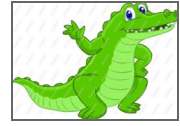




3rdGrade Newsletter



What have we been learning?

Reading: Third graders are hard at work reading just right books independently. We have been learning how to choose just right books and the expectations for readers workshop. Students will be receiving word study words for the week. **At home you can have your child practice reading by choosing a just right book and sharing the story together.**



Math: Third graders are beginning to explore place value and addition. We have talked about the value of numbers and what a digit means. We have also written numbers in expanded form, written form, and standard form. Students have been learning strategies to use when solving addition problems. **At home point out numbers and ask them to share the value of each digit.**

Writing: Third graders have been learning what authors have to go through to publish a book. We have created our own fizzle book or writers notebook to put in all of our fizzled thoughts. This week we will begin to sketch stories using personal narratives. **Have your child describe what an author has to do to create a story.**

Science/Social Studies: Third graders have been busy setting up laws for our classroom. We have decided on the laws we want for our classroom, the reasons for the laws and the consequences if a law is broken. **Ask your child to name a law in our classroom.**

Upcoming Events:

Aug, 9-Me Collage Due

Aug. 16- Word Study Test

Aug. 22- Open House

Aug. 23- Early Release Day (School will dismiss 1:15)

HELP!

Wish List:

Outdoor Recess balls

Reminders

Students have their word study words for two weeks. They can be found in their word study notebooks. It's the students responsibility to remember to take the notebook home when needed and study the words and skills of the week.

Please remember to check your child's Monday folder for important school and classroom information.

The class website is now available through the school webpage.