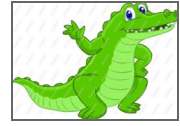




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# 3rdGrade Newsletter



## What have we been learning?

**Reading:** Third Graders we have been reading books from a series. Students are working on comparing and contrasting themes from series books and using evidence to support the similarities and differences. We will also be discussing literal and nonliteral language using various books.

**Math:** Third Graders will continue to work on learning their multiplication and division facts using 4, 1, and 0. Students will use multiplication and division to solve word problems using arrays and equal groups.

**Writing:** Third Graders are working on writing opinion pieces. Students will begin to drafting a letter to Mrs. Venezia explaining which piece of playground equipment she should add to the playground. Students will be using reasons and evidence to support their idea.

**Science/Social Studies:** Third graders have been learning about the human body. Last week we learned about the function of the skeleton. We learned that there are 206 bones in our body! On Tuesday, we will be dissecting owl pellets to compare rodent bones to human bones. We will also learn about the function of joints.

If your profession involves working with the human body, (ie doctor or nurse) and you would like to come into the classroom to share information about the human body please let me know!



### Upcoming Events:

10/28-11/1-Red Ribbon Week

10/29-Multiplication and division assessment

11/1-Word Study Test

11/3-Fall Beautification Day (8:30 - 11:30 at Alston Ridge)

### HELP!

#### *Wish List:*

Balls for outdoor recess

#### Reminders

**Red Ribbon Week**

**Monday- wear red**

**Tuesday-wear sports attire**

**Wednesday-wear a tie**

**Thursday-favorite hat**

**Friday-crazy socks**