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Dear Parents and Guardians:

The end of the school year is fast approaching. As our students prepare for summertime fun and vacation, they also need to continue good reading habits. We are pleased to provide your child with an opportunity to continue practicing skills that strengthen their reading abilities.

The STMS summer reading program will be available through Khan Academy. Our summer reading program is **OPTIONAL** and is strictly for enrichment purposes. Khan Academy lessons provide students with ELA practice and instruction covering reading comprehension and vocabulary, around various topics. Each reading unit contains videos and practice questions—videos are for tutorial purposes only.

Incoming 8th Grade Unit Information

Unit Name	Skill	Practice Assignment Name
Trailblazing Women	Close Reading: Informational Texts	Reading Informational Texts "Katherine Johnson"
Trailblazing Women	Close Reading: Speech and Drama	Reading a Speech and Drama "Sojourner Truth"
Trailblazing Women	Applying Vocabulary Knowledge	Vocabulary "Katherine Johnson"
Trailblazing Women	Reading For Understanding: Informational Texts	Reading Informational Texts "Mae Jemison"
Living Tongues	Close Reading: Informational Texts	Reading Informational Texts "Saving Dying Languages ""
Living Tongues	Close Reading: Poetry	Close Poetry "Languages"
Living Tongues	Applying Vocabulary Knowledge	Vocabulary "Saving Dying Languages"
Living Tongues	Reading Fiction	Reading Realistic Fiction "Direct Translation?"

On the following page, you will find information on how your child will enroll in Khan Academy using the proper class code. **Summer Reading will be due on Tuesday, September 6th.** Students will submit an assignment report through their ELA teachers CANVAS page. Students must pass at least 6 of the 8 quizzes with a 75% or higher to receive the extra credit.

Enrollment information is on the following page.



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Students who already have a KHAN Academy account:

Login into KhanAcademy.org. Go to **TEACHER** on the bottom left and **ENROLL** in the appropriate course.

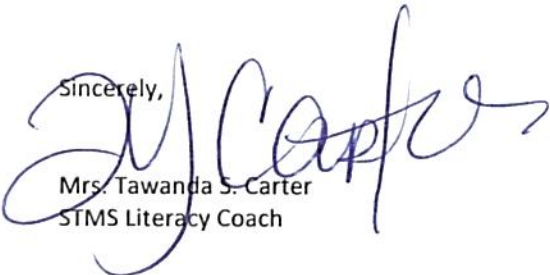
Students who DO NOT have a Khan Academy Account:

You will need to enroll your child in the summer reading by creating an account directly with Khan Academy. Do Not use your child's 06# to create an account, use a working email address in the event the password needs to be recovered. Go to **TEACHER** on the bottom left and enroll in the appropriate course.

Course	FIRST INITIAL IN LAST NAME	Class Code
STMS Summer ELA Grade 8	A-C	SABJF6DV
STMS Summer ELA Grade 8	D-G	MC7XVR24
STMS Summer ELA Grade 8	H-L	UCBJSYG9
STMS Summer ELA Grade 8	M-Q	ZB84H4QB
STMS Summer ELA Grade 8	R-Z	QWQQQF3H

Silver Trails Middle School's mission is to produce confident readers and critical thinkers. Thank you for your support and cooperation in your child's academic career. If you have any questions or concerns about summer reading, please contact me at Tawanda.Carter@browardschools.com.

Sincerely,


Mrs. Tawanda S. Carter
STMS Literacy Coach