KEY

- Individual Staff will help
- All code submitted is written by individual student
- You can get help from the teaching staff.

**Read the specification. Completely.**

**Then read it again.**

# Overview

Process chars, as they are read:

- Read chars from keyboard without echo
- If upper case A-Z write it to display
- If lower case a-z convert to upper case & write to display
  - subtract 20h
- If blank or period write it to display
- Anything else do not write to display
- If the char was a period then end the program

# Example

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In: Hello, testing 123.
Out: HELLO TESTING .
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# Step 1: design

- Pseudocode
  - Should not try your first ASM program in ASM
  - Sketch, outline the program in something you understand
  - C or Java are good pseudocode
- Readfile
  - Folder on website
  - Contains C & Java versions

# Step 2: code

- Retrieve testing and grading files from the key course locker
- Files in unpack.exe
- In DOSBox type: unpack
- Name your source code  key.asm
- Assemble
  - `ml /c /Zi /Fl key.asm`
  - Creates `key.obj`
- Link
  - `link /CO key.obj`
  - Creates `key.exe`

# Step 3: test

- testkey.exe
  - Runs your program (key.exe)
  - Redirects keyboard input to program
  - Logs your attempts

# Step 4: grade

- gradkey.exe
  - Self-grading
  - Produces file “key.ans”
- Grade
  - 60 pts — correctness
  - 20 pts — efficiency (number of instructions)
  - 20 pts — documentation

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