



Literature

Covenant Christian School

September 8, 2009

First Grade

Instructional

<i>George the Drummer Boy</i>	Nathaniel Benchley
<i>Stone Soup</i>	Marcia Brown
<i>Are You my Mother?</i>	P.D. Eastman
<i>Arthur's Loose Tooth</i>	Lillian Hoban
<i>Frog and Toad are Friends</i>	Arnold Lobel
<i>Owl at Home</i>	Arnold Lobel
<i>Little Bear</i>	Else Holmelund Minarik
<i>Little Bear's Friend</i>	Else Holmelund Minarik
<i>Sir Small and the Dragonfly</i>	Jane O'Connor
<i>Play Ball, Amelia Bedelia</i>	Peggy Parish
<i>Henry and Mudge: The First Book</i>	Cynthia Rylant
<i>The Boy Who Cried "Wolf" and Other Fables</i>	Ellen Schecter
<i>Caps for Sale</i>	Esphyr Slobodkina
<i>Nate the Great</i>	Marjorie Sharmat, Weinman

Read Aloud

<i>The Mouse and the Motorcycle</i>	Beverly Cleary
<i>The Bears on Hemlock Mountain</i>	Alice Dalgliesh
<i>Miraculous Journey of Edward Tulane</i>	Kate Dicamillo
<i>Millions of Cats</i>	Wanda Gag
<i>My Father's Dragon</i>	Ruth Stiles Gannett
<i>English Fairy Tales</i>	Joseph Jacobs, ed.
<i>The Story of Ferdinand</i>	Munro Leaf
<i>Sarah Plain and Tall</i>	Patricia MacLachlan
<i>Blueberries for Sal</i>	Robert McCloskey
<i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i>	Scott O'Dell
<i>The Boston Coffee Party</i>	Doreen Rappaport
<i>Call It Courage</i>	Armstrong Sperry

Charlotte's WebE. B. White

History Read Aloud

A Picture Book of Abraham LincolnDavid A. Adler

A Picture Book of George WashingtonDavid A. Adler

Thomas Jefferson: Father of Our DemocracyDavid A. Adler

Daniel Boone: Frontier Adventures.....Keith Brandt

Pocahontas and the StrangersClyde Robert Bulla

Christopher Columbus.....Stephen Krensky

Benjamin FranklinChris Looby

Christopher Columbus and His Voyage to the New WorldRobert Young

Summer

Fiction

Any of the Magic Tree House series or Boxcar Children series.

Biography

To be determined.

Scripture

Judges 6 and 7 (the story of Gideon)

Second Grade

Instructional

The Emperor's New Clothes.....Hans Christian Andersen

Baby Island.....Carol Ryrie Brink

The Mouse and the Motorcycle.....Beverly Cleary

The Courage of Sarah Noble Alice Dagliesh

Mop TopDon Freeman

The Pilgrims' First Thanksgiving..... Ann McGovern

Apple Tree Christmas..... Trinka H. Noble

The Long Way Westward.....Joan Sandin

The White Stallion.....Elizabeth Shub

A Child's Garden of VersesRobert Louis Stevenson

A Child's Anthology of Poetry.....Elizabeth Hauge Sword

The Boxcar ChildrenGertrude Chandler Warner

Read Aloud

Watership DownRichard Adams

Her Girlhood DiaryLouisa May Alcott

Clara Barton: Angel of the Battlefield.....Rae Bains

Abraham Lincoln and Presidents' Day.....Joanne Barkan

Peter and the Starcatchers.....Dave Barry, and Ridley Pearson

<i>Abe Lincoln: The Young Years</i>	Keith Brandt
<i>Paul Revere: Son of Liberty</i>	Keith Brandt
<i>The BFG</i>	Roald Dahl
<i>Because of Winn-Dixie</i>	Kate DiCamillo
<i>Tale of Despereaux</i>	Kate DiCamillo
<i>George Washington Carver</i>	James Marion Gray
<i>More Perfect Than the Moon</i>	Patricia Maclachlan
<i>Cinderella</i>	Charles Perrault, Retold by Amy Ehrlich
<i>The Best Christmas Pageant Ever</i>	Barbara Robinson
<i>Keep the Lights Burning, Abbie</i>	Peter Roup
<i>Little House on the Prairie</i>	Laura Ingalls Wilder
<i>Velveteen Rabbit</i>	Marjery Williams

