



Corporate volunteers make all the difference



Individuals or groups can volunteer and get involved in the following ways:

- Volunteer in one of our four core program areas (Adult, Child, Family or Financial Literacy)
- Join the Board of Directors or become a committee member.
- Invite the Foundations team to your workplace so we can tell you about our work and current volunteer opportunities.
- Assist in the planning or execution of a fundraising or literacy event, or hold a third-party fundraiser.

Lend your organization's voice to uplift others.

Interwoven through every aspect of life, from paying bills to accessing healthcare information, literacy impacts everyone.



Foundations

Learning & Skills
Saskatchewan

Talk to your HR Department and contact Foundations today at:

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Do you know Foundations?



Foundations Learning & Skills Saskatchewan (formerly READ Saskatoon) has a long history as a local literacy organization that offers free literacy services to adults and families.

In partnership with trained volunteers, like-minded organizations, and corporations, Foundations creates opportunities and transforms lives of the most vulnerable members of our community through free, proven literacy programs delivered in the community.

We are a non-formal learning organization; we work alongside informal (libraries) and formal learning institutions. We do not provide credits or marks, rather we focus on assisting in the mastering of individual literacy skills such as letter and sound identification, fluency, vocabulary, spelling comprehension, finding and using information in a document, writing text using appropriate voice, adapting tone, and communicating clearly and concisely.

Foundations has more than 40 years of community literacy experience and works with 3,000+ people in the community every year. Struggling with literacy can be an extremely shame-filled, isolating experience. Foundations' free programs provide countless opportunities in the community for adults and families to learn and grow together.

Our literacy programs are delivered by 17 staff and almost 200 trained volunteers. Volunteers are essential to helping us accomplish our work, while having a positive impact on our community and strengthening our organization. They play an integral role in achieving our vision that all Saskatchewan communities and individuals have equitable access to quality learning opportunities so everyone can fully participate and thrive.

Volunteers are the heart of what we do!

Did you know that employees who volunteer are some of the most engaged employees? Additionally, volunteering helps improve communications skills, lowers staff turnover, and decreases absenteeism.