



Marion Elementary 6th Grade Summer Reading Requirement

The Belle Vernon Area School District has created a literacy plan for students from birth to grade twelve. As part of this plan, students are now given a summer reading requirement. This is meant to encourage students to continue reading during the summer months. These are the requirements for students entering the sixth grade.

Please fill out the attached form and return it to your child's reading teacher by Monday, June 4, 2018. The requirements for Summer Reading can also be found on the Marion Elementary website for your convenience or check my homepage – Carol Manack.

Summer Reading Requirement Rules

1. Choose an appropriate **grade level** book. For example, a sixth-grade student should be reading at least a 2 or 3-point book or higher. (Be sure the book chosen is a book with available AR points. Check the AR book finder on the Marion Elementary homepage or email: Carol.Manack@bellevrnarea.net with questions/concerns.)
2. Read this book over the summer.
3. AR tests may be taken at BVAMS from 9:00 – 12:00 on the following dates: June 25, July 17, and August 6. Note: If the designated dates are not convenient, students may take the required AR test at the beginning of the 2017/2018 school year. The test must be completed by Friday, September 7, 2018.
4. This AR test will also be the first formal grade for the 1st 9-week period. (Note: This grade will be averaged on a 10-point system regardless of the actual AR points of the novel.)
5. If you **DO NOT** complete this assignment, then your 1st grade of the 9 weeks will be a **ZERO!**
6. The AR points received for this book **WILL** also count toward the AR requirement for the first 9-week period.
7. Return the attached form to your child's 5th grade homeroom teacher by Monday, June 4th. By returning the signed form by June 4th, you will earn 2-bonus points to be added to your first 9-week reading grade.

Marion Elementary 6th Grade Summer Reading Parental Notification

My child has brought home the summer reading requirement sheet, and I am aware of what reading requirement is expected of my child entering grade 6.

(Student's name)

(Date)

(Parent/Guardian signature)

(Date)

Parent Contact:

Phone: _____

Email: _____

- Email Mrs. Carol Manack, Carol.Manack@belleversonarea.net, with questions.
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