

Opening Up a World of Possible for Everyone

BIGGER THAN WORDS: GLOBAL CITIZENSHIP ACTIVITY



Books are powerful because they can ignite passion in things you never knew you liked or even existed. By opening a world of possible, books offer great stories, new perspectives, and the transformative power to allow you to walk in someone else's shoes.

Now imagine not having the opportunity to pick up a book, to experience this passion, or to learn about new things because your family lives in extreme poverty.

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I'm a global citizen. I have the power to speak up, to take action, and to make an impact in the lives of others. I will share the power of books with other kids and inspire a reading movement. **What steps can you take to open up a world of possible for others?**

56 million children around the world do not have access to an education.*



Without access to teachers, schools, or a quality education how different might your life be?

Directions: Reflect on the questions below, then write an action statement that describes the steps you will take to open up a world of possible for others.

1. If you could select a book to read on any topic, what would it be and why?
2. Describe a moment when you felt goose bumps, a spark, or a moment of wonder when reading a book.
3. Tell how this moment encouraged you to reflect on a topic, explore something new, take action, or recommend the book to your friends or family?
4. Share your ideas through conversations with classmates and at home with families.

*Source: http://www.unicef.org/media/media_53659.html



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Kids can create a world of possible through reading

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