

Welcome to Third Grade!

Dear Second Grade Student,

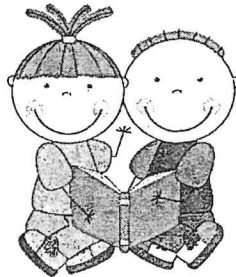
I would like to tell you how excited I am to have you in my third grade class next year. I am looking forward to a wonderful year of learning!

The following is a list of books that you may be interested in reading this summer. I would like you to choose at least **2 books** from the list and complete the activity sheet about **one of the books**. Please return the completed activity sheet to school on the **first day of third grade**. It will be your first reading grade. You will also be able to take Accelerated Reading tests on these books for your first A.R. points in third grade. I hope you enjoy the books and the activity!

1. *Junie B. Jones* by Barbara Park (any book in the series)
2. *Magic TreeHouse Series* by Mary Pope Osborn
3. *Mercy Watson Series* by Kate DeCamillo
4. *Bailey School Kids Series* by Debbie Dadey
5. *Rainbow Magic Series, The Rainbow Fairies*, by Daisy Meadows
6. *Wallace and Grace Series* by Heather Alexander
7. *Diary of a Wimpy Kid* by Jeff Kinney
8. Geronimo Stilton books
9. Boxcar Children books

I look forward to having you in third grade in August!

Keep reading this summer!





My Favorite Book

Name _____

My favorite book is _____

The book is about _____

My favorite part is when _____

My favorite character is _____

I like this character because _____

Here is a picture of my favorite part of the book!

