

HONESTY POLICY: ACCELERATED READER

For this program to effectively increase a student's reading skill, it is imperative that a student behaves ethically. Students' who take quizzes on books that they have not read during the quarter usually do poorly on the test; the purpose of the program is to increase the amount of reading that a student does, so this behavior also defeats the purpose of the program. To best help our students, the English department has developed the following policy: Any student caught procuring answers or distributing answers for these quizzes will receive no credit for the quizzes involved and for the remainder of the quarter will have to prove competency through written book reports.

Please also realize that every book on Accelerated Reader list is not for every student. Some books are too easy and some books are too difficult. Other books are too childish and some are too mature for the emotional development of some students. Student and parent should work together to choose books that are right for the student's reading level and maturity. If a student wants to read a book that is not on the AR list, she/he has the option to complete a book report supplied by the teacher.

I have read and do agree to follow the policy above in order that I might take part in the computer-based testing program, Accelerated Reader.

PRINT Student's Name

Grade

Student's Signature

Date

Guardian's Signature

Date