FOG READERS

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What is FOG Readers?

FOG = Free Orton-Gillingham

Tutors meet with students once a week

Students are in grades I-4 and struggling with reading



IT'S BEEN A JOURNEY

FOG Team Assembled September 2020

Challenges:

- Reconnecting with existing learner-tutor pairs
- Recalibrating for virtual
- Training up!









NICOLE SEZ: 'TEAMWORK MAKES THE DREAM WORK!'

- Curriculum adapted for Zoom
- 230 tutors trained since December
- 20+ SFPL staff tutors!
- II0+ students matched
- Group and individual tutor support





FOG READERS TODAY

- Tutoring continues over the summer –sign up at sfpl.org/fog
- Summer volunteers can include teens 15yo and older
- Tutoring is online only until SFPL libraries are fully open.
- Questions: contact Maricela Leon-Barrera, Literacy Manager (readers@sfpl.org)



THANKYOU

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JASON NICOLE & RUBEN!