

Dear Parents,

All incoming Third Graders are required to read Three books during the summer vacation. This reading will make your child a better reader, a better writer and a better thinker. Attached are Three Book Reports, which will be used for each book, please make copies for each book. The Book Reports will be **due the first week of school**.

The titles of the books are:

1. Cam Jansen The First Day of Mystery School
by David A. Adler
2. Dinosaurs Before Dark
by Mary Pope
3. Book of Choice -- at reading level

Thank you,

Mr. Busser

STANDARD FICTION FORM

Answer the questions on this page about the fiction book you just read.

Title of book: _____

Author: _____ Number of pages: _____

Plot: Write one paragraph about what happened in your story.

Main character: What does your main character look like? _____

What does your main character act like? _____

Setting: Where does your story take place? _____

When does your story take place? _____

Theme: Why do you think the author wrote this story? Was he or she trying to show us something about life? Was the author writing a story to entertain us? Did you learn anything? Why do you think the author wrote the book?

Evaluation: Did you like this book? _____ Why or why not? _____

St. Hilary School

Third Grade Supply List

- 1 Pack of #2 pencils (12 or 24 pack)**
- 1 Large pink pencil eraser or Pencil topper erasers**
- 1 Boxes of Crayola crayons (24 pack only)**
- 1 Pack of Crayola colored pencils (8 pack)**
- 2 Glue sticks**
- 1 Bottle of Elmer's white glue**
- 2 Black Expo Markers**
- 2 Red pens**
- 1 Scissors**
- 1 Ruler with both metric and inches**
- 4 Large boxes of Kleenex tissues**
- 3 Container of disinfecting wipes**
- 3 Container of wipes for hands**
- 3 Reams of White Paper 8½ X 11**
- 1 Plastic box for Art Supplies (11½ long X 7 5/8 wide X 2 7/8 deep)**
- 2 Yellow hi-liters**
- 5 Pocket folders**
- 5 Spiral notebooks**
- 2 Reams of wide ruled lined paper**
- 1 Pencil bag for desk supplies**

**** PLEASE LABEL ALL THE SUPPLIES WITH YOUR STUDENT'S NAME****

Teacher may request some items to be repurchased throughout the school year if necessary or ask for additional supplies if needed.