



# WESTMINSTER

CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

## Summer Reading for Students Entering 3rd Grade

We are excited that you will be coming to Westminster in the fall. Students are required to complete a summer reading assignment, and you will find the information below. Reading can take you to new worlds. We hope you discover wonderful places this summer.

This summer, you are to read 2 books:

- Read the required chapter book: *A Lion to Guard Us* by Clyde Robert Bulla.
- Read one other chapter book of your choice **from the list** provided. This book will be the basis for a book report you will prepare and give after the school year starts.

### Expectations for the First Weeks of 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade

1. During the first full week of school, the whole class will take the AR test on *A Lion to Guard Us*. You will want to review the book in preparation for that test.
2. During the third full week of school, you will give a book report on the chapter book you chose from the list. Your teacher will explain the requirements and options for that report during your first few days of school, so you will not work on the report during the summer. You **will** need access to your selected book in order to accurately give a report on it.

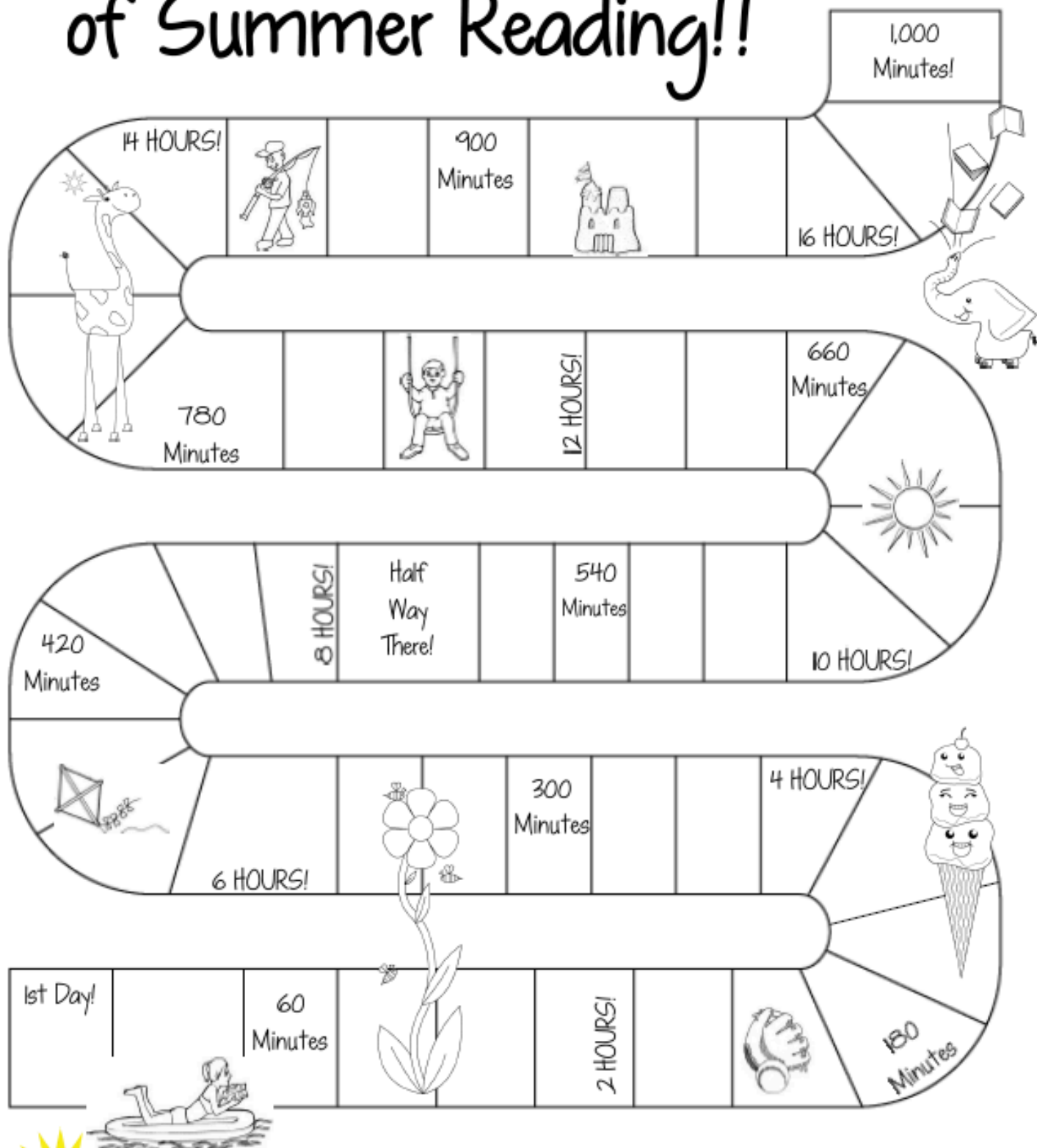
Please note: WCA will be offering library hours for weekly book checkout in order to help encourage your child's progress throughout the summer. Students who complete the attached summer reading incentive form should bring it back to school in August and will receive a fun prize for their hard work. Required summer reading counts toward their minutes!

## Selection Novel List Third Grade

<i>Amber Brown is not a Crayon*</i>	Danzinger, Paula
<i>Box Car Children*</i>	Warner, Gertrude
<i>Can Do Jenny Archer*</i>	Conford, Ellen
<i>Dog Days</i>	Lubar, David
<i>Encyclopedia Brown, Boy Detective*</i>	Sobel, Donald J.
<i>Gadget War</i>	Duffey, Betsy
<i>Herbie Jones and the Class Gift*</i>	Kline, Suzy
<i>One and Only Ivan</i>	Applegate, Katherine A.
<i>The Littles*</i>	Peterson, John
<i>Magic School Bus Gets Eaten*</i>	Cole, Johanna
<i>Magic School Bus Chapter Books*</i>	Different Authors
<i>Magic Tree House: Civil War on Sunday*</i>	Osborne, Mary Pope
<i>Mercy Watson to the Rescue*</i>	Dicamillo, Kate
<i>Ramona Quimby, Age 8*</i>	Cleary, Beverly
<i>Stanley, Flat Again*</i>	Brown, Jeff
<i>Annie Oakley: Young Markswoman*</i>	Varied authors in series

**\*Any one title from this series is acceptable**

# 1,000 Minutes of Summer Reading!!



Color in one box for every 20 minutes you read.

