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Now more than ever, school districts must attend to the early literacy needs based on research on how children learn to read and comprehend language. As the mother of four and grandmother of fourteen, I've witnessed some who "caught on" to reading with seemingly little effort, but also witnessed those for whom reading is difficult work. So difficult that reading becomes something they avoid. It doesn't have to be that way. I'm grateful for education professionals who have studied early literacy and can inform districts on best practice. Please support HB3198 on behalf of children who need your help. Thank you for your service to Oregon.