

## Wisconsin Bookworms Program

This program is designed to provide free books and an early reading experience for children ages 3-5 years from limited income families. Each month volunteers;

- read award-winning books to the children
- engage them in a related activity
- give books to the children
- provide educational activity sheets for their families

Readers go into the classrooms eight times a year. The Wisconsin Bookworms program began in 1998 with grant funding but now must be funded by donations. Funding is needed yearly to provide books for 250-300 students in the Head Starts and some 4-K programs in Columbia County. The cost of each 8-book set is \$25. The need is great. Our cost this year was \$7500. Seven different sites are being served.

We are hoping that your organization or business will help us purchase these books for low-income children. Checks may be written to Columbia County Association of Home and Community Education (CCAHCE).

\$100. will buy 4 sets of eight books

\$200. will put books into the hands and homes of 8 children, etc.

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*Address:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Phone Number:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Donation Amount:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Date:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Member Accepting the Donation:* \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you. We appreciate your support**

