Fourteen states currently invest in Reach Out and Read, providing critical funding for books, staff, general operations and infrastructure as of September 2018.

1. **MASSACHUSETTS**
   $1,000,000 from a legislative line item administered by the Department of Early Education and Care. The legislature has funded Reach Out and Read in Massachusetts since 2000.

2. **RHODE ISLAND**
   $3,000 Funding via a senator-sponsored legislative grant.

3. **NEW YORK**
   $343,000 through the Department of Youth and Community Development via the New York City Council and Borough Presidents.

4. **NORTH CAROLINA**
   $250,000 Department of Health and Human Services partnership for Children with the North Carolina Legislature. Potential to reoccur.

5. **SOUTH CAROLINA**
   $1,000,000 from Education Improvement Act Funds. Potential to reoccur.

6. **GEORGIA**
   $133,000 Georgia Division of Family and Child Services, $60,000, Georgia Department of Public Health, $50,000, Georgia Department of Public Health - Project Launch, $23,000.

7. **FLORIDA**
   $35,000 Ounce of Prevention Fund.

8. **KENTUCKY**
   $15,750 from the Department of Public Health - $15,750 received annually for two years.

9. **ALABAMA**
   $15,000 from the State Department of Early Childhood Education/Early Headstart.

10. **COLORADO**
    $100,000 from the Office of Early Childhood in the Department of Human services, will receive annually through 2019.

11. **ARIZONA**
    $254,000 from First Things First, a citizen’s initiative that has funded Reach Out and Read since 2009, funded by a voter-enacted tax on tobacco products.

12. **CALIFORNIA**
    $165,000 San Bernardino County funding through First 5, a voter-initiated tobacco tax to fund early childhood

13. **OREGON**
    $77,374 from the State of Oregon Department of Education.

14. **WASHINGTON**
    $600,000 over the FY 2017-2019 biennium via a legislative line item to the Department of Children, Youth and Families. The state has provided funding since 2010, through state general funds and the federal CCDBG.