

## Book Battle 2023-2024

Thank you for showing an interest in the Book Battle Club. Please know that this club will take a TON of your time as you will need to carefully read up to 20 books ON TOP of your other reading for school, homework, extracurriculars, etc. This club is for the TRUE reader who absorbs books and doesn't just fly through them to be finished.

We will meet 3 times a month on **Mondays from 3:00-3:45**. The first semester we will talk about the books and start to be familiar with the Book Battle list. Second Semester we will start quizzing each other on the books to get prepared for the Area-Wide Competition. There are usually 30-35 other middle schools that participate. The Book list is attached.

At the end of February we will have a "**School Battle**" to see which team members make the team that will participate in the Area Wide School Battle. **Only 8 team members will be selected.** I recommend that students read at least 5 books from the list, but the more you read and remember the better chance you have of making the team. If you have not read 5 of the book battle books by February, I will kindly ask you not to be a part of the club any longer.

The Book Battle is **Tuesday, May 7, 2023**. The battle is held in Trivia Style format in which the team needs to come up with the Book Title and Author to answer a question. It is really a fun experience, but there is a lot of reading and quizzing beforehand. If you feel like this is something you TRULY want to do and have the ability to do, fill out the information below and return to me, Mrs. Dowling.

Our First Meeting will be Monday Sept 11.

Thanks again for your interest!!

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Mrs. Dowling

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_

Student Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

\*By signing above, you understand there will be extra, non-school related required reading. Students are expected to be picked up promptly at 3:45.

I will create a Parent Square for the club to keep you up-to-date of Book Battle Activities.