Summer

Fiction

<i>Flat Stanley</i>	Jeff Brown
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Biography

<i>George Washington</i>	Ingri d'Aulaire and Edgar Parin d'Aulaire
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Scripture

Matthew 8 and 9

**Third Grade
Historical Time Period: Up to 500**

Instructional

<i>Mr. Popper's Penguins</i>	Richard Atwater
<i>Pinnocchio</i>	Carlo Collodi and Gris Grimly
<i>House Book of Fairy Tales</i>	Amy Ehrlich, and Diane Goode
<i>The Moffats</i>	Eleanor Estes and Louis Slobodkin
<i>Misty of Chicoteauge</i>	Marguerite Henry
<i>The Magician's Nephew</i>	C.S. Lewis
<i>Pippi Longstocking</i>	Astrid Lindgren
<i>The Trojan Horse</i>	Emily Little
<i>Black Ships Before Troy</i>	Rosemary Sutcliff
<i>Little House in the Big Woods</i>	Laura Ingalls Wilder
<i>Detectives in Togas</i>	Henry Winterfeld
<i>Letters to Levi</i>	Elvira Woodruff

Read Aloud

<i>The Children's Homer</i>	Padriac Colum
<i>Benjamin Franklin</i>	Ingri D'Aulaire, and Edgar Parin

<i>The Golden Goblet</i>	Jarvis McGraw Eloise
<i>Ida B.</i>	Katherine Harrigan
<i>Rabbit Hill</i>	Robert Lawson
<i>The Five Little Peppers</i>	Edith Nesbit
<i>The Story of the Treasure Seekers</i>	Edith Nesbit
<i>Peril and Peace: Chronicles of the Ancient Church</i>	Mindy and Brandon Withrow

Summer

Fiction

<i>Henry Huggins</i>	Beverly Cleary
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Biography

To be determined

Scripture

Genesis 1-3 (the creation story)

Supplemental

<i>Book of Greek Myths</i>	Ingri D’Aulaire, and Edgar Parin
<i>City, A Story of Roman Planning and Construction</i>	David Macaulay
<i>Pyramid</i>	David Macaulay

Fourth Grade
Historical Time Period: 500 to 1625

Instructional

<i>The Secret Garden</i>	Frances Hodgson Burnett
<i>Alice’s Adventures in Wonderland and Through the Looking Glass</i>	Lewis Carroll
<i>The Door in the Wall</i>	Marguerite D’Angeli
<i>The Twenty-One Balloons</i>	William Pene DuBois
<i>Robin Hood</i>	Roger Lancelyn Green
<i>Just So Stories</i>	Rudyard Kipling
<i>From the Mixed-up Files of Mrs. Basil E. Frankweiler</i>	E.L. Konigsburg
<i>Tales from Shakespeare</i>	Charles and Mary Lamb
<i>The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe</i>	C.S. Lewis
<i>Island of the Blue Dolphins</i>	Scott O’Dell
<i>A Single Shard</i>	Linda Sue Park

Read Aloud

<i>The Hundred Dresses</i>	Eleanor Estes
<i>The Red Keep: A Story of Burgundy in 1165</i>	Allen French
<i>Leonardo’s Horse</i>	Jean Fritz
<i>Dangerous Journey: The Story of Pilgrim’s Progress</i>	Oliver Hunkin
<i>River of Grace: The Story of John Calvin</i>	Joyce McPherson

