

Sally Borden Program - Entering 8th Grade Summer Work – 2019

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to 8th grade and greetings from your teacher. In keeping with the SBP tradition for summer work, students entering eighth grade in September are required to complete math and reading work.

Math

You are required to practice math skills using the online math review program called IXL. Specific directions are posted on:

<https://sites.google.com/friendsacademy1810.org/fasummermath/entering-grade-7-sbp>
and the IXL website is: www.ixl.com/math.

The purpose of our summer math is to spiral through concepts from sixth grade and earlier. This is a web-based program and I will be able to watch progress throughout the summer. *Please write out all of your work on paper and bring it with you in September.*

Language Arts

1. *The Day the World Came to Town: 9/11 in Gander, Newfoundland* by Jim DeFede
2. *To Cross A Line* by Karen Ray
3. One other book from either the Middlereads or Good Reads Young Adult Reading lists
 - a. <http://www.middlereads.org/>
 - b. <https://www.goodreads.com/list/tag/young-adult>

If you would like to use an audiobook to accompany your summer reading choices, please make sure you are following along with the text version as well. You can find your books in your local library, your local bookstore, or choose to read on an eReader. Bring your books to class in September when we return so we can share our summer adventures with classmates.

Have a wonderful summer!

Sincerely,

Mr. Martin