



Blue Valley High School

English Language Arts Tiger Take-off July 23-26 and July 30– August 2

Blue Valley High School will offer an 8 day summer workshop in English Language Arts focusing on reviewing pre-requisite skills for incoming freshmen to help them prepare for ninth grade. Additionally, if a student has a summer reading assignment it will be discussed and reviewed. **Students who have difficulty in English Language Arts are strongly encouraged to attend, but all students will find it extremely useful.** The workshop will be taught by a certified, full-time teacher at BVHS. Spaces are limited and priority will be given to students based on second semester grades, teacher recommendations, and on-time applications.

Examples of pre-requisite skills to be covered:

Reading

- Identifying main idea in a reading passage
- Identifying supporting details in a reading passage.
- Learning “fix-up” strategies (what to do when you don’t understand what you just read)
- Review and discussion of summer reading assignment

WHEN: July 23-26 and
July 30- August 2
11:00 AM—1:00 AM

Writing

- Parts of speech in order to have a common language to talk about grammar and writing (focusing on noun, verb, adverb, adjective, and preposition)
- Sentence structure
- Paragraph development

WHERE: BVHS Room 353

COST: \$65.00

Study Skills

- Organization strategies-Notebook-Cornell Notes
- Using a planner
- How to use online resources

For questions, contact Mark Dalton at
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To apply, print this form, complete and detach the bottom portion, and send it to the address below or drop it off in the main office by **July 5th** with a check payable to BVHS.

**BVHS—Attn. Mark Dalton
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Student Name _____ Middle School _____

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