<i>Winnie the Pooh</i>	A.A. Milne
<i>The King's Fifth</i>	Scott O'Dell
<i>Polyanna</i>	Eleanor H. Porter
<i>The Story of King Arthur and His Knights</i>	Howard Pyle
<i>Joan of Arc</i>	Nancy Wilson Ross
<i>Starry Messenger: Galileo Galilei</i>	Peter Sis
<i>Celtic Treasures (Audio)</i>	Jim Weiss
<i>Masters of the Renaissance: Michelangelo, Leonardo Da Vinci and More</i>	Jim Weiss
<i>The Queen's Pirate: Elizabeth I and Sir Francis Drake (Audio)</i>	Jim Weiss
<i>Shakespeare for Children (Audio)</i>	Jim Weiss
<i>Three Musketeers/Robin Hood (Audio)</i>	Jim Weiss
<i>Monks and Mystics: Chronicles of the Medieval Church</i>	Mindy and Brandon Withrow

Summer

Fiction

<i>The Cricket in Times Square</i>	George Selden
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Biography

<i>Who Was William Shakespeare?</i>	Celeste Mannis
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Scripture

First Samuel 1-12

Supplemental

<i>The World of Shakespeare, Hamlet for Kids</i>	Lois Burdett
<i>Midsummer's Night Dream for Kids</i>	Lois Burdett
<i>Much Ado About Nothing for Kids</i>	Lois Burdett
<i>Tempest for Kids</i>	Lois Burdett
<i>Romeo and Juliet for Kids</i>	Lois Burdett

Fifth Grade

Historical Time Period: 1625 to 1850

Instructional

<i>Duncan's War</i>	Douglas Bond
<i>Caddie Woodlawn</i>	Carol Ryrie Brink
<i>Blood on the River, James Town 1607</i>	Elisa Carbone
<i>Soft Rain: A Story of the Cherokee Trail of Tears</i>	Cornelia Cornelissen
<i>Robinson Crusoe</i>	Daniel Dafoe (edited by Kathryn Lindskoog)
<i>A Christmas Carol</i>	Charles Dickens
<i>Anthony Burns: The Defeat and Triumph of a Fugitive Slave</i>	Virginia Hamilton
<i>The Phantom Tollbooth</i>	Norton Juster
<i>A Wrinkle in Time</i>	Madeleine L'Engle

Carry on Mr. Bowditch Jean Lee Latham
The Princess and the Goblin George MacDonald
Call It Courage Armstrong Sperry

Read Aloud

Courage and Conviction: Chronicles of the Reformation Church Mindy and Brandon Withrow
Captains Courageous Rudyard Kipling
Anne of Green Gables Lucy Maud Montgomery
Homer Price Robert McCloskey

Summer

Fiction

Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH Robert O’Brien

Biography

William Wilberforce: The Freedom Fighter Derick Bingham

Scripture

The book of Luke

Sixth Grade
Historical Time Period: 1850-Present

Instructional

Homesick Jean Fritz
Old Yeller Fred Gipson
Out of the Dust Karen Hesse
Across Five Aprils Irene Hunt
Jungle Book Rudyard Kipling
Under the Blood Red Sun Graham Salisbury
Kidnapped Robert Louis Stevenson
Roll of Thunder, Hear My Cry Mildred D. Taylor
The Hiding Place Corrie Ten Boom
The Hobbit J.R.R. Tolkien
Tom Sawyer Mark Twain
By the Shores of Silver Lake Laura Ingalls Wilder

Read Aloud

Little Women Louisa May Alcott
Bird Boy Elizabeth Starr Hill
Redwall Brian Jacques
Hearts and Hands: Chronicles of the Awakening Church Mindy and Brandon Withrow
Swiss Family Robinson Johann D. Wyss

Summer

Fiction

Choose one of the following:

Black Beauty Anna Sewell

My Side of the Mountain Jean Craighead George

Biography

Up from Slavery.....Booker T. Washington

Scripture

The book of Acts

Supplemental

Tuck EverlastingNatalie Babbitt

Al Capone Does My ShirtsGennifer Choldenko

Number the StarsLois Lowry

The Westing GameEllen Raskin

Air Raid-Pearl Harbor Theodore Taylor

Children of the Storm: The Autobiography of Natasha VinsNatasha Vin