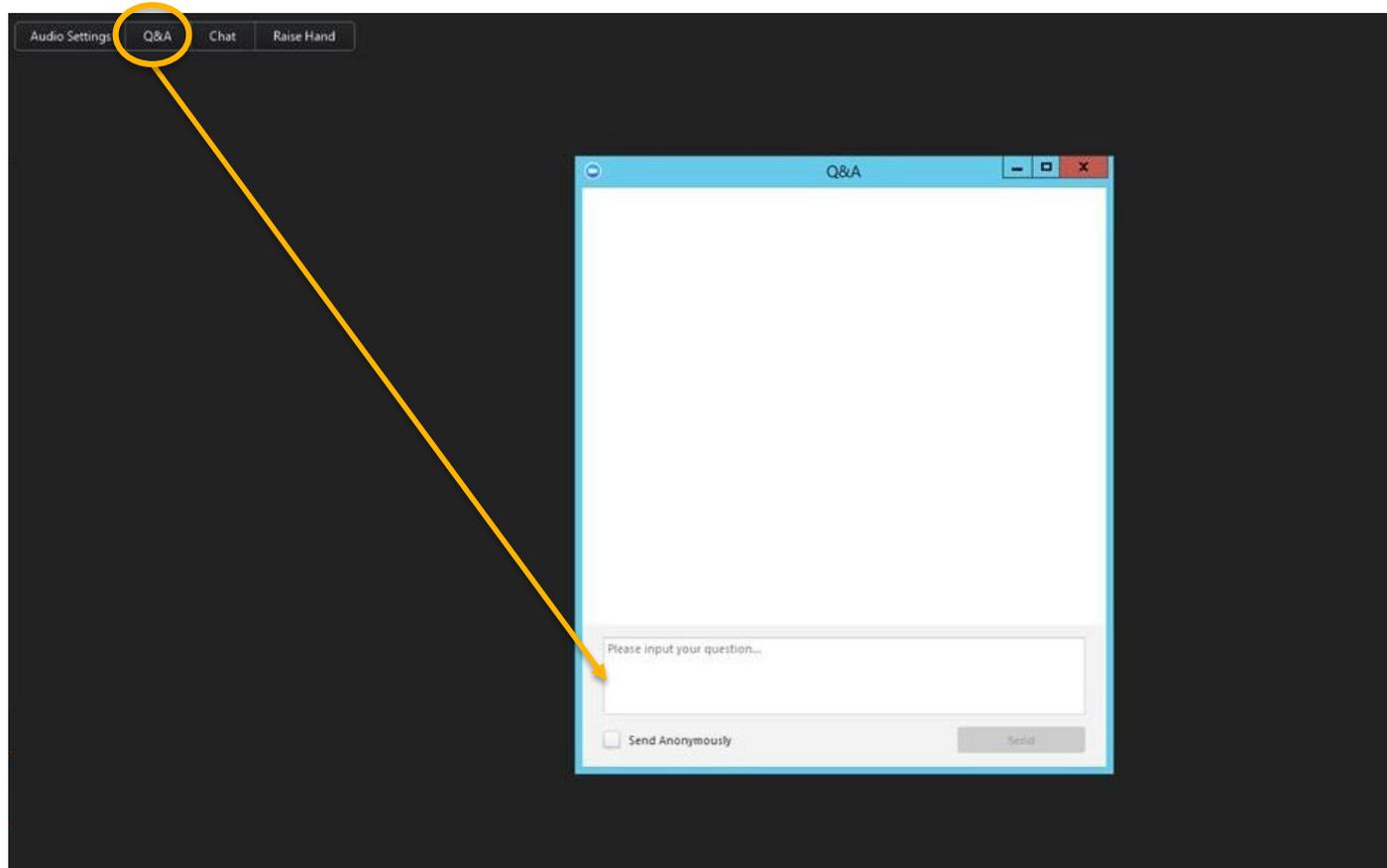
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Webinar Overview

- About NSLA
- Beth Duda, Director, Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading at The Patterson Foundation
- Q & A

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ABOUT NSLA

NSLA is a national, non-profit organization focused on the powerful impact of one achievable goal: investing in summer learning to help close the achievement gap. NSLA uses the power of research, advocacy, training, and policy to transform America's neighborhoods and communities, one child at a time.

