

**Covenant Christian Academy 2009
Incoming Grade 4 Summer Reading List**

Each student is required to read 2 books chosen from the list below and keep a Journal:

Avi	The Good Dog Night Journeys
Burnett, Frances Hodgson	The Secret Garden
Cohen, Barbara	Thank You, Jackie Robinson
Dahl, Roald	James and the Giant Peach
DiCamillo, Kate	Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane The Tale of Despereaux
Eckert, Allan	Incident at Hawk's Hill Return to Hawk's Hill
Fitzhugh, Louise	Harriet the Spy
Henry, Marguerite	King of the Wind
George, Jean Craighead	Julie of the Wolves
Gipson, Fred	Old Yeller
Howe, Deborah	Bunnicula
Juster, Norton	The Phantom Tollbooth
Naylor, Phyllis Reynolds	Shiloh
Nixon, Joan Lowry	Orphan Train (series)
Paterson, Katherine	Bridge to Terabithia
Rawls, Wilson	Where the Red Fern Grows
Seldon, George	Cricket in Times Square
Sobol, Donald	Encyclopedia Brown (series)
Steig, William	Abel's Island

Written Assignment:

For each of the 2 books, the student will write a journal entry for each chapter as they finish reading it. The journal entry will comprise 2-3 sentences, in which the student tells:

- (1) their favorite part of the chapter and why, OR*
- (2) how one of the characters in the chapter is like them, OR*
- (3) a prediction of what might happen in the next chapter.*

Students who have chosen to do their journal entry on the blogs must do this assignment, only they will post entries to their blogs. The blogs must be complete and posted online before the first day of school.