

*Where it all ends...*

# THE CYCLE

*...is also a new beginning*

The end. You have to start in order to get there. You have to go through thirteen years of lessons, notebook paper, and pencils, but finally, you make it. The end.

The cycle of how it all began is now starting over for the seniors. They have to enter into a new world . . . a strange world. While they are moving on, others are moving in. The kindergarteners. They will take their part in the cycle, so all is even. An ending cycle that is a new beginning.

We know where it all begins and where it all ends, but is it clear about what's in the middle? Friendships, first loves, dances, questions, tears, frustration, laughs, deadlines . . . How soon one forgets when you finally reach the end, but how soon one remembers when starting a new beginning. The middle may be the best.

Even though it seems you're in school for ever, it's only thirteen years compared to the rest of your life, but it will be the time that you learn the most, not just with your mind but with your heart. Where it all begins is where it all ends.

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# Where's Ashley?

HISTORY COMES TO LIFE. Mrs. Karen Martinez and Erin Polash act out the life of President John Kennedy during history class. Mrs. Martinez plays an active part in the involvement of students and class work.



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