

## **Hey awesome upcoming 3rd grader! Here are some hints to help you prepare over the summer and have great success in third grade.**

- **SPEED DRILLS:** Each 9 weeks students will be given a multiplication or division facts speed drill, they have 5 minutes to answer 100 facts. Before each quarterly speed drill we will send home practice sheets. The date of each 9 week speed drill will be given in advance. Go to the 3rd grade website to print drills to practice at home.
- **STUDY GUIDES:** See student planners for all projects and testing dates. Study guides and Math practice tests are given to students to review in class and at home, it is very important they stay in student binders.
- **TEXTBOOKS:** Students may bring home textbooks as they wish.
  - \*Math- Unknown- New consumable workbook being adopted
  - \*Science- Interactive science consumable workbook
  - \*Soc St- Studies Weekly Newspapers (also accessible online for at home review)
  - \*Wordly Wise: Vocabulary and application of words workbook.
  - \*Novels: To be announced by ELA teachers at the beginning of the school year.
- **CLEVER:** Online resource for your child over the summer.
  - \*Pathblazer Math/Edgenuity: Math concepts that will need to be focused on will be there to practice.
  - \*MyOn: Online books that are organized by AR reading level with comprehension questions to compliment each book.
- **SUMMER READING;**
  - \*Practice reading chapter books and discussing them at home.
  - \*Be able to retell stories, summarize, and recall story elements.
  - \*Practice reading fluently and with expression.
- **SUMMER WRITING:**
  - \*Cursive will be a big part of writing right away, work on writing neatly and clearly.
  - \*Work on paragraph writing using detail words, this will be an expectation.
  - \*Basic sentence structure with capitals and correct ending punctuation.

**FAAM PTA website:** <https://www.forestavenuepta.com>

**Third Grade Website:** <http://thirdgradefaam.weebly.com/>

**Math Links & Printables: (3rd grade website has drill printables)**

<https://www.multiplication.com/games/all-games>

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**Social Studies Resources:**

<https://www.ixl.com/social-studies/grade-3> (Mapping skills will be in our first quarter)

**Science Resources:**

<https://www.ixl.com/science/grade-3> (Force and Motion and Weather Patterns will be in our first quarter.)

**\*\*Parents will be paying for supplies at the beginning of the year. Our current ESTIMATE supply fee is \$70.\*\***

**Included in Fee:**

**Student Planner**

**Supply Pouches**

**Novel Fees**

**Basic Social Subscription Fee**

**Wordly Wise book**

**Student Materials & Supplies ( examples: binders, dividers, pencils, paper, highlighters, sharpies, erasers, art supplies etc.)**