#### **ECCS Honors Reading Program**

In her writings, Charlotte Mason coined the phrase "living books". These books were described as books that display "imagination, originality, and the human touch". Students who participate and meet the reading goals will be recognized at the end of the school year, and their achievement will be recorded on their report card. However, the goal of reading is enjoyment and inspiration.

#### **Guidelines:**

- 1. Books read for the Honors Reading Program must be chosen from the reading list posted on the school website. Books with an asterisk (\*) can be found in our library. (Only the fiction list has been completed in this way.)
- 2. Lists are broken down by grade levels.
- Students may read books above their grade level, but not below. If your child struggles with reading, please speak with the librarian. Permission to read a selection of books from the previous grade level may be granted.
- 4. To ensure a variety of books and authors are read, large series like *The Ranger's Apprentice* and *The Boxcar Children* have **a 5 book limit.**
- 5. Confirmation of a student reading an entire book will be supplied by the parent's signed initials next to the book title on the list printed from the ECCS website. The book title should also be highlighted for clarity.
- 6. There will be three honors levels: bronze, silver, and gold.
- 7. In kindergarten through second grades, parents may read aloud to their children, or children may read to parents.
- 8. In kindergarten through second grades, books 40 pages and less count as 1 book; 41-80 pages count as 2 books; 81-120 pages count as 3 books, and so on.
- 9. In all grades, at least one book must be read aloud as a family. If your child struggles with reading, you may read the other books aloud together.
- 10. Highlighted, initialed lists should be turned into the school office by the deadline stated in the school calendar and 4<sup>th</sup> wall.

	Gold: 120-125 Books		Silver: 100-103 Books		Bronze: 80-81 Books	
	Child Reads To Parent	Parent Reads To Child	Child Reads To Parent	Parent Reads To Child	Child Reads To Parent	Parent Reads To Child
Kindergarten		120 books		100 books		80 books
First Grade and Second Grade	60 books	60 books and 5 chapter books	50 books	50 books and 3 chapter books	40 books	40 books and 1 chapter book

	Gold: 17 Books		Silver: 13 Books		Bronze: 9 Books	
	Family Read- Aloud	Read by Child (or with parent)	Family Read- Aloud	Read by Child (or with parent)	Family Read-Aloud	Read by Child (or with parent)
Third through Eighth Grades	1	16	1	12	1	8

Student's Name:	Check Student t-shirt size:	
	□YS □YM □ YL □ S □M □L □ XL	
Total # Books Read:	Check Reading Level Earned:	
	□Gold □Silver □Bronze	
Parent's Signature:	Grade Level/Teacher Name:	

Please highlight the books read by or with your child this year. If other titles are indicated as allowed you may write those added titles to the side or at the end of the list. Once the list is complete, total the number of books read, and write the total in the space above. <u>Remember that each series has a 5 book</u> <u>limit.</u> Books marked with an asterisk (\*) indicate the ECCS Library has a copy.

## Fiction

Adams, Richard	Watership Down
Adler, Elizabeth	*The King's Shadpw
Alcott, Louisa May	*Little Women, *Little Men, *Jo's Boys, *Eight Cousins, *Rose in Bloom
Alexander, Lloyd	*The Book of Three, *The Black Cauldron, *The Castle of Lyr, *Taran
	Wanderer, *The High King, *Gypsy Rizka
Anderson, Laurie Halse	*Chains, *Forge
Austen, Jane	*Emma, *Pride and Prejudice, *Sense and Sensability
Avi	*The True Confessions of Charlotte Doyle, *Crispin Cross of Lead, The Most Important Thing: Stories About Sons, Fathers & Grandfathers, Sophie's War, The Fighting Ground
Avi Birdsall, Jeanne	Important Thing: Stories About Sons, Fathers & Grandfathers, Sophie's War,
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Birdsall, Jeanne	Important Thing: Stories About Sons, Fathers & Grandfathers, Sophie's War, The Fighting Ground *The Penderwicks, *The Penderwicks on Gardam Street, *The Penderwicks at Point Mouette, *The Penderwicks in Spring, *The Penderwicks At Last

