

Jumpstart Fresno





Future educators building children's love for reading

Through Jumpstart, we not only help ensure kindergarten readiness for over 300 children in the Central Valley each year, but also provide our Corps members with the essential training, skills, and practical experience they need for their future careers. Many Corps Members choose to pursue a career in teaching after Jumpstart, allowing us to bring more experienced, passionate, and high-quality teachers into the field.

On average, 90% of Jumpstart children make gains in the language and literacy skills determined to be predictors of kindergarten readiness and school success.

Community service events, including Jumpstart Family Literacy Night, engage program alumni as volunteers. Both current members and alumni read to children and families and lead arts and crafts activities.



2017-2018 Program Year

- 63 Corps Members
- 15 Team Leaders
- 300 children
- 22,800 Hours of Service
- 12 alumni volunteers
- 17 Years at Fresno State









