

Third Grade Newsletter

Week of September 20, 2021

ANNOUNCEMENT/ REMINDERS

This week we are learning:

Take home folder (red): Please make sure you are checking your child's folder every night. It is important they bring it back to school every day.

Google Classroom: IMPORTANT: Your third grader has been sent an invite to their HRS email address to our Google Classroom. **Please make sure to check and accept this invitation ASAP.**

Headphones: If your child has not brought in their headphones yet, please make sure they do so ASAP. Thank you!

Raincoats: Make sure your child has a raincoat available to wear at school especially for recess.

Magazine Sale: We are off to a great start! Keep selling those magazines to support HRS!!

MAPs testing: Begins this week. Please be sure your child has a healthy breakfast each morning and arrives to school on time. MAPs testing will continue for the next 3 weeks and scores will be sent home with mid-trimester reports in October.

READING: Students take the MAPs reading assessment during reading classes. In addition, we will work on dictionary and reference skills.

BOOK ORDERS--OPTIONAL: Families are invited to use the online links to order books through Scholastic. You can place your order online anytime now until Sept. 30th. The books will ship to school and be sent home with your child as soon as they arrive! Use these links: **Shop Our Class Page:** <https://orders.scholastic.com/KVCPZ>

Shop Digital Flyers for Our Grade with Your Child: <https://clubs.scholastic.com/grade3>

LANGUAGE ARTS: We practice our paragraph writing skills and work in handwriting workbooks.

MATH: We continue to work on rounding and complete our first problem solving investigation. Students will take the place value assessment at the end of the week.

SOCIAL STUDIES: We begin our study of geography. This week we talk about the compass rose, equator, and prime meridian.

SCIENCE: We continue learning about different animal life cycles.

RELIGION: We are excited to attend Mass IN-PERSON this week! We review Mass responses and learn about St. Matthew.

Star of the week: **Livi**
Star Next week : **Liam**

Homework

EVERY NIGHT: READ 20 MIN/FILL IN LOG

Most nights students will have a math sheet.

It will be in the red take-home folder and will be written in the student planner.

Spelling Words: lay, real, trail, sweet, today, dream, seem, tea, treat, afraid, leave, bait, screen, speed

Spelling Homework: A spelling homework sheet will come home **Monday night and will be due on Thursday.** The **spelling test** will be on **Friday.**