

Westside Christian Academy

Upper School Summer Reading 2019

All Students Grades 7-12 [Make one substantial observation per chapter.]

- I Samuel
- II Samuel
- I Kings
- II Kings

Dialectic School (Grades 7-9) [Be prepared for a class discussion. Summarize (in 1-3 sentences) 20 of the fables of your choice. Be sure to include the title of the fable with each summary.]

→ *Aesop's Fables* by Aesop. These are ancient stories from a pagan culture. as such some of the topics are somewhat unsavory. Here is a list of fables that would be safe:

- ◆ - The Town Mouse and the Country Mouse
- ◆ - Belling the Cat
- ◆ - The Frogs and the Ox
- ◆ - The Lion and the Mouse
- ◆ - The Gnat and the Bull
- ◆ - The Fox and the Goat
- ◆ - The Wolf in Sheep's Clothing
- ◆ - The Tortoise and the Hare
- ◆ - The Fox and the Crow
- ◆ - The Ant and the Dove
- ◆ - The Frogs who Wished for a King
- ◆ - The Rat and the Elephant
- ◆ - The Goose and the Golden Egg
- ◆ - The North Wind and the Sun
- ◆ - The Dogs and the Fox
- ◆ - The Ant and the Grasshopper
- ◆ - The Boy who Cried Wolf
- ◆ - The Kid and the Wolf
- ◆ - The Bundle of Sticks
- ◆ - The Farmer and the Stork

◆ Aesop's Fables does not need to be purchased. All of the above stories may be found at the following link: <http://www.read.gov/aesop/001.html> . Also, please be aware that depending upon the translation you use terms used for donkey and female dog may be somewhat antiquated.

- Grade 7-Additional 300 pages of any parent-approved reading
- Grade 8-Additional 400 pages of any parent-approved reading
- Grade 9-Additional 500 pages of any parent-approved reading

Rhetoric School (Grades 10-12) [Be prepared for a quiz and/or discussion over the contents during the first week of school. Prepare notes which include a character list and a short summary of each chapter.]

- *Out of the Silent Planet* C.S. Lewis
- Grades 10-12 Additional 600 pages of any parent-approved reading

To be submitted on the first day of school:

1. Summer reading log with parent signatures.
2. Notes on the I and II Samuel and I and II Kings

Summer Reading Log
2019

Student Name _____

Bible Reading

- I Samuel
- II Samuel
- I Kings
- II Kings

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Assigned Book

- Aesop's Fables* by Aesop (Grades 7-9): (Purchase Penguin Classic Complete Fables: <https://www.amazon.com/Complete-Fables-Penguin-Classics/dp/0140446494>)

OR

- Out of the Silent Planet* by C.S. Lewis (grades 10-12)

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Additional Reading

Title	Pages
Total Pages	

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

[Grade 7-300 pages] [Grade 8-400 pages] [Grade 9-500 pages] [Grades 10-12-600 pages]

Summer Reading Log Waiver
2019

Student Name _____

I, _____, am requesting to waive my summer reading **additional pages** requirement by successfully completing summer coursework through a college or university.

Name of College/University:	
Course 1:	
Course 2:	

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Administrator Signature _____ Date _____

For school use only	
Course Name	Course Grade