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To: Coppell ISD Board of Trustees
From: Jill Haltom, Jean Boyd & Michelle King
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Re: Literacy Update

The purpose of the three literacy updates is to keep the Board abreast of the impact of initiatives in Coppell ISD which support the struggling student.

- Accelerated Reading Instruction (ARI) and Accelerated Math Instruction (AMI) Report. The ARI/AMI reports the effect of **both reading and math** interventions for students K-7 during the 2006-2007 school year.
- READ 180 Update. This update provides a look at student data since launching READ 180 on five elementary campuses and all secondary campuses during the 2006-2007 school year.
- Middle school literacy coaches. Last year, Coppell ISD's three middle schools added one literacy coach per campus. The literacy coach's role is to work directly with struggling readers 25% of the school day and serve as the campus literacy leader the other 75% of the day. In an effort to keep the Board informed, Julie Carpenter (West), Carolyn Wooldridge (North), and Linda Mowlavi (East) will share a snapshot of the impact of their work on student learning.