



WELCOME TO THIRD GRADE!

2022 Summer Work for Rising 3rd Graders

READING: We recommend your child read approximately 80 minutes per week. Please assist them in selecting a variety of books over various genres.

Read at least 1 non-fiction *chapter* book this summer and complete the attached project.

WRITING: Your child should write a total of 6 personal narratives about their summer. Each entry should be at least 6 sentences. Photos and pictures are a great way to spark ideas, however, they are optional.

MATH: Your child should memorize 0-5 Multiplication facts

See attached sheet for information regarding math practice through IXL

TYPING: Please have your child practice their typing skills for 15-20 minutes a day, 4 days a week for better fluency in the upcoming year. TypingClub.com and Dance Mat Typing should be used to encourage typing fluency.

Summer work is due the first day of school and counted towards first quarter grades. Knowledge of math facts will be assessed within the first weeks of school, when timed tests are given. Late work will result in 10 points off final grade for each day projects aren't submitted.

Third Grade Summer Reading Project

Non-Fiction

DIRECTIONS FOR PROJECT:

- Select a non-fiction book that is on your reading level. It is important that the topic is of interest to you.
- Complete **Thinking about Reading Sheet** (attached to this packet)
- Complete **Glossary Sheet** (attached to this packet)
- Make a poster. You can draw, color, or print pictures for the topic.
 - Include **6 pictures** related to the book
 - Write a caption for each photo that is **at least 2-3 sentences long**:
DO NOT merely copy the captions from your book. Your captions should include information about what you read in the book. Explain what the picture shows, why the photo is important in the book, and give extra details.

RULES FOR PROJECT:

1. Due date: First day back to school.
2. Late Projects will be deducted by one letter grade.
3. Poster must be neat and organized.
4. The project must be on the correct genre: non-fiction.
5. Student must present their project to the class

The Photo Album

Ask your child to imagine that they have just taken a journey to the setting of their book. They visited the places in the book, witnessed the events, and met the characters (if any). While they were there, they snapped pictures the entire time, like a photo journalist trying to capture every detail. Now they returned home and need to choose the 6 most important pictures they took to make a photo album.

The photo album should include 6 photos that show the most important aspects of their nonfiction book. Students will draw or print the photos. They may want to draw themselves inside the photo as well, as if they were there. They need to wear the appropriate clothing based on the environment they are in (ex. in a rainforest: wear shorts and a raincoat).

Example of Photo Album (poster)

Title of Book Genre	
Draw Picture Write a Caption: at least 3 sentences. Include page numbers where you learned this.	Draw Picture Write a Caption: at least 3 sentences. Include page numbers where you learned this.
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By: Student Name	

Glossary

Word:	What it means:	Picture:



THINKING ABOUT READING



One question I had while reading the text:	One interesting thing I learned:
One personal connection to the text:	One reaction I had while reading the text:
This reminds me of...	

