

NFB BELL Program Braille Enrichment for Literacy and Learning

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NFB (National Federation of the Blind) sponsors the BELL Program (Braille Enrichment for Literacy and Learning) in an effort to provide instruction in braille during the summer months to children who are blind or visually impaired. This program is meant to serve students who are not currently receiving enough braille instruction in school or who could benefit from braille enrichment over the summer. Designed for children ages 4 to 12, the program offers braille instruction through two weeks of fun, hands-on activities.

The program is currently being offered by affiliates in 24 states and the District of Columbia. Learning how to read and write in Braille can develop levels of self-confidence and self-sufficiency that cannot be achieved by other means. Call The Lighthouse at 504-899-4501 ext. 263 for more information.

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