Bronte, Charlotte	*Jane Eyre
Bunyan, John	*Pilgrim's Progress
Burnett, Francis Hodgson	The Lost Prince
Camus, Albert	The Guest
Carter, Forest	The Education of Little Tree
Christie, Agatha	*Murder on the Orient Express, *The ABC Mysteries, *The Mysterious Affair at Styles
Clark, Ann Nolan	*Secret of the Andes
Colver, Anne	Bread and Butter Journey
Coolidge, Susan	What Katy Did
Cooper, James Fenimore	*The Last of the Mohicans
Cote, Jenny L.	*any title in The Ark, the Reed, and the Fire Cloud series
Crane, Stephen	*The Red Badge of Courage (Y.A.)
Creesh, Sharon	*Walk Two Moons
Curtis, Christopher Paul	The Watson's Go to Birmingham
Cushman, Karen	*Matilda Bone
De Angeli, Marguerite	*The Door in the Wall
Defoe, Daniel	*Robinson Crusoe
Dickens, Charles	*David Copperfield, *Great Expectations, *Oliver Twist, *A Christmas Carol, *The Cricket on the Hearth
Dodge, Mary Maples	Hans Brinker: The Silver Skates
Doyle, Sir Arthur Conan	*The Hound of the Baskervilles, *The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes,
	*Great Adventure Stories

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Dumas, Alexandre	Three Musketeers
Eliot, George	*Silas Marner
Estes, Eleanor	*Ginger Pye,,*Pinky Pye, *The Moffats *The Middle Moffat, *The Moffat Museum, *Rufus M.,
Fitzgerald, John D.	*The Great Brain, *More Adventures of the Great Brain, *The Great Brain Reforms, *The Return of the Great Brain, *The Great Brain Does It Again, *Me and My Little Brain, *The Great Brain is Back
Flanagan, John	*The Ruins of Gorlan (and other titles of the Ranger's Apprentice series), The Outcasts (and other titles of the Brotherband Chronicles)
Finley, Martha	*Elsie Dinsmore (and other titles)- original series of 28 books only
Fritz, Jean	*Homesick
Ford, Jamie	*On the Corner of Bitter and Sweet
Forester, C. S.	Mr. Midshipman Hornblower
George, Jean Craighead	The Cry of the Crow, *My Side of the Mountain
Gray, Elizabeth Janet	Adam of the Road, My Side of the Mountain
Green, Roger Lancelyn	King Arthur
Hawthorne, Nathaniel	The House of Seven Gables, *The Scarlet Letter (Y.A)
Hemingway, Ernest	The Old Man and the Sea
Henty, G.A.	*The Young Carthaginian, *The Cat of Bubastes: A Tale of Ancient Egypt, *Beric the Briton: A Story of the Roman Invasion, *With Lee in Virginia: A Story of the American Civil War, *With Wolfe in Canada, *By Right of Conquest, *By Pike and Dyke, *Under Drake's Flag, *St.George for England, *A Knight of the White Cross, *For the Temple, *By England's Aid, *In Freedom's Cause, *St.Bartholomew's Eve, *Winning His Spurs, *Wulf the Saxson, *The Dragon and the Raven
Holm, Anne	*I Am David

Hoyle, K. B.	*The Six, *The Oracle, *The White Thread, *The Enchantment, *The Scroll,
	*The Bone Whistle
Hughes, Monica	The Keeper of the Isis Light
Hunt, Irene	*Across Five Aprils
Hurnard, Hannah	*Hind's Feet on High Places
Irving, Washington	Rip Van Winkle
Jacques, Brian	*Redwall, *Rakkety Tom, *The Angel's Command, *The Bell Maker, *Martin
	the Warrior, *Mariel of Redwall, *Moss Flower, * Mattimeo, *Pearls of Lutra,
	*Salamadrastrom, (and other titles in the series)
Keyes, Daniel	Flowers for Algernon
Kipling, Rudyard	*The Jungle Books, Captains Courageous, *Just So Series, Kim
Knight, Eric	Lassie Come Home
Konigsburg, E.L.	The View from Saturday
Latham, Jean	*Carry On, Mr. Bowditch
L'Engle, Madeline	*A Wrinkle in Time, *A Wind in the Door, *A Swiftly Tilting Planet, *A Ring of Endless Light, Many Waters (Y.A)
Lewis, C.S.	*Out of the Silent Planet, *Perelandra, *That Hideous Strength, The Screwtape
	Letter, The Chronicles of Narnia (*The Magician's Nephew, *The Lion, the
	Witch and the Wardrobe, *Prince Caspian, *The Horse and His Boy, *The
	Voyage of the Dawn Treader, *The Silver Chair, *The Last Battle)
London, Jack	*Call of the Wild, *White Fang
Lovelace, Maud Hart	*Heaven to Betsy, *Betsy in Spite of Herself, *Betsy Was a Junior, *Betsy and
	the Great World, *Betsy and Joe, *Betsy's Wedding
Lowry, Lois	The Giver
MacDonald, George	At the Back of the North Wind, The Princess and the Goblin, The Princess and
	Curdie, The Light Princess

