United Through Reading

**BOILER PLATE LANGUAGE**

ABOUT UNITED THROUGH READING

United Through Reading (UTR) is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) public benefit organization that has served military families for more than 28 years. UTR’s mission is to unite military families facing physical separation by facilitating the bonding experience of reading aloud together.

UTR offers service members the opportunity to be video-recorded reading storybooks to their children at home which eases the stress of separation, maintains positive emotional connections, and cultivates a love of reading and early childhood literacy.

At more than 200 recording locations worldwide, service members read to the children who are special to them on military bases and outposts, deployed U.S. Navy ships, U.S. Coast Guard cutters, and at select USOs. Since inception, more than 2 million military parents, spouses, and children have benefited from the program.

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