Book Drive Will Benefit the Greenville Mental Health Center and Greenville County Schools!

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2nd and Charles, a national book store owned by Books a Million, is holding a month-long book drive that will benefit over 40 school-based therapeutic youth programs offered in elementary, middle and high schools by the Greenville Mental Health Center. From July 30 through August 26, customers can purchase items at 2nd and Charles. These purchases will positively impact children in Greenville County schools. Books will also be donated to Greenville County public school libraries and some Greenville foster care group homes.

Located at 2465 Laurens Road, Greenville, 2nd and Charles. Two other successful book drives held in 2016 provided hundreds of popular children's books, games, journals, colored pencils, puzzles and other creative resources to the Center for the Child and Adolescent programs.

The books and resources will assist our clinical teams in meeting the treatment goals of our young adults, teens and children in our school-based programs. We deeply appreciate the efforts of manager, Heather Stroud, and the other amazing staff and customers of 2nd and Charles who are continuing to make these great resources possible to the children of Greenville County!



Hats off to **2**nd **and Charles** for enthusiastically hosting a book drive for the Greenville Mental Health Center, for their generosity to our Center, and their advocacy for mental health wellness!