Our work is based on the simple idea that summer—a time that is easily overlooked yet critical to educational development—is bursting with possibility, and instrumental in closing the achievement gap between privileged children and our most vulnerable children.



WHY SUMMERS MATTER



Summer is the time of greatest inequity for young people. When schools are closed, many low income young people lack access to meals, books and other learning resources, and physical activity.



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NSLA Webinar

Summer Reading: Weaving a Tapestry of Support

January 15, 2020 at 2:00pm



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Beth Duda

Director, Suncoast Campaign
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Learning to Read

Reading to Learn

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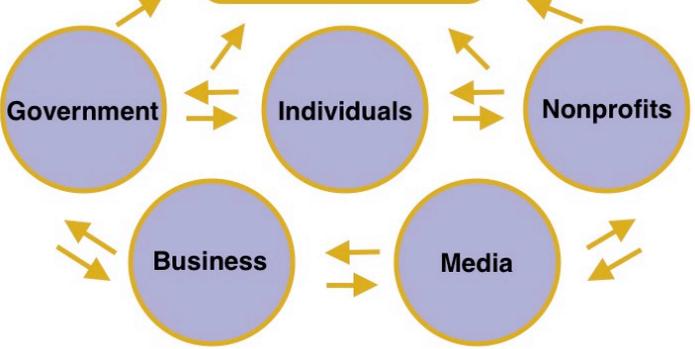
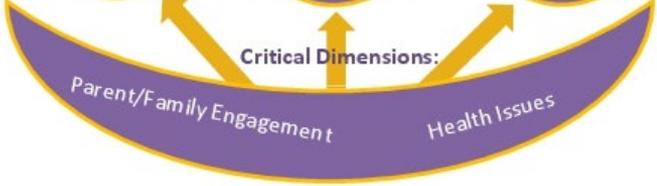
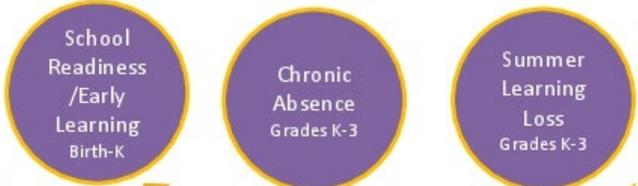
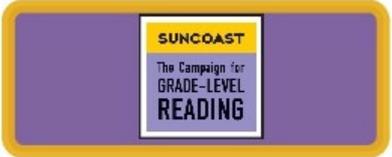
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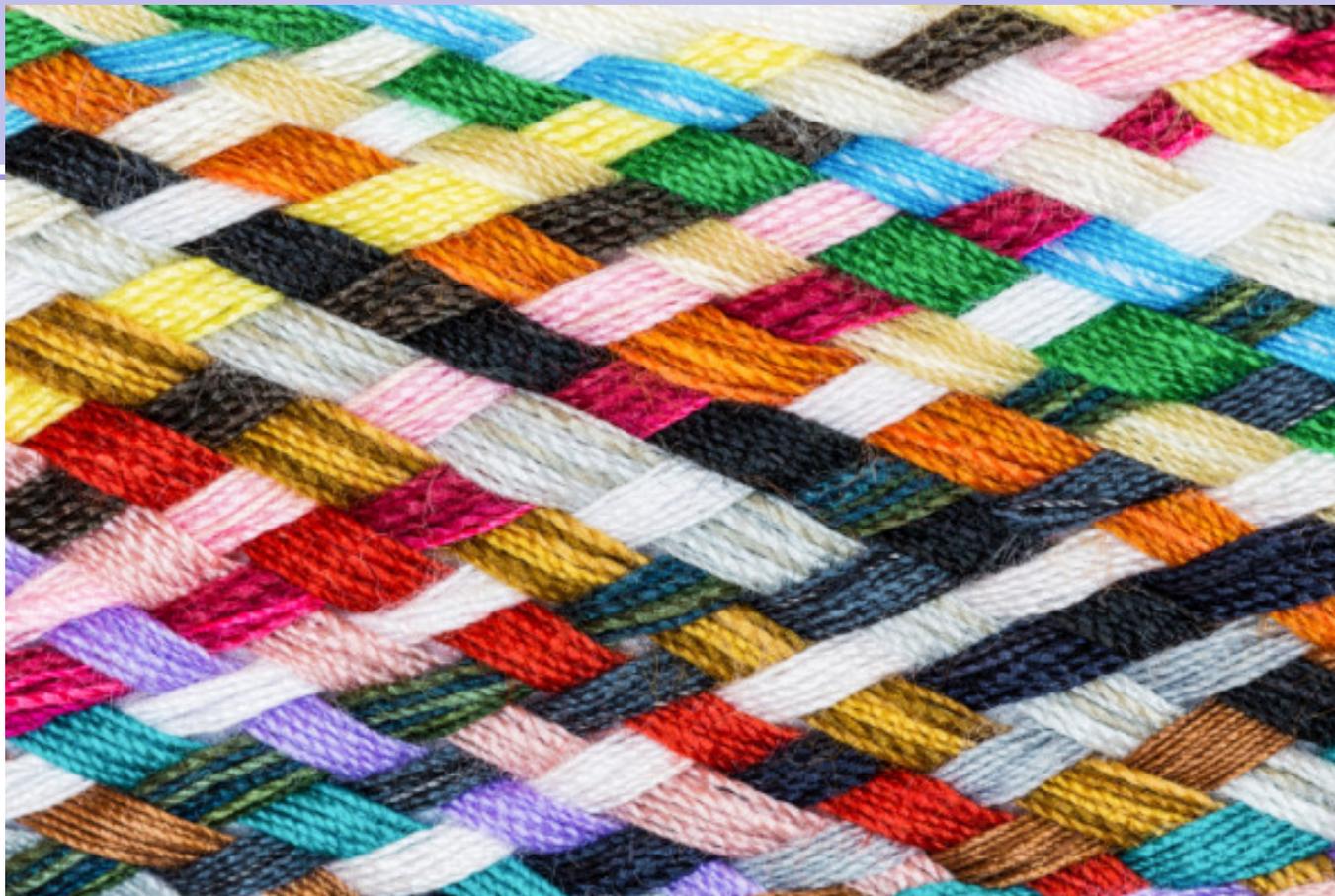
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STAKEHOLDERS ROLES

