

Dear Parents,

It is extremely important that kindergarten students that are promoting to first grade continue to read during the summer. Research shows that the absence of regular reading practice can cause a significant drop in reading proficiency over the summer months. The Sam and Carmena Goss Library (located next door to Barbers Hill High school) and the Sterling Municipal Library (located in Baytown) are great places to find books and magazines to read. If you can not accompany your child to the library simply have your child read books and magazines from home. You will find the reading log and response sheets attached to this information letter.

- The student will write down the titles of the books he/she reads over the summer. The student **must also write a complete sentence** answering **one** of the prompts below for each book he/she reads. Each book **must have the designated written response**. **You may add notebook or writing paper if your child needs more room to write.**

The log must be completely filled out and the **total number of books** written at the bottom of this page. Students who read at least **25 books with a written response** will be invited to a **movie and popcorn party** in the fall. Your child's log should be turned in to his/her Language Arts teacher no later than Friday August 23, 2019.

Sincerely,

Barbers Hill Language Arts Teachers

**Prompts**

- ☺ I think the character is feeling \_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_.
- ☺ I think the author is trying to tell me \_\_\_\_.
- ☺ I think the character learned \_\_\_\_.
- ☺ This book makes me think of \_\_\_\_.
- ☺ I think the most important event in this story was \_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_.
- ☺ My favorite part of this book was \_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_.



**Student Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Total # of books read \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Parent signature)

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Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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