



## SUMMER READING 8TH

All incoming 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are required to read *A Wrinkle in Time*, a heartwarming story by Madeleine L'Engle. This classic tale follows the journey of a young girl named Meg Murry who is transported on a quest along with her brother and friend to rescue her father, a gifted scientist, and fight evil that has intruded several worlds.

There will be an assessment over the details and themes from the book. To ensure a successful start to the new school year, please adhere to the following guidelines:

- Bring your copy of *A Wrinkle in Time* on the FIRST day of class.
- While you read the novel, please make annotations in your book to highlight evidence that would support themes in the text such as good vs evil, courage, uniqueness, love, and family. It would also be wise to annotate the major details in each chapter.
- Please note that the movie is NO substitute for the novel because it is quite DIFFERENT and will not help you with the assessment or project that you will be required to complete during the first two weeks of school.

Feel free to email me with any questions. **Happy Reading!**

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