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Dear Parents and Families,

We're thrilled to welcome Liberty Elementary School as participant in our inaugural 'Harvard Crimson Reading Program' this fall!

Our goal is to inspire students to read and have fun while doing so. The Reading Program will encourage students at Liberty to complete reading level appropriate assignments throughout September and October.

Harvard Student-Athletes will visit each classroom on **Monday, September 16th** to introduce the program, talk about the importance of actively reading, and read to the kids from some of their favorite childhood books.

Liberty students that complete their reading program assignments will be rewarded with a FREE ticket and recognition at the Harvard vs. Dartmouth football game on Saturday, November 2nd at 1:00 pm. As part of the ultimate prize, ALL schools and students participating in the Reading Program will be invited onto the field prior to the game for a parade and photo opportunities. Students must be accompanied by an adult.

Parents and families can buy discounted \$5 tickets to the game by following these steps;

- Go to tickets.gocrimson.com
- Click on the 'Fall Fest' Banner
- Click 'Buy' on the 2019 Football vs Dartmouth – Reading Program event
- Enter the Promocode READ19 to unlock the offer for \$5 tickets

We want to inspire the next generation of students to get excited about reading, while welcoming them into the Harvard community. Our hope is that this experience offers a first-hand look at what hard work and dedication in the classroom can lead to.

Education through athletics and building community pride are at the core of our mission. We see athletics as a portal through which neighboring communities, such as Braintree, can enjoy the Harvard Experience.

We look forward to hosting you on Saturday, November 2nd, which will certainly be an unforgettable experience that your kids will remember for a lifetime!

Sincerely,
Jeffrey Botwick
Harvard University Athletics

