

## *A Wrinkle in Time*

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### Chapters 1-3

1. prodigious - tremendous
2. supine - flat on one's back
3. avid - enthusiastic in pursuit of an interest
4. tractable - obedient
5. antagonistic - actively unfriendly
6. snide - mean, unkind
7. inadvertently - in an unintended way
8. placidly - in a calm way
9. peremptory - expressive of urgency or command
10. assimilate - to understand; to take in
11. judiciously - in a wise way
12. morass - something that entangles or confuses

### Chapters 4 & 5

1. corporeal - having to do with the human body
2. void - empty space
3. elliptic - having an oval shape
4. inexorable - not to be changed
5. ineffable - incapable of being expressed in words
6. ephemeral - short-lived
7. clarity - clearness
8. metamorphosis - a change in physical form
9. condense - to change from vapor to liquid
10. disperse - to spread out
11. reverberated - to have continued in a series of sounds
12. cosmos - the universe

### Chapters 6 & 7

1. seethe - to be in a state of rapid and disturbed movement
2. writhe - to twist and turn
3. myopic - cannot see objects far away
4. malignant - something that can cause death
5. precipitously - showing unwise haste
6. propitious - favorable
7. furtive - done in a secretive way
8. aberration - different from a normal state
9. bilious - having a slightly green color due to liver problems
10. bravado - a show of courage
11. obliquely - indirectly; not straightforward
12. diverting - entertaining

### Chapters 8 & 9

1. pinion - to restrain by binding the arms
2. annihilate - to destroy all traces
3. ominous - looking dangerous
4. pedantic - in a boring, stodgy way
5. sadist - a cruel person
6. emanate - to come out from a source
7. transparent - clear
8. brusquely - in an abrupt way
9. translucent - allowing light to pass through
10. insolent - rude and disrespectful
11. omnipotent - all-knowing
12. miasma - a heavy vapor

### Chapters 10-12

1. atrophied - to have gotten smaller in size
2. imperceptible - so small that something is not noticed
3. fallible - capable of making a mistake
4. corrosive - having the ability to wear something away
5. assuage - to make more bearable
6. trepidation - anxiety caused by the sense of danger
7. acute - severe
8. despondency - hopelessness
9. appalling - inspiring horror or dismay
10. permeating - to be found throughout
11. reiterate - to repeat
12. vestige - a small remaining amount

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