Marshall, Catherine	*Christy, *Julie
Marshall, Peter Jr.	From Sea to Shining Sea
McGraw, Eloise Jarvis	*Mara, Daughter of the Nile, *Moccasin Trail
Melville, Herman	*Moby Dick
Merrill, Jean	*The Pushcart War
Montgomery, Lucy Maud	*Anne of Green Gables, *Anne of Avonlea, *Anne of the Island, *Anne of Windy Poplars, *Anne's House of Dreams, *Anne of Ingleside, *Rainbow Valley, *Rilla of Ingleside, *Magic for Marigold, *The Blue Castle, *After Many Days, *Chronicles of Avonlea, *The Story Girl, *Pat of Silverbush, *Mistress Pat, *Emily of New Moon, *Emily's Quest, *Emily Climbs, *Along the Shore, and others
Moody, Ralph	*Little Britches, *Man of the Family, *The Fields of Homes, *MaryEmma and Company, *The Home Ranch, *The Dry Divide
Nesbit, E.	*The Phoenix and the Carpet, *The Railway Children, *The Story of the Treasure Seekers, and other titles
Nixon, Joan Lowry	A Family Apart, Caught in the Act, In the Face of Danger, A Place to Belong
Norton, Andre	*Shadow Hawk
O'Dell, Scott	*Island of the Blue Dolphins, *The Black Pearl, *Black Star, Bright Dawn, *The King's Fifth, *Streams to the River, River to the Sea, *Thunder Rolling in the Mountains, *My Name is Not Angelica, *The Hawk that Dare Not Hunt by Day
Orczy, Emmuska	The Scarlet Pimpernel
Paolini, Christopher	*Eragon, *Eldest, *Brisingr, *Inheritance
Paterson, Katharine	*Bridge to Terabithia (Y.A.), Jacob Have I Loved, *The Great Gilly Hopkins, *The Master Puppeteer
Paulsen, Gary	*Sarny: A Life Remembered (Y.A)

Peterson, Andrew	The Wingfeather Saga (*On the Edge of the Dark Sea of Darkness, *North! Or Be Eaten, *The Monster in the Hollows, *The Warden and the Wolf King), *Wingfeather Tales
Porter, Gene Stratton	*Freckles, *A Girl of the Limberlost
Prentiss, Elizabeth	*Stepping Heavenward
Pyle, Howard	*Men of Iron
Rawlings, Marjorie Kinnan	*The Yearling
Rawls, Wilson	*Where the Red Fern Grows, *Summer of the Monkeys
Ray, Mary	*Beyond the Desert Gate, *The Ides of April
Remarque, Erich Maria	*All Quiet on the Western Front
Richter, Conrad	A Light in the Forest
Rivers, Francine	The Last Sin Eater
Rogers, Jonathan	The Wilderking Trilogy (*The Bark of the Bog Owl, *The Secret of the Swamp King, *The Way of the Wilderking)
Sachar, Louis	*Holes
Schmidt, Gary	*Anson's Way, *The Sin-Eater
Scott, Sir Walter	*Ivanhoe
Sheldon, Charles	In His Steps
Sillitoe, Monica	The Loneliness of the Long Distance Runner (5th and up)
Smith, S.D.	*The Black Star of Kingston, *The Green Ember, *Ember Falls, *Ember Rising
Speare, Elizabeth George	*The Witch of Blackbird Pond (Y.A), *Calico Captive, *Bronze Bow, *Sign of the Beaver
Saint-Exupèry, Antoine de	The Little Prince

