WHY READ 20 MINUTES AT HOME?

	Student A Reads		Student B Reads		Student C Reads
*	20 minutes per day.	*	5 minutes per day.	*	1 minute per day
*	3,600 minutes per school year.	*	900 minutes per school year.	*	180 minutes per school year.
*	1,800,000 words per year.	*	282,000 words per year.	*	8,000 words per year.
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* 5	cores in the 90 th percentile on	. So	cores in the 50 th percentile on	. So	cores in the 10 th percentile on
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If they start reading for 20 minutes per night in Kindergarten, by the end of 6th grade, Student A will have read for the equivalent of 60 school days, Student B will have read for 12 school days, and Student C will have read for 3.

(Nagy and Herman, 1987.)

WANT TO BE A BETTER READER? SIMPLY READ.