



Welcome Incoming Middle School Students:

We are excited for this new upcoming academic year. The summer is a great time to enjoy, but also to continue learning. This summer you will be responsible for completing assignments in both reading and math. These assignments are due the first week of school and will be the first grades you will receive for the year.

I.) Reading:

1.) Choose a book:

- a.) Hatchet, Gary Paulson
- b.) A Wrinkle in Time, Madeleine L'Engle
- c.) Wednesday Wars, Gary D. Schmidt
- d.) Island of the Blue Dolphins, Scott O' Dell
- e.) The Giver, Lois Lowry

II.) Assignments:

1.) Choose one assignment:

- (a) **Scrapbook!** A scrapbook is an album of important objects that talk about or relate to an event. You can put together a scrapbook for one of the main characters in your book. The scrapbook should reflect the events that occur to that character in the book. You can include objects, photographs, letters, memorable items, and more. Make sure to write captions below describing the significance of the object in your book. The first page inside has to have a description of the scrapbook, and your information.
- b) **Interview a character from your book!** You might interview a character from your book. Write ten or more questions that will give the character the opportunity to discuss her/his role in the story. There are many different ways you can choose to present your interview. You can record a video, you can perform it live, or you can present it in a written format.

2.) **IXL Reading:** You will also be responsible for completing a minimum of fifteen hours of IXL Reading. Current students please log into your IXL accounts to view your summer assignments. Incoming students, you will receive your login information in a separate email.



III.) Math:

- 1.) IXL Math: Please log into your IXL account and complete a minimum of twenty hours of IXL Math . Your teacher will be able to see the time spent and assignments completed. This assignment will be your first grade for the year. Current students please log into your IXL accounts to view your summer assignments. New enrolled students, you will receive your login information in a separate email.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Mrs. Fontanez at kfontanez@pneumachristianacademy.org