

Noteworthy News from the desk of Ms. Ballerini

For the Week of August 23, 2021

Welcome to our third grade newsletter! We will be publishing the newsletter every week to keep you up to date on what we are focusing on in our classrooms. Thank you for a wonderful first week! We are so proud of our third graders!

Reading - We will review the following reading skills: main idea/details, compare/contrast, author's point of view, and central message this week.

Phonics - We will practice with comparatives and superlatives, the long i sound and patterns, and the /oo/ sound and patterns.

Grammar - This week, the students will work with types of sentences: statements, commands, exclamations, and questions.

Writing - We will review paragraph writing (topic sentence, detail sentences, and closing sentence) as well as letter writing.

Math - We will use number-grid patterns for computation and introduce a variety of math tools.

Digital Citizenship: We will be discussing five different lessons about safety on the internet.

Upcoming Events/Reminders

- 1. Expectation Night via Zoom is Tuesday, August 24th at 6:00 P.M. A packet of information will go home with your child in their Take Home Folder, which will be discussed Tuesday night. If you are unable to attend, please reach out with any questions. (The presentation will last about 20 minutes.)
- 2. From 5:00 6:00, our Music, Art, and PE teachers, OT, Social Worker, Special Education teachers and Speech Pathologist will have an open zoom link if you would like to visit with them. Please go to Seesaw for these Zoom links.