Rogers International School Summer Reading
incoming Grade 8

During this summer, you will be exploring an International Baccalaureate Middle Years Program Language and Literature focused Key Concept. The MYP Key Concepts provide a framework for units of work and helping to organize teaching and learning. You will be connecting the MYP Key Concept below during your summer reading as well as throughout the school year.

Incoming Grade 8 students will be connecting to the MYP Key Concept:

CONNECTIONS

MYP definition of the Key Concept of Connections:

Connections are links, bonds and relationships among people, objects, organisms or ideas. Linguistic and literary connections exist across time, texts and cultures. This concept is central to the study of language and literature. Due to the universal nature of language and literature, connections and transfer exist within and across narratives. This allows for the exploration of language and relationships between text, creator and audience.

Please reflect on the assigned MYP Key Concept as you read **A Wrinkle in Time by Madeline L'Engle** and be ready to share ideas throughout the school year. Along with reading the book, consider listening to the book on tape and watching the movie. What *connections* can you make between the story and real life?

