

# Christian Life Academy

A Christ-centered School of Excellence  
Middle School Letter to Parents  
2022-2023 Academic Year

Dear Middle School Parents,

While summer is a time for your child to relax, enjoy family time and play with friends, it can also be a time to curl up with a good book or two . . . or three . . . or four . . . or more! During the summer, we expect our middle school students to read and enjoy good books.

In order to enhance the literature base of our English curriculum at CLA, all middle school students will be required to read the following books of the Bible [Psalms & Proverbs], as well as:

6th Grade Summer Reading: *The Cay* by Theodore Taylor

7th Grade Summer Reading: *Treasure Island* by Robert Louis Stevenson

8th Grade Summer Reading: *Emma* by Jane Austen

**Bible and Literature teachers will begin the school year reviewing these assigned summer readings with the students, followed by a written report.**

Students will also have the opportunity to earn a free dress down day by reading additional books of their choice. For every four novels read, students will receive a dress down voucher for the 2022-2023 school year.

Enjoy your summer with your children and we look forward to seeing you in August!

Your co-laborers in educating to the glory of God,

THE MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHING TEAM

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