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Jonesborough Elementary School's Little Free Library Grand Opening Promotes Literacy for ALL Children

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Little Free Libraries are a global phenomenon. The small, front-yard book exchanges number 36,000 around the world in 70 countries — from Iceland to Tasmania to Pakistan. Now, a new Little Free Library at Jonesborough Elementary School will join the movement to share books, bring people together and create communities of readers.

The Jonesborough Elementary School Parent Teacher Association (PTA) will host a ribbon cutting on Wednesday, October 4, 2017, at 1:00 pm, open to the public. Attendees will receive information on literacy development and strategies that can be used to promote literacy at home for children aged birth to 10 years old.

“Our Little Free Library belongs to the Jonesborough Community,” says Matt Combs, Principal of Jonesborough Elementary. “We hope that this Little Free Library will raise awareness to the importance of literacy and provide a resource for all children to access books.”