



## **We need you!**

We invite you to participate in the **Literacy London Read-a-Thon!** This event brings together student participants in the Old South Read Olympics with supporters of adult literacy to achieve personal reading goals and expand their understanding of the importance of reading.

## **Why?**

For 45 years, Literacy London's volunteers have been delivering free one-on-one tutoring to adults in reading, writing, numeracy and computer skills. Our volunteers have been helping adults in our community gain the skills and confidence they need to obtain or keep meaningful employment, upgrade their education, or simply read their medication labels and hydro bills.

Literacy London is a grassroots, not-for-profit, volunteer-based community organization. We need your support to continue helping London residents live productive, engaged lives. Donations of \$20 or more are tax deductible and you will receive a tax receipt with our registered charity number – 85701 3700RR0001.

For more information, please visit our website [www.literacylondon.ca](http://www.literacylondon.ca)

## **How can you help?**

- Consider signing up as a Read-a-Thon reader. This event runs from February 24 to March 7. Set a reading goal, gather pledges, and start reading! All forms of reading count. Sitting down with a good book is something that many of us appreciate. However, through this Read-a-Thon, we want to promote reading in all its forms. Participate by reading aloud to someone, following a recipe, reading a blog. The sky is the limit!
- Set your own goal. You decide what to read and how much to read. The exciting thing is that there are so many different things to read. All reading is valuable!
- If you can't personally participate in the Read-a-Thon, please pledge your support to a Read-a-Thon participant.

**To obtain forms or pledge your support, please contact Irene at Literacy London.**

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(Donations can also be made online. Please visit [www.literacylondon.ca](http://www.literacylondon.ca) and click on "Support Us")

With your ongoing support, Literacy London can continue to serve those in our community who are committed to moving forward in their lives. Thank you for supporting literacy in our community!