

7th Grade Summer Reading

English and Social Studies

May 8, 2020

7th Grade - Social Studies

Text - *Jacob DeShazer - Forgive Your Enemies* by Janet and Geoff Benge

Assignment: After reading the book, **be prepared to turn in the Parent/Student Signature form** below on the first day of class (see below). There are several **optional note-taking questions** below for you **if you so choose to complete.**

1. How would you describe Jacob's spiritual life as a young man?
2. What major raid was Jacob a part of during the war? Describe the reason for the raid and why it was such a heroic thing to do.
3. Describe Jacobs's treatment in prison. How did he react?
4. How did Jacob become a Christian? How did Jacob get out of prison?
5. Describe the events in the book that depict such a beautiful picture of forgiveness and redemption.
6. This story of forgiveness may have brought to light an area of your life that you would like to experience the beauty of forgiving someone. Please take time to reflect on what the Lord may want you to do. Feel free to share your experience.

Parent/Student Signature 7th Grade Social Studies Form

Name of Student: _____

I have completely read my assigned Summer Reading History book.

Student signature: _____

Parent signature: _____

Date: _____

- Please print the form and be ready to turn in **on the first day of school**. These forms will be collected on the first day of school.

7th Grade - ENGLISH

Text: *A Wrinkle in Time* by Madeleine L'Engle

A Wrinkle in Time is a young adult science fiction book that illustrates love and loyalty as Meg, her brother, Charles, and friend, Calvin, travel through space and time to find their dad. Along the way, the travelers meet three women who guide them. Enjoy following this trio as they encounter strange, frightening, and exhilarating obstacles on their way.

*Be aware that the movie and book are completely different!!

Assignment: After reading the book, **be prepared to turn in the Parent/Student Signature form** below on the first day of class (see below). It is very important that you read all of this book because we will discuss it in class, complete a variety of activities on the book, and take a practice SRC quiz. There is an **optional note-taking guide** attached for your completion during your reading **if you so choose.**

***A Wrinkle in Time* Note-taking Guide**

Name: _____

Name of Book: _____

Author: _____

Settings:	Brief Description (3-5 bullet points each):

Characters:	Brief Description (1-2 bullet points each):

Chapter Name/#:	Summary (2-4 bullet points of each chapter):

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What is the main conflict of the book? (state in 2-4 sentences)

What is the resolution of the book? (state in 2-4 sentences)

What is the main theme of the book? (Explain with details why you think so.) Remember: Theme is seen through the main character's actions, thoughts, and dialogue.

**Parent/Student Signature 7th-Grade English Form
2020**

Name of Student: _____

I have completely read my assigned Summer Reading English book. The note-taking guide was optional.

Student signature: _____

Parent name: _____

Parent signature: _____

Date: _____

- Please print the form and be ready to turn in **on the first day of school**. These forms will be collected on the first day of school for a grade.