**On Your Mark . . . Get Set . . . READ!**

**“The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn; the more places you’ll go.” – Dr. Seuss**

Dear 7th Grade Student,

Our journey through education never really stops, even when we are on summer vacation! We are looking forward to September when our paths join and we are able to share our experiences with each other. To ensure that we are all prepared when this time arrives, the following is our class’ summer reading activity.

Your local library is hosting a summer reading program entitled **“On Your Mark…Get Set…READ!”** You are required to participate in this program and in doing so read a **minimum** of 300 pages over the next two months. No biggie, right!?! ☺ Please either visit your town library or their website to get the specific details. What you read is **your choice!!** You have freedom here, so make sure you choose texts you’re going to **want** to read!

The reading program requires you to register, either at the library or online. We expect you to register and to show us proof that you participated in the reading program. IF YOU SIGN UP ON-LINE BE SURE TO SELECT THE CORRECT GROUP which is “6-12” BEFORE YOU START ENTERING ANY DATA (FYI…the library program is opened to all school ages so you will see Preschool and K-5 as well).

We, along with the librarians, would like to make sure you know that if you have any difficulty in reading they will have books and/or audio books (to listen to as you follow with the text) available at the level you would like. If the books you want are not in our libraries, please speak to the librarian and they will be sure to get you just what you want!

We look forward to the beginning of a new school year and the reading adventures we will embark together. If you have any questions, please feel free to send an email anytime to dmeyers@berlincentral.org or dkelly@berlincentral.org. You can also message Mrs. Meyers through Schoology. Thanks a lot and have a wonderful summer!! Happy reading!! ☺

Sincerely,

 Mrs. Meyers & Mrs. Kelly

 ELA 7 Special Education 7