| TPF "Regional Accelerator" | LOCAL COALITIONS | Community FRONT-LINE |
|---|---|--|
|  <p>TPF SCGLR Team</p> <p>Work supporting Local Coalitions, for impact:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Communications Strategy & Platforms, Media Coordination • Coalition Support (Planning, Data Collection & Analysis, State/National Funding Source Research) • Expert Knowledge Sharing, (e.g. Speakers, Training) • Workshop Facilitation • Community Connectivity • Four County Initiatives |  <p>Manatee United Way Suncoast - Lead Partner</p>  <p>Sarasota Community Foundation of Sarasota County - Lead Partner</p>  <p>Charlotte United Way of Charlotte County - Lead Partner</p>  <p>DeSoto DeSoto County Coalition (LOI submitted)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop/Enhance Implementation plans • Increase Collaboration among Front-line • Secure Sustainability • Share Learnings with Other Coalitions |      <p>Implement Evidence-Based Strategies to improve 3rd grade reading proficiency:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase School Readiness • Increase School Attendance • Increase Summer Learning • Strengthen Children's Health • Encourage and Model Parent Engagement |

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Harwood - Hildy Mashup

The Harwood practice is rooted in an orientation—a mindset of using the **community** as your reference point for creating change, not your **conference room**.

Creating The Future - led by author, Hildy Gottlieb, encourages the use of Catalytic Thinking to create positive results, so those results can be consistently replicated and scaled.

Turning Outward



Change the questions, change the world

What would success look like?

For whom?

What do we want to see?

What will it take to create that?

What resources do we already have to build upon?

Who in our community has what we need?

