

Frankfurt Book Fair and Bildungspate continue their co-operation

## **Bildungspate collects books for school libraries again**

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On 19<sup>th</sup> October 2008 the book collection at the Frankfurt Book Fair will take place for the third year running. This is a charitable donation scheme whereby exhibiting publishers are invited by the non-profit-making organisation Bildungspate to donate books for school libraries.

During the last charity event about 3,500 books and magazines were collected. "We would be very happy if publishers continue to participate in this donation scheme," says Karin Ploetz from the Frankfurt Book Fair.

Following the same procedure as last year, members of the organisation Bildungspate, together with other helpers and students of the sponsored schools, will walk through all exhibition halls on the Sunday afternoon (last day of the fair) and collect the books. The donated books will be given directly to the Schulbibliothekarische Arbeitsstelle (part of the public library in Frankfurt) to be prepared for the school libraries, and from here the books will be distributed directly to the chosen schools.

All books will be given a label which marks them as a donation from the publisher. You may recognize Bildungspate's helpers and members by their orange shirts with the Bildungspate logo.

This year the books will be given to two primary schools and four secondary schools in Frankfurt.



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