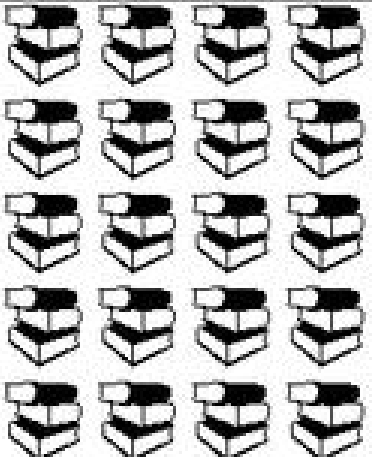
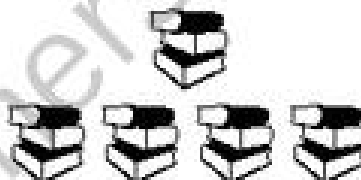



# WHY READ 20 MINUTES AT HOME?

| Student A Reads  | Student B Reads   | Student C Reads  |
|--|---|--|
| ❖ 20 minutes per day.  | ❖ 5 minutes per day.  | ❖ 1 minute per day   |
| ❖ 3,600 minutes per school year.   | ❖ 900 minutes per school year.  | ❖ 180 minutes per school year.   |
| ❖ 1,800,000 words per year.  | ❖ 282,000 words per year.   | ❖ 8,000 words per year.  |
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| ❖ Scores in the 90 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.                 | ❖ Scores in the 50 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.                  | ❖ Scores in the 10 <sup>th</sup> percentile on standardized tests.                   |

If they start reading for 20 minutes per night in Kindergarten, by the end of 6<sup>th</sup> grade, Student A will have read for the equivalent of 60 school days, Student B will have read for 12 school days, and Student C will have read for 3.

(Sylvia and Ernest, 1997)

**WANT TO BE A BETTER READER? SIMPLY READ.**