Quotes about Prime Time Family Reading

“Prime Time Family Reading has been one of the most meaningful and rewarding opportunities I have experienced in the 10 years I have been a children’s librarian.” – Librarian, Pierce County

“[Prime Time has made] my child more excited to read new books. She pays more attention to the details of the books and is more engaged during reading time.” – Prime Time parent

“We librarians all believe in the importance of Prime Time and think that it makes a big difference for families.” – Librarian, Issaquah

“As a small, rural community with limited diversity of ethnicity and belief systems, it was encouraging to hear the children comfortably respond to and reflect on characters and situations beyond their own immediate experiences.” – Librarian, Spokane

“The program strengthened bonds between kids and their parents. Students in the Prime Time Reading program see themselves as readers and lovers of books now. They are beginning to read more fluently and more often. What more could we ask for? I give this program my highest endorsement.” – Librarian, Pierce County

“The books led us to real-life discussions and allowed us to talk about good choices/bad choices, being confident, and how others can be different from us and that’s okay.” – Prime Time parent

“Prime Time Reading is a gift to our community. Since the Walla Walla Public Library’s first session of Prime Time Reading in 2013, we have seen the lasting literacy and library connections that this program helps develop. We are especially enthusiastic about the impact of the bilingual Prime Time Family Reading format. This is our third bilingual session and the families that have participated and continue to use the library has been especially powerful.” – Librarian, Walla Walla