



# Rising 3rd Graders

## Summer Assignments

Dear Parents & Students,

Congratulations on completing a successful 2nd grade year, and welcome to 3rd Grade! We are going to learn and grow so much together, and we can't wait to get started. We have put together summer assignments to help prevent the summer slide, but enjoy a break before getting started.

Attached you will find a checklist with IXL skills for your child to work on. Please work to a smart score of at least 80% on each skill. Spread these out over the summer and work a little each day.

In addition to the IXL, please have your child read one of the following books: Freckle Juice by Judy Blume; Dory Fantasmagory by Abby Hanlon; Andy Shane and the Very Bossy Dolores Starbuckle by Jennifer Jacobson; or Mrs. Dole Is out of Control! by Dan Gutman. After reading the book, complete the book review, and your new teacher will collect it the first week of school.

Third Grade is a big transition year, and the work load and expectations are hard. Adding in 20 minutes of reading each day will help set your child up for success next year. For those that are looking for other ways to help prepare your child, completing 2nd grade IXLs for practice and journal writing about summer (or anything!) would be beneficial.

All that being said, summer is a time for fun, family, relaxing, and adventure. We are excited for next year and are already getting ready for you. Have so much fun this summer... We cannot wait to hear all about it!

Best,

*Mrs. Wehmeyer & Ms. Ostrowski*