

Welcome to Third Grade!



We are so excited to see you in August! We know that you have been working very hard in second grade, and we are eager for you to keep up on your reading and skill practice.

Over the summer, please work on the following:

- ❖ **Set a goal to read for 15 minutes each day, for a minimum of 1 1/2 hours per week.** What you read is completely up to you! It could be a picture book, directions to a game, a novel, a comic book, or even your cereal box!
- ❖ **Jot down your reading on a sheet of paper.** Be sure to write your name on the top of the page! If you loved what you read, you could even put a smiley face next to it. We know that there may be some days that you forget. That is ok! Just do the best that you can! Be ready to turn this into your third grade teacher during the first week of school.
- ❖ **OPTIONAL** The A.R. website will be open for you to take A.R. tests (after their website upgrades are completed) from June 22 until August 2. Remember you will not be able to retake tests in the fall on books you have tested on before, even during the summer.
- ❖ **Practice quick recall of addition and subtraction facts.** This could be done with flashcards, in the car, while taking a walk, or even while playing outside. more >>>

- ❖ **Jot down a list of your favorite ways to practice your facts this summer.** Be sure to put your name on the top of the page! You will give this list to your teacher during the first week of school.

- ❖ **Practice skip counting by 2s, 5s, and 10s.** You can put this together with movement by bouncing a ball, jumping rope, or playing hide and seek. Math is FUN!! Be sure to incorporate it into the fun times of your day.

- ❖ **Be sure to do lots of laughing, playing, helping around the house, and praying.** You can do this independently and with your family.

Third Grade Supply List

Individual Supplies

- 2 boxes of no more than 24 crayons-labeled with name
- 2 pocket folders-labeled with name
- 1 red and 1 blue pocket folder with prongs-labeled with name
- 1 marble composition notebook-any color-labeled with name
- 1 sturdy zip pouch/pencil case-labeled with name
- personal ear buds in labeled ziploc bags (you may use the ones from last year)
- ruler for home use
- 1 pack multiplication flash cards for home use
- clear contact paper for covering workbooks

Shared supplies

- 35 non-decorated #2 pencils-sharpened
- 2 boxes of tissues
- 1 pack of index cards
- 1 pack of loose leaf filler paper

- girls only-thin Expo dry erase markers
- girls only-pack of glue sticks
- girls only-pack of colored pencils
- girls only-package of baby wipes
- girls only-package of colored card stock paper

- boys only-package of white card stock
- boys only-pack of markers (thin or broad)
- boys only- pack of yellow highlighters
- boys only-container of clorox wipes
- boys only-roll of paper towels

*If you would like to purchase these school supplies online, the information is listed below.

<https://1stdayschoolsupplies.com/kits.php?sid=22088>