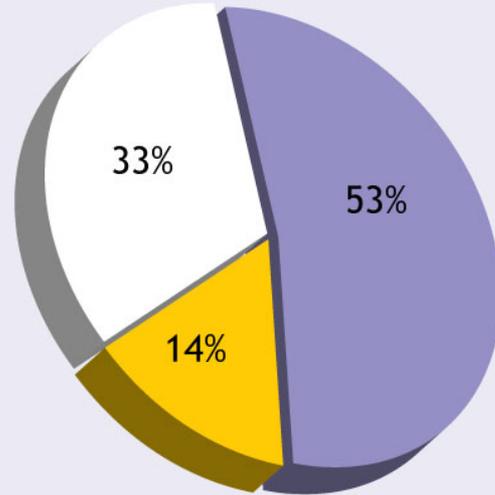
What could we accomplish if we work with others to pool our resources?

Where are we now?

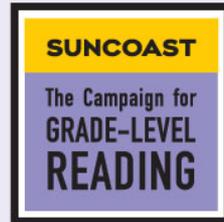
3rd Grade Reading Scores

| County | 2018 | 2019 |
|-----------|------|------|
| Charlotte | 63% | 69% |
| DeSoto | 29% | 34% |
| Manatee | 49% | 51% |
| Sarasota | 68% | 70% |

A Year in the Life of an Elementary School Student



- Time in school: 14%
- Time sleeping: 33%
- Time awake and out of school: 53%



The Suncoast Summer Book Challenge, funded by The Patterson Foundation

- **The Challenge? Children read at least 6 books* over the summer months.**

*James Kim of the Harvard Graduate School of Education — found that regardless of family income, the effect of [reading four to five books](#) over the summer was large enough to prevent a decline in reading-achievement scores from the spring to the fall.



Motivation

| | |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| Suncoast Campaign for Grade-Level Reading | Improve Summer Reading Scores |
| Summer Providers | Weekly Stipend and supports |
| Participating Children | Bracelets |

Suncoast Summer Reading Challenge

| Suncoast Summer Reading Challenge 2017-2019 | | | |
|--|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 2017 | 2018 | 2019 |
| Number of Counties | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| Number of Participating Providers | 22 | 83 | 97 |
| Number of Participating Students | 2,630 | 5,369 | 8,709 |
| Number of Students Completing the Challenge | 918 | 4,915 | 6,876 |
| Total Number of Books Read | 10,738 | 126,787 | 198,570 |



Suncoast Summer Reading Challenge

| Suncoast Summer Reading Challenge Comparison 2018/2019 | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|-------|---------------------------|--------------|-------|------|
| | 2018 # | 2018% | | 2019 # | 2019% | Diff |
| Summer Learning Gain | 28 locations | 41% | Summer Learning Gain | 30 locations | 35% | -6% |
| Even | 13 locations | 19% | Even | 8 locations | 9% | -10% |
| < 1 month loss | 10 locations | 15% | < 1 month loss | 9 locations | 11% | -4% |
| 1 month loss | 12 Locations | 18% | 1 month loss | 3 locations | 4% | 14% |
| > 1 month, < 2 month loss | 0 | | > 1 month, < 2 month loss | 17 locations | 20% | 20% |
| 2 month loss | 0 | | 2 month loss | 3 locations | 4% | 4% |
| > 2 month loss | 0 | | > 2 month loss | 4 locations | 5% | 5% |
| unscored | 6 locations | 9% | unscored | 11 locations | 13% | 4% |



