

# WANTED: VOLUNTEER LITERACY TUTORS For: READING ROCKS PROGRAM

*Do you want valuable teaching related experience working with children? To make a difference in the life of a child who requires literacy support? Volunteer for Reading Rocks Halton!*

**Reading Rocks** is an 8 week reading program for children between the ages of 6-12 who require support with their literacy skills. The program focuses on the essential skills of phonics, sight words, and fluency, which are taught and reinforced through engaging, and interactive literacy activities.

**A Reading Rocks participant and her tutor show off the creative poster board they are using to track the child's reading success**



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*The right to learn, the power to achieve*

*In partnership with the Research Institute for Learning Differences*

## ● ● What You Will Do: ● ●

- Work with a pair of children that require literacy support for 8 weeks, twice per week for 1 hour (16 nights in total), implementing a literacy program to meet each child's individual needs
- Utilize hands-on literacy activities and games to teach and reinforce the components of the program
- Create a unique and creative work station poster board with the children where successes are graphed and celebrated
- Conduct informal literacy assessments on the first and last night of the program
- Provide a positive learning environment to invoke motivation and confidence in the children
- Training is Provided!

*\*Eligible volunteers must be 17 years of age or older.  
Enrollment/background in teaching or child related education program is preferred\**

**Interested applicants are invited to complete a  
Reading Rocks Volunteer Literacy Tutor Application Form**

*On our website: [www.Ldahalton.ca](http://www.Ldahalton.ca)  
(On Reading Rocks Page or Volunteer Page)*

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