



# UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT

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TO: SELECT MEMBERS OF THE CLASS OF 2017  
RE: Keystone Literature  
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As part of its graduation requirements, the Union School District requires students to demonstrate proficiency on the Literature Exam or local assessments aligned with the Pennsylvania Academic Standards. You have not achieved proficiency on the exam. You will be able to satisfy the requirement by completing a remediation course on Study Island.

Here is how it will work.

The course has a total of 28 topics/lessons. You must score 80% on the course—that is, earn 21 ribbons. We encourage you to work at this pace to complete the program:

Date	Goal	Accumulated Ribbons
<b>January 11</b> (end of 2 <sup>nd</sup> quarter)	7	7
<b>March 20</b> (end of 3 <sup>rd</sup> quarter)	7	14
<b>May 19</b> (end of 4 <sup>th</sup> quarter)	7	21

As an incentive for you to finish early without procrastinating, your requirement will be lowered by 2 ribbons for each deadline you meet. For instance, if you get the 7 ribbons by January 11, your new target will be a total of 18 by the end of the course.

You will have some time during school—REACH and/or Study Hall—to work on this, but you will also have to spend some time on your own. This is, for the most part, a self-directed program—but when you have problems let us know.

Start now; there is no reason to wait. This is a graduation requirement.

*Mark Schlosser*