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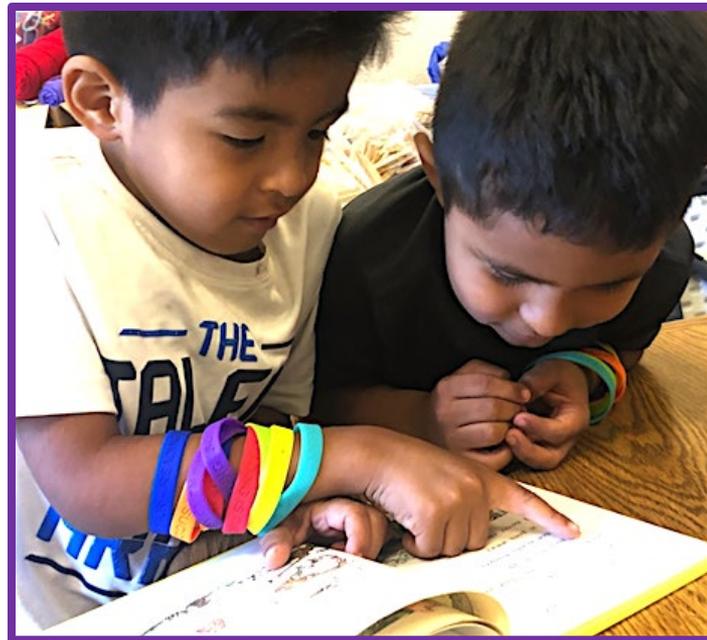
2018 Suncoast Summer Book Challenge Supports

| Supports | Programs with more than 10 and less than 30 participating students* | Programs with more than 30 and less than 60 participating students* | Programs with more than 60 participating students* |
|--|---|---|--|
| \$400 for Staff Orientation/Information Session | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| \$200 per week for each week the program is in session | ✓ | ✓ | ✓ |
| \$300 additional dollars per week for each week the program is in session | | ✓ | ✓ |
| \$5 additional dollars per week for every participating child once a total of 60 has been reached. Capped at a total of \$1,000 per week | | | ✓ |

*Participating students – weekly reading progress must be reported

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Summer Blastoff Event

½ Day Training

Mandatory participation for at
least two people from every
participating site

Hand-on entertaining and
replicable activities centered
around reading

Be the change you want to see

**Saturday
April 28th
11 A.M.**

DOOR PRIZES
including
a \$100
Amazon Card

BOOKER HIGH SCHOOL

Help us celebrate the
Blastoff of our
Summer Book Challenge

Come spend the morning with our Summer
Camp Providers and engage in hands-on
activities from 7:15-10:45 A.M. (breakfast
included) or join us at 11 A.M. as we listen
to the keynote speaker and get inspired!

KEYNOTE



**SATURDAY
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**KEYNOTE, 11 A.M.
OR
TRAINING, 7:15 A.M.**

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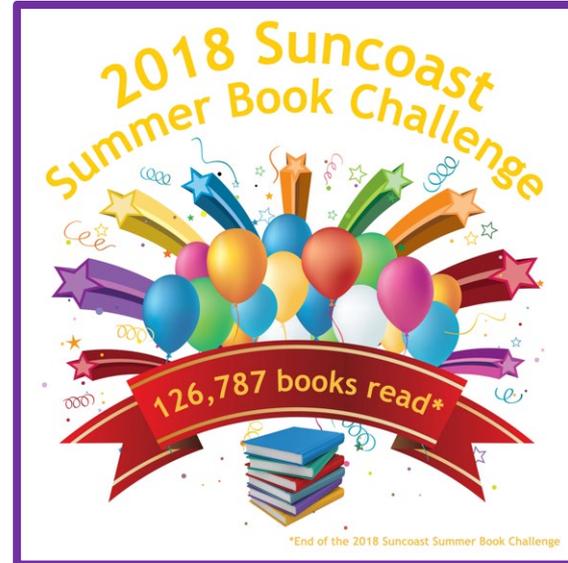
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Blastoff guide included all lessons along with literacy tools for the providers to use throughout the summer.

The Blastoff event created a great deal of enthusiasm for the Suncoast Summer Book Challenge.





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Supports

- Each provider received a supply bin with all materials
- Each provider had weekly contact with a member of the SCGLR engagement team
- All forms were Google Docs for ease in reporting



Keys to Success

- Flexibility in the type of provider and the length of programming
- Outcome Measurement in place
- Engagers making weekly contact





Connect With Us!

Website: GradeLevelReadingSuncoast.net



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Questions



National Summer Learning Day



National Summer Learning Day is a national advocacy day aimed at elevating the importance of keeping kids learning, safe and healthy every summer – all so students return to school ready to soar!

<https://www.summerlearning.org/summer-learning-day/>



Annual National Conference



www.summerlearning.org/national-conference



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