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Media alert: Event to bring Omaha families free books

What: Metropolitan Community College, AIT Worldwide Logistics, Cargo Zone, Metro, AmeriCorps, Lutheran Family Services and the Omaha Public Library are driving forward literacy by giving away 20,000 books at three Omaha locations.

When: Saturday, April 11, 10 a.m.–4 p.m.

Where:

Westroads Mall
10000 California St., parking lot in front of Dick's Sporting Goods

The Salvation Army Kroc Center
2825 Y St., front parking lot

Planet Fitness
5760 Ames Ave., front parking lot

Background: The public is invited to browse the books in a library-like setting on the Metro buses and take home titles for free. Fiction and nonfiction books are available for all ages and reading levels.

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Metropolitan Community College, accredited by the Higher Learning Commission, is a comprehensive, public community college that offers affordable, quality education to all residents of Dodge, Douglas, Sarpy and Washington counties. Founded in 1974, MCC has the largest enrollment out of six community colleges in Nebraska and is the second largest

postsecondary institution in the state. MCC serves more than 40,000 unique credit and noncredit students.