

Literacy Council of Wake County

Using Ribbon of Hope funds, the [Literacy Council of Wake County](#) (the Council) provided one-on-one tutoring and/or small group classes to at-risk youth (ages 6-17) to improve their reading, writing, and math skills and increase academic success. The Council served 167 students who participated in one or more activities: one-to-one tutoring, small group classes, and a summer experiential learning class. Ninety percent of participants demonstrated increased reading comprehension scores on Tests of Adult Basic Education (TABE); students also demonstrated increased math comprehension scores on TABE (77% of participating students), improved school attendance (69% of participating students), improved self-esteem and interpersonal skills (81% of participating students).