Sixth Grade Summer Reading: 2016

REQUIRED READING

Down the Rabbit Hole: An Echo Falls Mystery by Peter Abrahams

You must also read **TWO** books from the following genres. Please select titles from two different genres:

- Fantasy
- Science Fiction
- Historical Fiction
- Multicultural

Your choices should be at a sixth grade level and books you haven't read! Please use links on the library page of the St. Anne's website if you need reading suggestions.

SUMMER SCRAPBOOK/JOURNAL

Use a 3-ring binder to prepare a scrapbook or journal.

- **1.** Decorate the cover of your scrapbook/journal with summer memories such as drawings, photos or magazine clippings. It should represent you.
- **2.** Write a lengthy letter to your sixth grade LA Lit teacher introducing yourself. Tell about your likes and dislikes, including your favorite subjects. What do you look forward to in sixth grade or middle school?
- **3.** Interview someone older than you about his or her transition into middle or junior high school. Record that person's response and include your own expectations for middle school.

Complete TWO of the following activities depending upon the genres you read:

- **4.** If you read a fantasy or science fiction novel, draw a cartoon strip illustrating a scene from the book. Add dialog or scene captions to help the reader know what is happening in the scene.
- **5.** If you read a historical fiction novel, write a journal entry describing the obstacles a main character faces in the book. How does the character overcome these obstacles? What obstacles have you had to overcome in your life at home or school?
- **6.** If you read a multicultural novel, write a letter to the author of your book. Talk about what you found most interesting about the culture and write five questions you have about the culture.