

# Senior Buddy Readers



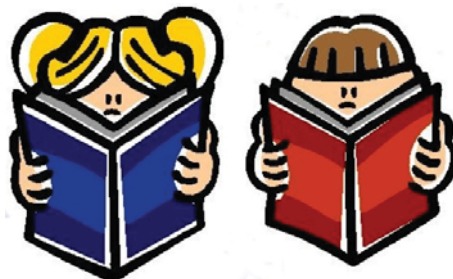
... building a bridge  
to literacy

## An Intergenerational Literacy and Mentoring Program

The Senior Buddy Readers Program is currently seeking volunteers for the 2012-2013 school year. Active retirees are needed to help first graders improve their reading skills. The program runs from October through June and takes place in Meriden's elementary schools. We are currently looking for volunteers in the following schools:

Nathan Hale – Tuesdays from 9:15-11:15  
Casimir Pulaski – Tuesdays from 1:00-2:45  
Hanover – Thursdays from 10:00-11:30  
Thomas Hooker – Thursdays from 1:30-2:30

Anyone interested in sharing 1-1½ hours per week mentoring a child is invited to call the office of Meriden Children First Initiative at 203-630-3566 or Cathy Lewis at 203-599-8085. Make a difference in the life of a child...become a Senior Buddy Reader Volunteer!!



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