Stevenson, Robert Louis	*Kidnapped, *Treasure Island, *The Strange Case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, The Black Arrow
Stewart, Trenton Lee	*The Mysterious Benedict Society (and sequels)
Stowe, Harriet Beecher	Uncle Tom's Cabin
Stratton-Porter, Gene	*A Girl of the Limberlost, *Freckles
Sutcliff, Rosemary	*The Light Beyond the Forest, *The Sword and the Circle, *The Road to Camlann, *The Eagle of the Ninth, *The Lantern Bearers, *Outcast, *The Shining Company, *The Silver Branch, *Warrior Scarlet
Swift, Jonathan	Gulliver's Travels
Taylor, Mildred D.	*Let the Circle Be Unbroken, *The Road to Memphis
Terhune, Albert P.	Lad: A Dog
Tolkein, J.R.R.	Farmer Giles of Ham,* The Silmarillion, *The Hobbit, *The Fellowship of the Ring, *The Two Towers, *The Return of the King
Tolstoy, Leo	Anna Karenina, Resurrection (8th gr.)
Twain, Mark	*The Adventures of Tom Sawyer, *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn, *A Connecticut Yankee in King Arthur's Court, *Tom Sawyer Abroad, *The Prince and the Pauper
Verne, Jules	*Around the World in 80 Days, 20,000 Leagues Under the Sea, *Journey to the Center of the Earth, The Mysterious Island
Webster, Jean	*Daddy-Long-Legs, *Dear Enemy
Wells, H.G.	The Time Machine, *The War of the Worlds
White, John	Tower of Geborah, Iron Sceptre
Wilde, Oscar	The Happy Prince
Willard, Barbara	If All the Swords in England, Son of Charlemagne
Williamson, Joanne	*The God King

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Wilson, N. D.

\*Leepike Ridge

Winterfeld, Henry

\*Detectives in Togas

Wyss, Johann

\*The Swiss Family Robinson

## **Non-Fiction**

Adamson, Joy	Born Free: A Lioness of Two Worlds
Bendick, Jeanne	*Archimedes and the Door to Science, * Galen and the Gateway to Medicine, * Herodotus and the Road to History
Carpenter, Humphrey	Tolkein, A Biography
Carson, Dr. Ben	*You Have a Brain
Clapp, Patricia	Dr. Elizabeth
Davis, Katie J.	*Kisses from Katie
Eareckson, Joni	Joni
Elliott, Elisabeth	The Journals of Jim Elliott
Finch, Jennie	*Throw Like a Girl
Frank, Anne	*Anne Frank, The Diary of a Young Girl
Fritz, Jean	*The Great Little Madison
Gilbreth, Frank B.	*Cheaper by the Dozen
and Ernestine Gilbreth Carey	
Grant, George	*Carry A Big Stick: The Uncommon Heroism of Theodore Roosevelt
Herriott, James	*All Creatures Great and Small, *All Things Wise and Wonderful, *All Things Bright and Beautiful, *The Lord God Made Them All
Jackson, Jacqueline	Turn Not Pale, Beloved Snail
Johnston, Johanna	Harriet and the Runaway Book: The Story of Harriet Beecher Stowe
	and Uncle Tom's Cabin
Keller, Helen	The Story of My Life
Lansing, Alfred	Endurance: Shackleton's Incredible Voyage
Magnusson, Sally	The Flying Scotsman
Marshall, Catherine	A Man Called Peter
Marshall, Peter Jr.	The Light and the Glory

Metaxas, Eric	Amazing Grace: William Wilberforce and the Heroic Campaign to End Slavery, Bonhoeffer: Pastor, Martyr, Prophet, Spy, Seven Men and Their Greatness, Seven Women and Their Greatness
Millwright, Alan	"Brother Andrew" God's Undercover Agent
Murphy, Jim	Weird and Wacky Inventions, The Boy's War
Popov, Haralan	Tortured for His Faith
Rankin, William	The Man Who Rode Thunder
Rickenbacker, Edward	Seven Came Through
Richardson, Don	Peace Child
Sandburg, Carl	Abraham Lincoln: The Prairie Years and the War Years
Swanson, James L.	*Chasing Lincoln's Killer, *Bloody Times
Swift, Catherine	C.S. Lewis, Gladys Aylward, Eric Liddell
Thomas, Lewis	The Medusa and the Snail
Trobisch, Ingrid	On Our Way Rejoicing
Vanauken, Sheldon	A Severe Mercy
Vaughan, David J.	Give Me Liberty: The Uncompromising Statesmanship of Patrick Henry
Warren, Andrea	*Orphan Train Rider: One Boy's True Story
Wiker, Benjamin D.	*The Mystery of the Periodic Table
Zeiss, Tony	* Backcountry Fury: A Sixteen-Year-Old Patriot in the Revolutionary War

(Christian biographies are available in the "Heroes of the Faith" or the "Sowers Series" as well.)